



COMMUNITY

Since 1949, Grays Harbor Fire District #2 has served the citizens of Brady, Central Park, Rural Montesano, and Wynoochee, covering approximately 304 square miles. The District also provides mutual aid to neighboring Departments including Montesano, Aberdeen, Grays Harbor Fire District #5, and others.

The Fire District consists of (4) stations.

- Station 2-1: Central Park
- Station 2-2: Brady
- Station 2-3: Wynoochee
- Station 2-4 Montesano

The District consists of (3) Elected Fire Commissioners, (1) Full-Time Fire Chief, (1) Full-Time District Secretary, (7) Full-Time Firefighter EMT's and Paramedics, and (20) Volunteers.

SUCCESS

Fire District #2 Volunteers have used this experience and training to move onto paid positions in emergency services. Former Volunteers are working in Departments throughout Washington State and the Nation.

- Aberdeen Fire Department
- Central Pierce Fire & Rescue
- Central Mason Fire & EMS
- Griffin Fire Department
- Hoquiam Fire Department
- Renton Regional Fire Authority
- McLane/Black Lake Fire Department
- Montesano Fire Department
- Olympia Fire Department
- Roswell Fire Department
- South Beach Regional Fire Authority
- Tacoma Fire Department
- West Pierce Fire & Rescue



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VOLUNTEER PROGRAM



"Committed to Delivering Quality Service"



PROGRAM

Once accepted, recruits are put through a comprehensive fire academy, finishing with their Firefighter I, Hazmat Awareness, and Operations Certifications. After this they can be sent through EMT school to obtain that certification as well.

Shift Volunteers receive a shift stipend to offset costs of volunteering.

In addition, other programs are offered such as a student program, which offers college tuition, and a Wildland program, which lets you deploy across the state to assist other departments.

EMT's who do not wish to become Firefighters are also encouraged to apply.

Volunteers attend weekly drill nights covering ongoing EMS(OTEP) and Fire training.

REQUIREMENTS

Volunteer Firefighters must meet the following eligibility requirements, similar to those used in Fire Department hiring processes.

- Minimum of 18 years old
- High School diploma or GED
- Excellent Physical condition
- Valid Washington drivers license
- Pass written and physical examinations, oral interviews, criminal background and driving record check



EXPERIENCE

On completion of initial training Volunteers are expected to pull a minimum of 24 hours per month at the Fire Station. Volunteers will work alongside our career staff, serving the citizens of GHFD#2.

CERTIFICATIONS

Volunteers with Grays Harbor Fire District #2 are provided with many opportunities to learn and obtain certifications. The following are currently offered.

- Firefighter I
- Washington State Emergency Medical Technician
- Emergency Vehicle Accident Prevention
- Wildland Firefighter
- Hazmat Awareness and Operations

In addition to the above certifications many other training opportunities are offered. GHFD#2 is committed to providing members with the tools necessary for the job.

