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Officer Requirements

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This document is an established set of qualifications for an employee to become an officer in the North Yarmouth Fire Rescue Department. If the officer does not have the preferred qualifications, he/she will be given up to eighteen (18) months to complete or have the equivalent documented experience after appointment.

Preferred qualifications for a Lieutenant shall be:

- 1. 4 (4) years of experience and a minimum of one (1) year as an active member of North Yarmouth Fire Rescue Department.
- 2. Firefighter I
- 3. Certified Driver Operator or equivalent.
- 4. Haz-Mat Awareness.
- 5. Valid CPR Card.
- 6. ICS 100, 200,700
- 7. EMT-B License (required for EMS Lieutenant) preferred for other positions
- 8. Safety Officer Certification:

Preferred qualifications for a Captain shall be:

- 1. Four (4) years of experience, One (1) year as a current active officer with North Yarmouth Fire Rescue, and two (2) years as an active member of North Yarmouth Fire Rescue
- 2. Firefighter I & II or equivalent.
- 3. Fire Instructor I or equivalent: Preferred
- 4. Fire Officer I or equivalent: within two (2) years of appointment.
- 5. Certified Driver Operator.
- 6. Haz-Mat Operations
- 7. Valid CPR Card.
- 8. ICS 100, 200, 300,700
- 9. EMT-B License (preferred)
- 10. Safety Officer Certification:

Preferred qualifications Deputy Fire Rescue Chief:

- 1. Four (4) years minimum with the North Yarmouth Fire Rescue, Two (2) years minimum as a current officer with North Yarmouth Fire Rescue, and two (2) as an active member of North Yarmouth Fire Rescue
- 2. Firefighter I & II
- 3. Fire Instructor 1
- 4. Certified Driver Operator
- 5. Hazmat Operations

- 6. Fire Officer 1 and 2 or equivalent. If does not have will be achieved within two years of appointment
- 7. Valid CPR Card
- 8. ICS 100, 200, 300, 400,700, 800. If does not have will be achieved within 2 years of appointment
- 9. Safety Officer Certification
- 10. EMT-B License Required for the EMS Assistant Chief; EMT-A or EMT-P preferred