**Firefighter Inspector**

**Summary**

Specialized skilled technical work involved in plan review, inspecting buildings, structural installations and other facilities to ensure and enforce compliance with all applicable codes and ordinances. Employee in this classification performs field inspections of new and existing structures and facilities; those which have been destroyed or damaged by fire of known or unknown cause or on the basis of complaints filed or reported. Work requires technical knowledge to determine that quality of materials, workmanship, and safety precautions are adequate to meet established standards. Employees must demonstrate a knowledge of building and construction activities with additional expertise in the area of fire protection devices, building materials, exit design, wall ratings, lighting, occupant capacity, and chemical or material storage. Work involves considerable public contact, and requires the employee to be able to interact and communicate effectively in both written and verbal forms. Work is performed under general supervision in accomplishing routine assignments with considerable latitude in decision making. Direct supervision may be given in the event of special assignments. Performance is evaluated by attainment of objectives, a review of written and oral reports and through periodic conferences with supervisor.

**Minimum Qualifications**

* Florida Firefighter II certification
* Florida Emergency Medical Technician or Florida Paramedic Certification
* Valid Florida Driver’s License
* High school diploma or GED
* Fire Safety Inspector I Certification

**Compensation**

The starting pay for this full-time, non-exempt position is $34.27 an hour. Excellent benefits package

including Chapter 175 plan, medical, dental, life and paid time off package.

**About Us**

West Manatee Fire & Rescue District is an Independent Special Fire District located on the West Side of

Manatee County, Florida. We are governed by (5) five elected Commissioners. Currently there are 43

full-time employees.

**To Apply**

Submit a resume and cover letter outlining your qualifications and explain why you are interested in this

position. Submit to rod@wmfr.org. Please see wmfr.org for full job description.

West Manatee Fire & Rescue District provides equal employment opportunities (EEO) to all employees

and applicants for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability

or genetics. In addition to federal law requirements, West Manatee Fire & Rescue District complies with

applicable state and local laws governing nondiscrimination in employment. This policy applies to all

terms and conditions of employment, including recruiting, hiring, placement, promotion, termination,

layoff, recall, transfer, leaves of absence, compensation and training.

*West Manatee Fire & Rescue District is a drug-free workplace*

*EOE/DFWP: Veterans’ preference will be given to eligible veterans and spouses of veterans.*

*Position Open Until Filled*