

Montecito Fire Protection District



Invites Applications for:
Firefighter/Paramedic

Salary Range: \$ 6,327 - \$ 8,272 month

The Position: (overview)

The Montecito Fire Protection District is recruiting for the position of Firefighter/Paramedic. Under general supervision of an engine company captain responds to fire calls, medical calls and other emergencies. Operates and maintains fire apparatus and other district equipment. Serve as acting engineer, as required. Participate in fire prevention programs and public education. Responds to medical emergencies and follows Santa Barbara County protocols. Perform other duties as needed. 56 hour safety employees work 8 shifts of 24 hours each within a 24 day cycle (a total of 192 hrs). This is an average workweek of 56 hours.

Minimum qualifications:

Possession of a valid **California Driver's License**. California Class B Drivers License shall be attained within the first 6 months of appointment. Must possess **ACLS, PALS or PEPP, CPR (BLS for Healthcare Provider) and CPAT** (Candidate Physical Agility Test) certifications. Successful completion of a California **Firefighter 1 Academy** or have completed a minimum of **twelve (12) months service as a paid firefighter** with a government agency by the time of appointment. Must be a California certified paramedic with a minimum of **six (6) months experience as a 911 first responder paramedic** by the time of appointment. You must possess a Santa Barbara County Paramedic accreditation within one month of appointment.

Benefits:

The District provides \$1,124 PERS health care allowance for health insurance for the employee and eligible dependents. DELTA Premier dental plan and Vision Service Plan premiums for the employee and eligible dependents paid for entirely by district. Lincoln National Life Insurance for \$50,000 on member's life, \$50,000 for accidental death/dismemberment and \$1,000 for member's dependents. District contributes \$200 per/month towards deferred compensation program.

The retirement plan provided by Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) is Local Safety 3% at 55 Full. The District pays the entire 9% employee contribution.

Uniform allowance shall be \$ 1,000 per year, per employee. New employees will receive an advance payment of \$ 500 with their first paycheck.

Vacation Accumulation:

Years of Service	Hours per Month
1 - 5	12
6 - 10	16
11 - 15	20
16 +	22

Holiday Time: 12 hrs. Of holiday time earned per month.

Sick Leave: 12 hrs. of sick leave earned per month.

Application Procedure and Deadline:

Submit your completed [application](#) to Montecito Fire Protection District located at 595 San Ysidro Road Santa Barbara, CA. 93108. Applications will be accepted between August 23th, 2010 and August 27th, 2010 during normal business hours 8am-5pm. Applications must be delivered in person by the applicant with proof of identification.

Included with your application should be a copy of your resume and required licenses and certificates. Proof of successful completion of CPAT (Candidate Physical Agility Test) will be required by September 25th, 2010. If you completed the CPAT within the 12 months previous to August 27th, 2010 and have proof that you passed it, you will not need to retake it. If your CPAT certificate is dated before August 27th, 2009 you should plan to attend a CPAT orientation, pre-test and test at a CPAT Provider.

CPAT Providers

- Oxnard College, Fire Technology Department, 4000 S. Rose Ave. Oxnard, CA 93033 (805) 384-8109 <http://www.oxnardcollege.edu/programs/firetech/cpatforms/cpat.asp>
- * CPAT Testing Center – Orange, 626 North Eckhoff St., Orange, CA 92868 (877) 648-2728 www.cpat@cpf.org
- CPAT Testing Center – Livermore ,526 Commerce Way, Livermore, CA, 94551 (916) 648-1717 <http://www.cffjac.org/go/jac/cpat/>
- CPAT Testing Center – Sacramento, 1329 North Market St., #100, Sacramento, CA 95834, (916) 515-1122, <http://www.cffjac.org/go/jac/>

Process

The hiring process will commence in September 2010. You will be notified if you have been selected to participate based on your resume, application, education, experience and peripheral skills. Applicant must pass a background investigation, psychological test, drug test, and medical exam before employment.

Tentative Schedule of events

August 23rd - 27th 2010, 8am-5pm-----Accepting Applications
September 3rd 2010, 9am-12pm-----Written Exam
September 14th and 16th, 2010 TBA-----Oral Interview
September 25th, 2010, 5pm-----Proof of CPAT Deadline
October 6th and 8th, 2010 TBA-----Practical Exam