

Diamond Valley 2019 Engine Boss Trainee

Job Title: Engine Boss Trainee (with completion of Engine Boss Task Book in 2019)

Salary: Up to \$22/hr (Depending on deployments a bonus will be considered based on success of the DVFD Wildland Fire Program)

Position Description: Under direct supervision of the DVFD Engine Boss and/or Division/Group Supervisor/Strike Team Leader when deployed this position will assist in all aspects of wildland and prescribed fire operations including preparation, ignition, monitoring, holding, mop-up, and rehabilitation. This position will perform tasks to control and extinguish wildfires as needed when deployed on DVFD Engine 112 from 1 April 2019-30 September 2019. Will oversee/train other firefighters in the performance of a variety of projects such as tree removal, hazard fuel reduction, and prescribed burning.

Responsibilities:

- Serves as an Engine Boss (ENGB) Trainee committed to only DVFD Engine 112 on Wildland Fire Suppression Engine crew for CY 2019 fire season
- Oversees the collection of fire weather data, fuel and/or soil samples, map projects, and maintains appropriate records, including fire reports.
- Oversees the preparation of maps of fire perimeter to report fire progress over time.
- Observes and reports smoke transport and potential impacts on fire on resources and safety of Engine 112 personnel
- Oversees the collection and evaluation of weather, fuels, topography, and fire behavior data for wildland fires.
- Evaluates observed conditions and problems, makes preliminary determinations on the cause of problems noted, and provides results to higher-level personnel for analysis.
- Coordinates the operation of portable pumps, chain saws, and other common fire equipment.
- Coordinates the performance of tasks to control and extinguish wild fires as needed.
- Assigns responsibility for vehicle logs, maintenance and upkeep of all vehicles, equipment, or other fire related gear.
- Conduct classroom and field training of junior firefighters as required
- Will be assigned other duties as required to meet the needs of the organization.

Required Qualifications:

- Strong history of leadership experience working with personnel in the fire service
- Certified FF Type 1/ICT 5 (Task Book completed)
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- 2019 Red Card Holder (Passed Work Capacity Test)
- Previous deployment experience Type 1 or Type 2 incidents
- Completed RT-130 for 2019; and completed S-131, S-133S-211, S-212, and S-215
- Resides within the Diamond Valley Fire Special Service District and is deployable immediately from 1 April 2019 to 30 September 2019
- Certified Fire Instructure 1
- NIMS 100 and 700
- Physical Fitness Requirement: Ability to lift 60lbs overhead; carry up to 45lbs in addition to Line Pack for long distances; ability to be on your feet for long duration periods of 8-12 hours

Desired Qualifications:

- Structure Firefighter 1 Certification
- NIMS 200 and 300
- Military Preference applies for qualified candidates