

## TOWN OF BLIND RIVER

### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

The Town of Blind River is accepting applications for Volunteer Fire Fighters.

Being a volunteer firefighter requires a significant commitment of your time to both train and respond to emergency incidents. The safety of the public, yourself and your fellow firefighters depends on the skills you will learn and more importantly maintain and improve. Volunteer firefighters are on call 365 days a year (including holidays), 24 hours a day, and 7 days a week. Calls seem to inevitably come at the most inopportune times; when you sit down to a holiday dinner with family. You must remember, you *volunteer* once – and then it's a *commitment* to help others who are having the worst day of their lives.

BUT the personal rewards and satisfaction received from being involved in a fire department are often beyond description. There is a sense of accomplishment after controlling a building fire, compassion for accident victims, and fulfillment in teaching fire safety. This list goes on and on... The bottom line in our business is measured by the prevention and reduction of loss of life, pain, suffering and property damage that we have in our service. We are here and prepared for one reason and that is to provide a vital service to our community. It is a difficult, exciting and fulfilling journey, but one that is very worthwhile.

#### Requirements

Over 18 years old  
Resident of Blind River  
Valid class DV driver's license (G minimum)  
Minimum grade 12 diploma  
Valid medical needed  
Criminal record check  
CVOR record check

#### Commitment

It is mandatory that all Volunteer Fire Fighters attend a minimum of two (2) training evenings per month, and calls for service as their employment permits.

Salary: \$15.31/hr

A complete job description is available at the Town Hall and the municipal website.  
[www.blindriver.ca](http://www.blindriver.ca)

Written applications stating experience, and qualifications, to be received by the undersigned no later than 4:00 P.M. April 20, 2021.

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The Town of Blind River is an equal opportunity employer. We thank all applicants for their interest; however only those being considered for an interview will be contacted.