

## COUNTY LOCAL LAWS

EQUIVALENCE TEST. MINIMUM AGE TWENTY-ONE (21) YEARS, AND POSSESSION OF A VALID MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATING LICENSE.

**(805) 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 OR PHYSICAL STANDARD WILL BE ACCEPTED IN THE AREA OF WEIGHT, VISION, HEARING, AGILITY, COORDINATION, AND ENDURANCE.

2. CLEAR POLICE AND CREDIT RECORDS.

3. ELIGIBILITY FOR OR POSSESSION OF MARYLAND CLASS "B" DRIVERS LICENSE.

UPON COMPLETION OF BASIC FORMAL FIREFIGHTER AND AMBULANCE ATTENDANT COURSES, POSSESSION OF MARYLAND CLASS "B" DRIVERS LICENSE, AND SATISFACTORY COMPLETION OF PROBATIONARY REQUIREMENTS, PROBATIONARY FIREFIGHTER IS APPOINTED TO FIREFIGHTER POSITION.

**(806) POLICE OFFICER FIRST CLASS**

MUST HAVE TWO (2) YEARS OF POLICE EXPERIENCE IN THE COUNTY, STATE OR FEDERAL GOVERNMENT LEVEL.

**(807) 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.

**(808) POLICE CORPORAL**

MUST HAVE THREE (3) YEARS OF POLICE EXPERIENCE IN COUNTY, STATE OR FEDERAL GOVERNMENT LEVEL, ONE (1) YEAR OF WHICH IS PROBATIONARY IN THE POSITION OF PATROLMAN.

**(809) FIREFIGHTER TECHNICIAN/SERGEANT**

GRADUATION FROM A RECOGNIZED HIGH SCHOOL OR GENERAL