

COUNTY LOCAL LAWS

ASSOCIATE DEGREE IN APPLIED SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY IS THE MINIMUM EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENT. SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF A RECOGNIZED FINGERPRINT SCHOOL AND AN EXTENSIVE BACKGROUND IN CLASSIFICATION AND IDENTIFICATION OF FINGERPRINTS, TOOLMARKS AND QUESTIONED DOCUMENTS.

(92) Firefighter

Graduation from a recognized high school or satisfactory completion of General Equivalence Test with a minimum requirement of eighteen (18) years of age. Placed in a twelve (12) month probationary status upon meeting the following special requirements:

1. Approved Howard County Fire Service medical and physical standards. No waivers on medical and physical standards. No waivers on medical or physical standards will be accepted in the area of weight, vision hearing, agility, coordination, and endurance.
2. Clear police and credit records.
3. Eligibility or possession of Maryland Class "B" drivers license.

Upon completion basic formal firefighter and ambulance attendant courses, possession of Maryland Class "B" drivers license, and satisfactory completion of probationary requirements is appointed to firefighter position..

(93) Firefighter First Class

Graduation from a recognized high school or General Equivalence Test with a minimum requirement of eighteen (18) years of age. Must have successfully completed, two (2) years of paid firefighter experience, including one (1) year as a Howard County probationary firefighter. Satisfactorily completed firefighting, ambulance, and rescue training courses as prescribed by the Fire Advisory Board. Special requirements: possession of Maryland Class "B" driver's license.

(94) Firefighter Technician/Sergeant

Graduation from recognized high school or General Equivalence Test with a minimum requirement of twenty-two (22) years of age. Must have successfully completed four (4) years of paid firefighter service experience, including one (1) year as a Howard County probationary firefighter. Satisfactorily completed firefighting, ambulance, and rescue training courses as