JOB POSTING

Applications Accepted
Until Filled

Position:	**Fire Fighter / Paramedic**
Department:	Fire Department
Employee Category:	Full-Time
Hourly Salary:	$18.29 (less than 2 years of experience) $20.06 (more than 2 years of experience)
Paramedic Differential:	$1,200/year
Incentive Pay Maximum:	$3,600/year
Work Schedule:	24 hours on & 48 hours off (19 firefighters assigned to each shift)
To Apply:	Applications available on our website www.bedfordtx.gov/hr or at City Hall Building B - 2000 Forest Ridge Drive. Click here to apply.
JOB SUMMARY:	Under direct supervision, responsible for front line fire, EMS, rescue, hazardous materials and support operations demonstrating knowledge of departmental policies, procedures, and EMS protocols. Maintain emergency vehicles and facilities. Provide related training to the public as needed. This position is essential to emergency operations and therefore in the event of an emergency, all employees are required to have the ability to respond to emergency situations off-duty.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- High School Diploma or GED.
- Texas Commission on Fire Protection Basic Firefighter certificate required.
- Texas Department of State Health Services Paramedic certificate required.
- Must have or be able to obtain a Class B CDL or CDL Exempt Texas Driver's License.
- Must be able to pass physical ability test.

BENEFITS:

- The City of Bedford provides an excellent benefits package which includes: Medical Insurance, Dental Insurance, Life and Disability Insurance, Paid Vacation, Holiday and Personal Time. Additionally, including a generous retirement program (TMRS), longevity pay and tuition reimbursement.

About the Bedford Fire Department:

The Bedford Fire Department is a fully paid department with 64 certified personnel protecting approximately 50,000 citizens in 10 square miles. Three fire stations protect the city with 1 Ladder Truck, 2 Engines, 3 Ambulances, an Air/Light Truck, a Mobile Command Vehicle and a Battalion Chief Vehicle.

The Bedford Fire Department is responsible for responding to the needs of the citizens and guests passing through the city at anytime day or night. The Bedford Fire Department provides excellent fire suppression, rescue, state of the art and award winning emergency medical services, hazardous material mitigation, severe weather operations, and any other emergencies that may arise.

The Bedford Fire Department is very active in public education through several programs. These programs include fire safety education using in-service companies, the Fire and Life Safety Education Clown Troupe, and Station Tours.

The City of Bedford is an Equal Opportunity/ Affirmative Action Employer