

ROTTERDAM VOLUNTEER FIRE DISTRICT #2

1400 Curry Road

Schenectady, New York 12306

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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Junior Firefighter (Member still in High School)

Date _____

NAME: _____

RESIDENCE ADDRESS: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NO: (____) _____ (Home)
(____) _____ (Work)
(____) _____ (Cell / Mobile)

How long have you lived at your present address? _____ Years _____ Months

If less than 2 years, please list your prior addresses for the last two years:

Address	From	To
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Do you intend to reside in the Rotterdam Fire District #2 for the next few years? Yes _____ No _____

If no, please explain why not? (college, etc)

	Application Received	BOD Interview	Company Ballot	Commis. Review	Physical Complete Notice	Oath Taken
Date / Time						
By:						
Comments:						

What is your highest grade/level of education completed? _____

Are you willing to undergo a physical exam and pre-employment drug test? Yes ___ No ___

Are you at least eighteen years of age? Yes ___ No ___

Do you possess a valid N.Y.S. driver's license? Yes ___ No ___

Do you have access to a vehicle to permit you to respond to the stations? Yes ___ No ___

Are you currently employed? Yes ___ No ___

Employment Information:

Name	Address	Position	Dates of Employment
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Have you ever been a member of the United States Armed Forces? Yes ___ No ___

If the answer is "Yes", did you receive a dishonorable discharge? Yes ___ No ___

Dishonorable discharge is not an absolute bar to membership. This and other factors will affect a final membership decision.

If the above answer is "Yes", give complete details in the space provided below or on an attached sheet (include service branch and service dates).

Please check all of the positions for which you intend to become qualified and perform:

___ Interior Firefighter ___ Scene Support ___ Engine Driver
___ Fire Police ___ Junior Firefighter (16 to 18 years of age)

List any relevant certifications, courses, trainings (please provide expiration dates, if any):

Have you previously belonged to another fire department or ambulance service? Yes ___ No ___

If so, provide name, address and years of service: _____

Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes ___ No ___

If not, do you intend to become a citizen of the United States? Yes ___ No ___

If no, have you the legal right to remain permanently in the United States? Yes ___ No ___

Do you intend to remain permanently in the United States? Yes ___ No ___

Have you ever been convicted or plead to a criminal offense? Yes ___ No ___

Provide offense convicted of: _____

Date of conviction: _____

How long ago was the conviction? _____

Has a certificate of relief from disabilities been obtained? Yes ___ No ___

Have you ever been convicted of arson or attempted arson in any degree? Yes ___ No ___

Have you ever had any conviction which requires registration as a sex offender? Yes ___ No ___

Do you have any pending arrests? Yes ___ No ___

Have you reviewed the requirements for the position which you are interested? Yes ___ No ___

Can you perform the functions of at least one of the positions in which you are interested, with or without reasonable accommodation? Yes ___ No ___

(Please see the list of attached physical requirements)

* The Fire Department reserves the right to determine what is reasonable.

Please provide three individuals who will share information regarding your potential service as a member of the fire department:

NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE	RELATIONSHIP
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

**PLEASE RETURN THIS APPLICATION DIRECTLY TO THE STATION
WE WILL CONTACT YOU SOON FOR AN INTERVIEW.**

POSITIONS

INTERIOR FIREFIGHTER

Main Functions

- Performs all functions of a firefighter including fire extinguishment, and interior search, vehicle rescue and rope rescue.
- Some firefighters also perform roof operations such as ventilation.

Minimum Training

Member Orientation	6 hours
Hazardous Material Training	15 hours
CPR & First Aid	10 hours
OSHA Training	16 Hours
Firefighting I course	78 hours
Firefighter survival	9 hours
Additional 75 hours per year of drills.	

SCENE SUPPORT OPERATIONS

Main Functions

- Performs fire scene operations outside of structures.
- Places water on fire from outside of house, connects hoses to hydrants, can perform rescue operations with additional training.
- Less dangerous than interior firefighting.

Minimum Training

Member Orientation	6 hours
Hazardous Material Training	15 hours
CPR & First Aid	10 hours
OSHA Training	16 hours
Scene support course	27 hours
Additional 55 hours per year of drills.	

ENGINE - PUMP OPERATOR & TANKER OPERATOR

Main Functions

- Drives fire apparatus to emergency scene.
- Controls water supply to hoses and into vehicles from water source.

Minimum Training

Member Orientation	6 hours
Hazardous material training	15 hours
CPR & First Aid	10 hours
OSHA Training	16 hours
Scene support course	27 hours
Emergency vehicle operators course	15 hours
Pump operators course	24 hours
Driving and Pump Practice	10 hours
Additional 55 hours per year of drills.	

FIRE POLICE

Main Functions

- Ensures a safe scene for firefighters and medical personnel by controlling traffic.
- Members respond directly to scene.

Minimum Training

Member Orientation	6 hours
Hazardous Material Training	15 hours
CPR & First Aid	10 hours
OSHA Training	16 hours
Fire Police Training Course	9 hours