



Wood River Fire Department

501 Edwardsville Road Wood River, Illinois 62095

Telephone: (618) 259-0984

Emergency 911

"Smoke Detectors Save Lives"

To: Potential Paid-On-Call Candidate

Thank you for your interest in the Wood River Fire Department.

You must fill out your application in **full** to be considered for this position! If you have any questions regarding your application, please call 618-259-0984, option 1 and we will be happy to help you the best we can.

I must emphasize that becoming a Paid-On-Call Firefighter for the City of Wood River requires a serious time commitment, especially during a new employee's probation period. The Paid-On-Call position is recognized as a part-time position with the City of Wood River. As a POC firefighter with the City of Wood River you will be a constant representative of the fire department and city, which is a great responsibility and should not be taken lightly. If hired, in addition to becoming a member of the Wood River Fire Department you will also become a member of the Wood River Firefighters Association, the benevolent arm of the fire department. The firefighters association is involved in numerous community related activities throughout the year. Your participation in these events is expected.

When an opening occurs the applications will be reviewed by the department and qualified candidates will be called for an orientation, a written test, agility test and formal interview. The application process time can vary. Upon completion of the background and reference check you will be notified of the testing schedule.

Again, thanks for your interest, and good luck!

Respectfully,

R. Wade Stahlhut, Fire Chief
City of Wood River
Fire Department