



**Grand Fire Protection District No. 1**  
60500 US Highway 40, PO Box 338, Granby, CO 80446  
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## **Job Announcement/Description** **Wildland Engineer**

<b>Position Title:</b>	Wildland Engineer
<b>Status:</b>	Non-Exempt, full-time, seasonal (April 1 <sup>st</sup> – Sept 30 <sup>th</sup> )
<b>Hours:</b>	Generally, 40 hours/week
<b>Compensation:</b>	\$ 20.79 / hour
<b>Benefits</b>	Housing negotiable

### **General Description of Work**

The Wildland Engineer is responsible for the operation and maintaining of the apparatus on regional and national fire assignments as well in district and mitigation efforts. He/she may run all-hazard calls with the department as they arise so any structure experience will be helpful. The Wildland Engineer may be requested to lead or assist with instruction or and is expected to give input on training needs. The Wildland Engineer will operate the apparatus on initial attack and extended attack, and any other suppression and mitigation activities within the District or the county where assigned. The Wildland Engineer will work as a member of the crew when the apparatus is not needed. He/she shall report and take direction from the Wildland Captain and will also assist with the supervision of the District's Resident Firefighter program. The Wildland Engineer will be responsible for the engine and crew when the Engine Boss is not available. He/she must be a reliable individual, have a strong work ethic, be in good health and a have genuine interest in wildland fire. He/she will have a good understanding of the fire department's Standard Operating Guidelines.

### **Qualifications and Skills**

- High School Diploma or GED is required
- Valid Colorado Driver's License with an acceptable motor vehicle driving record
- NIMS ICS 100, 200, 700, 800
- Agency ENOP or IFSAC Driver Operator Certification
- NWCG 130/190 (FFT2)
- NWCG FFT1 or Trainee and FAL3 Certification
- S-212
- S-211
- Must have recent RT-130 and pass an arduous WCT
- Residence within 20-minute response time to Grand Fire HQ
- Experience with all types of apparatus, mainly Type 3 and 6

### **Preferred Qualifications**

- Single Resource Engine Boss or ENGB trainee
- FAL2 or higher
- IFSTA D/O, FF1 or higher
- NREMT

### **Job Duties and Responsibilities**

- Must be available to leave the district on national assignment within two hours
- Must be able to be away from the home unit for at least 16 days at a time
- Respond to, operate the fire apparatus or be a member of the crew during wildland fire and all-hazard incidents in the District or as part of Mutual or Regional Aid as needed
- Perform all duties normally assigned to a firefighter, engineer, including carrying out orders and directives from other officers or command during wildland fire and all-hazard incidents
- Ensure wildland apparatus, equipment, pumps, saws, and facilities are always maintained to a state of readiness
- Work with the Wildland Captain to identify wildland fire training needs and lead/assist training sessions, including preparation
- Train / instruct other officers and firefighters and assist in professional development regarding Wildland qualifications
- Demonstrate model behavior, monitor performance of all firefighters, and report progress to superior
- Assist with the District's Wildland Response Team, including mitigation projects, education, and outreach
- Communicate clearly and concisely both orally and in writing
- Make quick sound decisions in emergency operations
- Perform strenuous physical activity in dangerous or hazardous environments
- Establish and maintain effective working relationships with local, state, and federal cooperating agencies
- Assist with and supervising the district Resident Firefighter Program

Please fill out online application at [grandfire.org](http://grandfire.org) by close of business February 15th, 2021.

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