

CLASSIFIED AD

FULL-TIME FIREFIGHTER

SAFER GRANT POSITIONS

The Baker County Board of County Commissioners will be accepting applications for full-time, paid Firefighters. This position consists of entry level firefighting duties of a varied nature under the direction of a superior officer with a starting annual salary of \$33,280. These positions are Grant Funded through SAFER for three (3) years. At the end of the grant cycle, County Commission must approve funding to ensure that these positions remain in place.

The ideal candidate will have knowledge of the various types of fire hazards of the County; knowledge and skill in the use of emergency medical treatment practices; and knowledge of firefighting techniques, policies, procedures, and practices. This applicant must possess the ability to understand and follow oral and written instructions; ability to perform prolonged and arduous work under adverse conditions; and ability to work at heights. The ideal candidate will be skilled in the use and maintenance of firefighting equipment.

Minimum Qualifications:

Applicant must have a high school diploma or possession of an acceptable equivalency diploma (GED), completion of minimum standards as required by the State of Florida. Must possess a Florida Certification as a Firefighter 2 and a Class "D" Non-Commercial Florida Driver's License. Must possess a valid Florida EMT certification or obtain within 12 months of hire, at which time the pay would increase to \$36,608 annually. Applicant will be required to pass a background check, pre-employment physical and drug screen.

Applications and job description may be obtained from either Baker County Human Resources, County Administration Office, 55 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Macclenny, FL 32063 or online at [www.bakercountyfl.org/jobs](http://www.bakercountyfl.org/jobs).

Baker County is a drug free and tobacco free workplace and an equal opportunity employer. All applicants are considered for all positions without regard to age, race, color, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, marital or Veteran status, medical condition or disability, or any other legally protected reason.

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