

**APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP
IN THE
DICKINSON FIRE DEPARTMENT**

- 1. Name _____
- 2. Address _____
- 3. Employer _____
- 4. Telephone Number - Home _____ Work _____
- 5. Social Security Number _____
- 6. Do you have a current North Dakota Driver's License? _____
- 7. Date of Birth _____
- 8. Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offense? _____
If so, please list _____
- 9. Are you willing to take a pre-employment examination, paid for by the City? _____
- 10. Signature of applicant's employer: _____

11. I hereby certify that the foregoing responses are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I have read the Minimum Qualification Requirements on the reverse side of this application and understand that I must meet these requirements to become a member of the Dickinson Fire Department.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Proposed By: _____

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FIRE DEPARTMENT USE ONLY:

- Application Received: Date _____ By _____
- Background Requested: Date _____ By _____
- Background Received: Date _____ By _____
- Application Reviewed: Date _____ By _____
- Department Orientation: Date _____ By _____
- Attended General Meeting: Date _____ By _____
- Accepted: Date _____ By _____
- Denied: Date _____ By _____
- Received Equipment: Date _____ By _____

MINIMUM QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. Be a United States Citizen.
2. Be 21 years of age or older.
3. Be able to respond to Fire Department alarms day and night.
4. Possess the following abilities:
 - γ Learn the operation of fire suppression and other emergency equipment.
 - γ Learn to apply standard firefighting, emergency aid, hazardous materials, and fire prevention techniques.
 - γ Perform strenuous or peak physical effort during emergency, training, or equipment maintenance activities for prolonged periods of time under conditions of extreme heights, intense heat, cold, or smoke.
 - γ Act effectively in emergency and stressful situations.
 - γ Follow verbal and written instructions.
 - γ Communicate effectively, orally and in writing.
 - γ Establish effective working relationships with co-workers, other agencies, and the general public.
5. Be able to meet the physical demands described below:
 - γ While performing the duties of this job, the employee is frequently required to stand; walk; use hands to finger, handle, or operate objects, tools, or controls; and reach with hands and arms. The employee is occasionally required to sit; climb or balance; stoop, kneel crouch, or hear; and taste or smell.
 - γ The employee must frequently lift and/or move up to 10 pounds and occasionally lift and/or move up to 100 pounds. Specific vision abilities required by this job include close vision, distance vision, color vision, peripheral vision, depth perception, and the ability to adjust focus.
6. Be able to work a rotating Night Duty shift.
7. Have a High School Diploma or GED Certificate.
8. Have a current driver's license valid in North Dakota.
9. Pass a background investigation.
10. Consent to a drug screening, upon request.
11. Become certified as a Firefighter I by the North Dakota Firefighters Association within 24 months.
12. Attend Fire Department meetings and training.
13. Show a genuine interest in fire suppression and the Fire Department in general.

APPLICANT WILL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A BASIC PHYSICAL ABILITY TEST.