# Volunteer and make a difference in Frederick County!

Frederick County and its elected officials are committed to maintaining a combination Fire and Rescue System, utilizing volunteers and career staff. Frederick County understands that in order to meet the needs of the community, volunteers are essential. At present, Frederick County has over 500 volunteers. Operations would not be possible without their dedication and devotion. Volunteering for the Frederick County Fire and Rescue System offers an opportunity to experience one of the most challenging professions in existence! Knowing that YOU can make a difference is paramount!

## Volunteer Requirements:

In order to qualify to become a volunteer, you must:

- Be at least 16 years of age
- Complete a criminal background check

## Volunteer

## Responsibilities:

- Adhere to Standard Operating Procedures
- Participate in Training
- Maintain Professionalism

### **Volunteer Placement:**

Generally speaking, openings for volunteers are available in the following areas:

- Administration
- Bookkeeping
- Computer Support
- Emergency Medical Technicians
- Firefighters
- Financial Management
- Fundraising
- Grant Writers
- Pageantry
- Public Education
- Training
- Vehicle and Building Maintenance

Openings for volunteers will vary depending on company need.

#### Core Values:

The Frederick County Fire and Rescue System strives for professional excellence. Demonstrating high professional standards are critical to the work that is performed.

Frederick County Fire and Rescue is committed to providing health and safety programs, not only for operational readiness, but for the well being of our members as well.

In addition, the Fire and Rescue System is dedicated to reflecting and respecting cultural diversity throughout the organization.

Teamwork and shared leadership are integral to the management of the organization. The opinions of our members are sought and valued. Effective communication is essential to the cohesiveness and performance of our members.

A commitment to honest and ethical behavior is vital.

In sum, the Frederick County Fire and Rescue System has a responsibility to protect life, property and the environment. A commitment has been made to deepen our involvement within the community and fulfill our responsibilities to the best of our abilities.

As a volunteer, one receives satisfaction in helping others. You will gain knowledge, skills and abilities that will last a lifetime.

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