

City of Yoakum
Employment & Promotional Opportunities

Job Posting No: 280

The City of Yoakum needs a qualified individual to fill the following position. To request an application, please contact:

City Clerk
City of Yoakum
808 Hwy 77A South
Yoakum, TX 77995
Phone #: (361) 293-6321

Final selection for hiring is subject to City Manager's approval. In cases of equally qualified applicants, City employees will be given hiring (promotional) preference.

In order to provide a drug-free work place, the City of Yoakum requires drug testing as part of the pre-placement physical. The City of Yoakum is an Equal Opportunity Employer and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, genetic information, religion, age, or disability in employment of the provision of services.

- POSITION:** Director of Emergency Medical Services / Assistant Fire Chief
- DEPARTMENT:** Fire/EMS
- ESSENTIAL DUTIES:** Oversees, supervises, manages and directs the administration and operations of Yoakum's Emergency Medical Service system. Responsible for staff operations, staffing, scheduling, planning and EMS budget development. Ensure emergency medical services are in compliance with professional standards, state and federal regulatory requirements. Assistant Fire Chief of the department and in the absence of the Fire Chief takes full command of management and operations.
- REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:** Structural Firefighter Certification with the Texas Commission on Fire Protection. EMT-Paramedic Certification. Minimum of 5 years of Fire/EMS job experience. A valid Texas driver's license. A class "B" license must be acquired by end of probation period. (6 month) NIMS certifications, 100, 200, 300, 400, 700, 800. All must be acquired within two years of employment.
- SUGGESTED QUALIFICATIONS:** Associate's degree and five (5) years related work experience and training; Complete a City of Yoakum approved supervisory course within one year of employment; supervisory experience
- PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:** Fingers, hands and arms dexterity; eye-hand coordination; good hearing and vision. Lifting 150 lbs. and over. Wear heavy protective equipment including SCBA while lifting or dragging heavy objects or persons over 175 lbs. Sitting, stooping, bending, standing, pushing, pulling, squatting, walking, carrying and twisting associated with emergency medical and fire services.
- STARTING SALARY:** \$46,259 – \$74,048 BOQ
- CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS:** Open until filled
- POSTED:** November 10, 2021