

# APPLE VALLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT JOB DESCRIPTION

## ENGINEER

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**Reports to:** Company Officer

**Supervisory Position:** No    **PFA:** Yes    **Safety:** Yes    **FLSA Exempt:** No

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### **General Position Description**

Responds to emergencies and performs fire suppression activities, rescue, damage control, and property preservation. Performs with limited supervision while complying with District Standard Operating Procedures, established protocols, and directives. Maintains facilities and equipment in a state of readiness through scheduled inspections, testing and maintenance. Promotes health and safety of the department and community through education. May function in the capacity of Acting or Interim Captain as assigned.

### **Principle Duties and Responsibilities**

- Safely drives and operates a variety of fire apparatus to and from emergency and non-emergency incidents by selecting the most direct route.
- Operates fire pumps, conducts hydraulic calculations, maintains desired fire flow, and maintains proper pump pressures according to District SOPs.
- Maintains apparatus and equipment; and completes necessary daily, weekly, and monthly equipment maintenance documents.
- Assists in company drills, inspections, education, housekeeping, and other related tasks.
- May perform all duties assigned to a firefighter.
- May perform duties as Acting/Interim Company Officer.
- Initiates and assists in developing and implementing improvements identified by quality assurance programs.
- Performs emergency actions during adverse conditions involving exposure to hazardous materials.
- Assists with delivery of emergency medical care to patients within the guidelines of County Protocols.

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- Participates in training programs.
- Performs scheduled inspections and minor maintenance of equipment and facilities.
- Is subject to emergency recall during off duty hours.
- Interacts effectively, professionally and tactfully with the general public and all participating agencies, dispatch, and law enforcement.
- Participates in public relations and training activities.

**Minimum Qualifications**

As established in District Personnel Policy P-5.

**Description of Duties, Abilities and Work Environment**

Reference: Description of Duties, Abilities and Work Environment for Safety Personnel Category II.