



Civil Service Commission

FIREFIGHTER/PARAMEDIC

The Springfield Civil Service Commission announces an **OPEN-COMPETITIVE** examination for the position of **FIREFIGHTER/PARAMEDIC** with the City of Springfield. Application materials may be downloaded at www.springfieldohio.gov ([employment tab](#)). Submit original applications with resumes, **no faxed or emailed documents are accepted.**

<u>APPLICATION PERIOD:</u>	July 10 – July 28, 2017 *Before 5:00 PM *A study guide will be provided upon receipt of application
<u>PLACE OF FILING APPLICATION:</u>	City Hall, Personnel Dept. - 3 rd Floor 76 East High Street, Springfield, Ohio 45502
<u>DATE, TIME, LOCATION OF WRITTEN EXAMINATION:</u>	Saturday, August 12, 2017 @ 9:00 a.m. Clark State LRC Building Community Rooms 207 & 209 570 E Leffel Lane, Springfield OH 45505
<u>EXAMINATION CUT-OFF SCORE:</u>	70%
<u>ANNUAL PAY RANGE:</u>	\$ 45,070 - \$ 58,140 including excellent benefits

ELEMENTS OF THE SELECTION PROCESS:

- Written Examination
- Physical Agility Test *Fire Station #1, August 24th (Applicants that pass written exam)
- Polygraph Examination
- Extensive Background Investigation
- Oral Interview
- Psychological Assessment
- Drug Screening
- *Complete Medical Examination
 - *This examination is administered only to candidates who have been extended a conditional offer of employment.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- AGE:** At least 18 years of age at time of appointment
EDUCATION: High School Graduate or equivalent
PHYSICAL: Eyesight: 20/20 corrected
Weight: In proportion to height
- **MUST** possess the overall ability to sufficiently perform all of the essential functions of the position.

NATURE AND REQUIREMENTS OF WORK:

This position is responsible for the performance of specialized duties in the saving of life and the fighting and prevention of fires. Work involves a variety of duties including firefighting, paramedic work, and property and equipment maintenance on an assigned shift.

APPLICANTS MUST POSSESS:

The ability to work with a substantial element of personal risk; the ability to work in hazardous conditions of smoke, heat, cramped spaces, and heights; the ability to do paramedic work which includes the ability to withstand accident situations and maintain stability of performance; the ability to exercise sound judgment; and the ability to write complete and accurate reports.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS OF WORK:

RESIDENCY: Must reside in Clark County or any county directly adjacent to Clark County within 60 days of the completion of recruit training.

LICENSE: Must hold a valid unrestricted Ohio Motor Vehicle Operator's License

PARAMEDIC CERTIFICATION: **Must hold Paramedic Certification issued by the State of Ohio upon six months of appointment.**

FIRE APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM: Must complete 42 months of apprenticeship training to become a Journeyman Firefighter/Paramedic

MILITARY CREDIT:

Military service credit may be granted to **Ohio Residents** who have been honorably discharged from military service. A copy of the Honorable Discharge or DD-214 **specifying HONORABLE DISCHARGE** must be submitted with the application. An additional percentage of a **passing** score will be credited to individuals who achieve the minimum cut-off score.



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