Fire Chief Position (Part-Time)

Job Description
Crowders Mountain Volunteer Fire and Rescue (CMVFR) is seeking a highly motivated and qualified applicant to fill current opening for the position of part-time Fire Chief. Responsibility will be for day to day operations of the fire, rescue and emergency medical services that include paid and volunteer staff. Must possess excellent communications skills, command/leadership, ability to develop strong relationships, administration, policy and budgetary knowledge.

Department
CMVFR is in the southwest portion of Gaston County. The department has two stations with the third under construction. Total area coverage is 42 square miles with an average yearly call volume of 1,500 fire and 4,000 EMS calls. Paid staffing includes 6 full time Firefighters, 8 full time EMS employees along with part-time personnel for both Fire and EMS.

Minimum Requirements
- NC Firefighter Certification
- Chief 101
- Emergency Medical Technician
- NIMS 100, 200, 300, 400, 700, 800
- Possession of a valid North Carolina Driver License
- Graduate with a minimum of an Associate Degree in Fire Science or related field
- 5 years in a leadership position in the Fire and EMS fields

Physical Requirements
Must be able to physically perform the basic life operational functions of climbing, balancing, stopping, kneeling, crouching, crawling, reaching, standing, walking, pushing, pulling, lifting, grasping, feeling, talking, hearing and perform repetitive motions. Must be able to perform light work exerting up to 20 pounds of force occasionally, and 10 pounds of force frequently.
Must possess the visual acuity to perform accounting, computer work, and extensive reading in addition to ability to distinguish people and objects at emergency scenes.

Condition of Employment
Candidates shall pass a pre-employment drug screen and criminal history check per criteria set forth by CMVFR.

To apply, submit an application and a resume. Both are due by May 15, 2019. Application form & link can be found at bottom of www.cmvfr.com web site. Can e-mail to CMVFRapplicants@gmail.com or mail to Crowders Mountain Fire & Rescue @ 480 Bethany Rd, Gastonia NC 28052.

For questions, send an email to CMVFRapplicants@gmail.com.