

# **SUN LAKES FIRE DISTRICT**

## **2012 Announcement of Employment**

**Sun Lakes Fire District is establishing an eligibility list for the position of firefighter.**

### **TIME LINE:**

January 31, 2012 Applications for Firefighter available in the front office at Station 232, starting at 1000.

February 24, 2012 Application for Firefighter closes. All completed applications must be turned into the front office at station 232 by 1500.

**Testing at National Testing Network by invitation only. Dates for testing TBA.**

**Classification Responsibilities:** A Firefighter performs public safety work involving the protection of life and property by fighting fires, responding to emergency incidents, using Emergency Medical Services(EMS) skills, and engaging in fire code enforcement, public education, and station and equipment maintenance activities. This class is responsible for performing related duties as required.

**Distinguishing Features:** A Firefighter must successfully complete the Firefighter Training Academy and the required District one year probationary criteria.

Firefighters are required to work 24-hour shifts and 56-hour work weeks, and may be assigned to work a day assignment (40-hour work week) while assisting on special projects.

This class is FLSA nonexempt.

Position is classified "Safety Sensitive".

**Minimum Qualification(s) Required:** Must meet the qualifications and special requirements for Firefighter, successfully complete the Firefighter Training Academy, and possess a current State of Arizona Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) certification. Provide a valid Candidate Physical Ability Test (CPAT) card.

**Special Requirement(s):** Must possess a valid Arizona Driver's License. Must meet the qualifications to wear a tight fitting respirator by passing a medical evaluation test in accordance with CFR 1910.134 by hire date and must maintain certification.

**Preferred/Desirable Qualification(s):** Coursework toward or possession of an Associate's Degree, in Fire Science or Fire Science Technology, from an accredited college or university is preferred. Bilingual in Spanish is desirable.

Starting wage \$11.39/hr for EMT, \$13.58/hr for CEP, \$16.83/hr for firefighter recruit.