



COPPER CANYON FIRE & MEDICAL DISTRICT



POSITION: FIRE MARSHAL

SALARY: \$78,966 — \$103,035

COMPETITIVE BENEFITS PACKAGE

Copper Canyon Fire and Medical District (CCFMD) is located in the beautiful Verde Valley of North-Central Arizona. CCFMD provides emergent and non-emergent services to the communities of Camp Verde, McGuireville, Rimrock and Lake Montezuma, as well as to the tribal holdings of the Yavapai Apache Nation via an intergovernmental agreement.

The fire district is 153 square miles which is currently covered from three fire stations, we respond to nearly 4500 calls for service annually. Like most of our peer agencies, emergency medical services and ambulance transports make up the bulk of our call volume, but we do respond to a number of active structure fires annually, many of which often require investigations to determine cause and origin.

Within our response area are two National Monuments (Montezuma Castle and Montezuma Well), the Cliff Castle Casino-Hotel complex, numerous commercial occupancies and a wide variety of rural and suburban-type residential properties. These are represented by large and small ranches and farms, numerous equestrian properties, homes located in riparian areas, as well as traditional subdivision-style homes. The area boasts a population of around 17,000, and is currently witnessing some significant growth from pent-up demand following the prolonged impacts of the great recession and COVID.

The area offers unique challenges for fire suppression and prevention efforts due to limited water distribution systems and a rural road network. Much of the area is bisected by the Verde River, Wet and Dry Beaver Creek, and Clear Creek, which increase the response challenges of the area, but which also add to the unique beauty.

This part of Arizona offers a wide variety of outdoor activities. Locals and visitors regularly take advantage of the camping, hunting, hiking, fishing, bicycling, and river running that the area offers. Locally and regionally, there are a number of wineries and a number of outstanding restaurants which add to the area's charm. With Phoenix just over an hour's drive to the south, the area offers unique rural lifestyle that is easily augmented by proximity to the Phoenix metroplex.

About CCFMD

General Information

Copper Canyon Fire & Medical is seeking an experienced Fire Marshal to join our District. The Fire Marshal performs complex duties in planning, organizing and directing fire prevention, plan review and arson investigations.

The District enjoys the strong support of our communities, and is governed by a five-member elected body that meets monthly. Our stations are staffed by three shifts consisting of a Battalion Chief and sixteen full-time firefighters, which are augmented by Reserve Firefighters (part-time). The Fire Chief, Fire Marshal, Administrative Manager and two Administrative Assistants handle the Administrative and Community Risk Reduction functions for the District. Regionally, there is a Fire Investigation Task Force that is comprised of Fire Marshals and Investigators for our neighboring agencies.

Education and Experience

Bachelor's degree in Fire Science or related field from an accredited college, plus at least 5 years of experience in fire service or civilian fire protection industry, with a minimum of two years in fire prevention, code enforcement, fire inspection, fire investigation or closely related role. Please see job description for all requirements.

How to Apply

The packet is available at www.ccfmd.az.gov and should be submitted to CCFMD by Thursday, October 13, 2022 at 12:00 p.m. Qualified applicants will be invited to participate in a one to two day assessment center on November 15th - 16th, 2022. Please send employment application, resume, cover letter and supplemental questionnaire to (electronic submissions are acceptable):

About the Position

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