

Fire District No. 1

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Job Posting Full-Time - Firefighter / Paramedic

Fire District No.1 is seeking qualified candidates to fill full-time Firefighter / Paramedic positions.

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter and resume to Chief Thomas Stark at 144 Newton Street, South Hadley, MA 01075 or via email at tstark@shdistrict1.org.

Qualifications:

- High School Diploma / GED
- Valid Driver's License
- Certified MA or NREMT Paramedic, currently enrolled in a Paramedic program, or able to obtain Paramedic Certification within 2 years of hire date.
- FF I/II certification preferred (not required).

Ideal candidates will have experience delivering prehospital emergency care at the paramedic level. Candidates should be energetic, team orientated, and driven to learn new skills and make a difference in the community.

Benefits Include:

- Salary \$64,096.11 \$73,925.50 (Includes \$7,800 Paramedic Stipend)
- Paid vacation time
- Sick time
- 12 Paid Holidays (\$3,080.40 \$3,620.40)
- 75% Fire District contribution to Medical/Dental/Life insurance
- Clothing allowance
- Paid monthly training time.
- Enrolled in the Hampshire County Retirement System

Fire District No.1 is a growing, progressive department that provides a full range of fire-rescue services including fire suppression, paramedic level EMS services, dive team, and hazardous materials response. We also provide a full range of fire prevention services including code compliance, plan review, and public education through our SAFE program. Opportunities include the Regional Dive Team, Regional Search & Rescue Team, & Haz-Mat Team. Full time firefighters are union members of South Hadley District 1 Professional Firefighters Association, Local 5048, IAFF / PFFM.

The department consists of 2 Captains, 3 Lieutenants, and 20 firefighters. There are 4 shifts that work 24 hours on, 48 hours off, 24 hours on, followed by 96 hours off. The department prides itself on providing modern up to date equipment and apparatus.