



# FRONT RANGE FIRE RESCUE

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## **Positon Announcement**

Front Range Fire Rescue Authority is seeking a fire protection and community life safety professional to develop and lead its community and life safety programs. This is a new full-time position and will combine the traditional duties of the position of Fire Marshal with additional responsibilities in community and life safety education, community engagement and emergency preparedness. The person selected for this position will work with personnel in two towns and two counties, other fire and emergency management agencies in Northern Colorado and internal FRFRA personnel to implement a full range of community and life safety activities. It is anticipated that other part-time positions will be added in the future to accomplish the full range of community and life safety activities. This position will be Chief Officer and report directly to the Fire Chief.

### **Position Data**

Position Title: Life Safety Chief/Fire Marshal

Employment Status: Exempt Full-Time

Hiring Salary Range: \$82,000 - \$92,000

### **Job description summary**

The Life Safety Chief/Fire Marshal is a managerial, supervisory and technical position responsible for routine and complex management of community and life safety programs, coordinating physical, human resources, policy development and interaction with other local and state governments as required for application of community and life safety programs. In addition to community and life safety responsibilities serves as a member of the authority management team and exercises the roles of a chief officer and member of the command staff during emergency response when required. See attached detailed job description.

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## **Qualifications and qualities expected**

FRFRA is seeking an individual with the best match of qualifications and qualities to accomplish the essential job function of the position. Alternative combinations of education, qualifications, certifications and experience will be considered. The successful candidate may be required to complete or attain certifications within certain timelines as a condition of employment and/or for advances in salary.

Preferred qualifications include a Bachelor's Degree in a field of study related to public safety, fire protection engineering, fire science, and public administration although other fields of study will be considered. Experience should include a total of 10 years' experience in the fire service with three years of fire prevention experience in code enforcement, plan review and inspection, with experience in community education, community engagement and emergency preparedness desired. Experience as a fire officer and Colorado fire officer certification is also desired.

## **Preferred certifications and licenses include:**

- Valid Colorado driver's license.
- Colorado EMT-B.
- Colorado Firefighter II
- Colorado Fire Inspector I.
- Colorado Fire School Inspector.
- Colorado Fire Suppression Inspector.
- Public Safety Educator I
- NAFI or IAAI Fire Investigator.
- Juvenile Firesetter Prevention Specialist I
- NIMS 100, 200, 300, 400, 700, and 800.
- Blue Card Incident Command.

Qualities expected include a high degree of knowledge and experience in the application of fire protection and fire preventions codes, standards and practices. A superior ability to work constructively and collaboratively with others is paramount. Highly developed written and oral communication skills are required. Program and policy development as well as implementation of new programs as well as the ability to contribute to the FRFRA's emergency response role at a command and operational level, is desired.

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## **Selection process**

All applications submitted by the deadline will be screened for qualifications and qualities expected. Applicants who best match the detailed job description and needs of FRFRA will be invited to an assessment center. Candidates who perform the best in the assessment center will be recommended to the Fire Chief for final consideration.

**Application Deadline:** **November 23, 2016**

**Tentative Assessment Center:** **Week of January 9, 2017**

All applicants must submit a detailed resume, copies of all certifications and licenses relative to the position, and a FRFRA employment application (available online at [www.frfr.co](http://www.frfr.co)), by the deadline above to Christine Champlin at FRFRA, PO BOX 130, Milliken, CO. 80543.

The candidate selected by the Fire Chief will be provided a conditional job offer contingent on successfully completing reference and background checks, physical and fitness examinations, and drug screens.

*It is the FRFRA policy to provide equal employment opportunity to all applicants for employment without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, sexual orientation, veteran status or disability.*

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