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Recruitment Information

The Belchertown Fire Department (BFD) is currently recruiting individuals who wish to serve the town of Belchertown in the capacity of Volunteer Firefighter.

Basic Requirements

The minimum requirements to become a volunteer member with the BFD are listed below:

Application Requirements

- Must be at least 18 years old
- Valid Massachusetts drivers license and a clean driving record
- Background check
- Clearance by physician
- Must reside in Belchertown

Time Commitment & Training Requirements

- Two Sunday department training sessions per month
- Respond when available or assigned
- Participate in department and community activities
- Must be available to respond to calls nights and weekends
- Must pass Physical Abilities Test
- Must attend BFDs Firefighter Training program, Classes are held weekday evenings and some weekend practical trainings. Classes are held twice a month.

Benefits

- Supporting your community
- Neighbors helping neighbors
- Learn new skills

The personal rewards and satisfaction received from the fire and rescue service are beyond description. There is a great sense of accomplishment and pride for helping those in need. In addition to a desire to help people, you also need dedication, assertiveness, and a willingness to face new challenges.

Once ALL training is completed, the applicant may have the ability to become a paid Call Firefighter with the Belchertown Fire Dept.

The BFD provides its members with a family-like environment for everyone. Our members are students at local high schools, universities and colleges, are certified professionals in a multitude of industries, and work for both public and private organizations. Our members come from a wide range of backgrounds and bring many skills and experience to the department.

How to Join?

Click the link below and fill out the required information, One of our Departments members will be contacting you shortly.

AT NO POINT SHOULD YOU CONTACT THE DEPT BY PHONE, PLEASE FILL OUT THE APPLICATION AND A REPRESENTATIVE WILL GET BACK TO YOU.

[Application Link](#)

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