

We are currently accepting applications to test for the position of Firefighter/Paramedic

<u>Test Date</u>	<u>Test Site</u>	<u>Test Time</u>	<u>What to Bring to Test</u>
Saturday - December 16, 2017	DeSoto Fire Training Center 501 E. Wintergreen DeSoto, Texas 75115	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9:00 am – 12:00 for exam, Physical Agility follows immediately after</li> <li>report to test site at 8:30 am</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Driver's License</li> <li>DD214 for Veteran Points</li> </ul>

Minimum Qualifications to test

1. Minimum Age is 21 and Maximum Age is 35
2. United States Citizen
3. Graduation from an accredited high school OR possession of an equivalency certificate
4. Valid driver's license with acceptable driving record
5. No illegal drug use within the past three (3) years

AND THE FOLLOWING by Job Offer Date

1. Certification as a Paramedic, as issued by the Texas Department of State Health Services or National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians **AND/OR**
2. Certification as a Basic Firefighter, as issued by the Texas Commission on Fire Protection

Beginning Salary

Entry Level Pay \$49,190 annually - \$4,099 monthly

A Study Guide is also available at [desototexas.gov](http://desototexas.gov) on the Fire Department page.

Apply online at [desototexas.gov](http://desototexas.gov) from Wednesday, November 15, 2017 through Sunday, December 10, 2017

Applicants must pass the written exam with a minimum score of 70 percent (70%). Physical Agility testing follows IMMEDIATELY for successful applicants. Bring appropriate workout clothes and shoes. After successful completion of the written exam and physical agility testing, an eligibility list will be established and will remain for six months, or until exhausted.

Preference in hiring may be granted to currently certified Paramedics.

Individuals with disabilities who will need reasonable accommodations to complete testing must contact the Civil Service Director at (972) 230-9601 at least two weeks prior to the scheduled test date. Documentation supporting the need for accommodation will be required.