



Employment Opportunity
City Of Port Alberni
Deputy Fire Chief



The City of Port Alberni is a community of 17,000 people. Located centrally on Vancouver Island, Port Alberni is a well-served municipality that offers residents affordable west coast living, as well as proximity to oceanfront, lakes, rivers and mountains. The City of Port Alberni offers an excellent opportunity for a Deputy Fire Chief to join a progressive and dynamic organization that provides a full range of fire protection through a career staff. The successful applicant will report to the Fire Chief, providing a high level of assistance in the administration of the Fire Department.

Responsibilities

- Act for the Fire Chief during his absence
- Act as on-call Chief Officer as required, responding to emergencies after hours
- Assume role of Training Officer for the department
- Supervise department operations

Minimum Qualifications

- Class 5 driver's license with air endorsement
- Certification to the level of Fire Officer II or combination of other equivalent training and experience
- Ten years service in municipal fire service with progressive leadership responsibilities

Preferred Qualifications

- Extensive Incident Command experience and demonstrated competence in managing emergency incidents using the Incident Command System
- Ability to exercise considerable independent judgement and action while working toward departmental objectives
- Post secondary education in a related field
- Strong interpersonal, communication and teambuilding skills
- Ability to prepare, manage and deliver training programs
- Ability and desire to assist in developing cooperative training and operational programs between Fire Department and other agencies and departments.

This is an exempt position. A competitive salary is offered in addition to a comprehensive benefit package.

Resumes should be forwarded in confidence before 4:30 p.m. March 31, 2015 to:

Attention: Theresa Kingston, Manager of Human Resources
By mail: City of Port Alberni, 4850 Argyle Street, Port Alberni, B.C. V9Y 1V8
Faxed to: 250 723-1003
Emailed to: humanresources_resumes@portalberni.ca (MS Word format)

We regret that only those applicants selected for interviews will be contacted.