

# POINT PLEASANT BEACH FIRE DEPARTMENT

## Engineers / Officers Requirements

### Standard Operating Guideline

#### **Purpose:**

The purpose of this guideline is to set standards and requirements for positions in the Point Pleasant Beach Fire Department.

#### **Scope:**

This guideline will be followed by all department personnel.

#### **Engineer/Officer Positions:**

- Engineers consist of:  
Chief Engineer, 1<sup>st</sup> Assistant Engineer, 2<sup>nd</sup> Assistant Engineer, 3<sup>rd</sup> Assistant Engineer
- Company Level officers consist of:  
Deputy Chief, Captain, 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant
- Department Level officers consist of:  
Department Chief, Assistant Chief, Safety Officers

#### **Qualifications:**

- Engineers:  
Engineers shall be company approved operators of company vehicles as per the Driver/Operator Standard Operating Guideline.

#### **Company Officers:**

- First & Second Lieutenant
  - Must have at least two years in the company and three years experience as a Fire Fighter.

- Must have New Jersey Fire Fighter Level 1 Certificate issued by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Fire Safety.
  - Must have passed Pump School.
  - Must have an I.M.S. Level 1 Certificate issued by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Fire Safety.
  - Must be FAST Level II certified.
- Captain:
    - Must have served as 1st & 2nd Lt. for at least one year respectively.
    - Must have at least three years in the company and five years experience as a Fire Fighter.
    - Must have New Jersey Fire Fighter Level 1 Certificate issued by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Fire Safety.
    - Must be approved operator as per the Driver/Operator Standard Operating Guideline.
    - Must have an I.M.S. Level 1 Certificate issued by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Fire Safety.
    - Must be FAST Level II certified.
  - Deputy Chief:
    - Must have served as Captain for at least one year.
    - Must have at least five years in the company and six years experience as a Fire Fighter.
    - Must have New Jersey Fire Fighter Level 1 Certificate issued by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Fire Safety.
    - Must be approved operator as per the Driver/Operator Standard Operating Guideline.
    - Must have an I.M.S. Level 1 Certificate issued by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Fire Safety.
    - Must be FAST Level II certified.

**Department Officers:**

- Safety Officer
  - Must have at least two years in the department as a Fire Fighter.
  - Must have New Jersey Fire Fighter Level 1 Certificate issued by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Fire Safety.

- Must have an I.M.S. Level 1 Certificate issued by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Fire Safety.
- Must have passed a Safety Officers Training class or its equivalent.
- Must be FAST Level II certified.
  
- Assistant Chief
  - Must have served as Deputy Chief for at least one year.
  - Must have at least six years in the department and seven years experience as a Fire Fighter.
  - Must have New Jersey Fire Fighter Level 1 Certificate issued by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Fire Safety.
  - Must be approved operator as per the Driver/Operator Standard Operating Guideline.
  - Must have an I.M.S. Level 1 Certificate issued by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Fire Safety.
  - Must be FAST Level II certified.
  
- Department Chief
  - Must have served as Assistant Chief for at least one year.
  - Must have at least seven years in the department and eight years experience as a Fire Fighter.
  - Must have New Jersey Fire Fighter Level 1 Certificate issued by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Fire Safety.
  - Must be approved operator as per the Driver/Operator Standard Operating Guideline.
  - Must have an I.M.S. Level 1 Certificate issued by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs, Division of Fire Safety.
  - Must be FAST Level II certified.