

FIREFIGHTER RECRUITMENT

Paid on Call Firefighters

The Portage Fire Department is looking for highly motivated individuals who would like to serve their community.

Benefits of joining:

- **Carrying on the great tradition of the fire service.**
- **Camaraderie of working with other firefighters.**
- **Education and training opportunities.**
- **Respond to emergency calls in the City and Townships.**
- **Receive pay twice a year.**

Requirements to join:

- **18 years of age at time of hiring.**
- **Valid Wisconsin driver's license.**
- **Eagerness to commit.**
- **Must be able to attend meetings and training drills each month.**

Applications can be obtained at the fire station or on the **Fire Department webpage under related documents.**

Return completed application to the fire station.

Any questions please contact us at:

**608-742-2172 between 8 am & 4 pm
or 608-697-7064 after hours.**

Steps to be taken to become a paid-on-call firefighter:

- **Complete application and turn in to the Fire Chief**
- **Oral interview with the fire department's Executive Committee**
- **3 hour physical fitness test**
- **Drug test**
- **Meeting with the Fire Chief**
- **Placed on roll call and a one year probationary period**
- **30 hours in-house training**
- **Entered into State Entry Level Firefighter training (sponsored by the Portage Fire Department)**