

Illinois Department of Natural Resources Division of Forestry AD Application for IDNR Fire Crew



Name:			
Address:			
Cell Phone#:			
Email:			
Work agency & Location:			
Are you a Certified Prescribed Burn Manager? Yes No			No
If yes, provide your CPBM#			
Are you a structure fire fighter?	Yes	No	
Firefighter 1	1 65	140	
Firefighter 2			
Are you a Paramedic/EMT?	Yes	No	
·			
If yes, provide license expiration date:			

**NOTE:** As part of a crew you must be able to be away from home and work for at least 18 days. A crew will consist of 20 people. You are expected to carry out your duties as directed. You are expected to follow the chain of command.

If you do not have wildland training and/or experience you may still apply. However, you are required to complete the minimum training, NWCG S130, NWCG S190, and successfully complete the work capacity/pack test prior to mobilization. To get a better understanding of this program review the Fire Mobilization handbook. Additional questions can be directed to the Tom Gargrave, Forestry Fire Program Manager, at (630)399-3249 or tom.gargrave@illinois.gov.

Crew assembly is dependent on national fire activity, number of firefighters available, specific qualifications needed and IDNR's ability to post a crew.

If you are not an Illinois State employee, you will be considered an A. D. (Administratively Determined) employee. An AD is a temporary emergency employee for the USDA Forest Service. While IDNR will manage your records, training, experience, and red carding the Forest Service will pay your salary, expenses, and travel. As an AD you will have a package of paperwork to be completed prior to wildfire mobilization. The current pay rate for a Firefighter2 (entry level wildland firefighter) is \$19.52/hr. You can expect 12 to 16 hours per day.

EMAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION TO: <a href="mailto:tom.gargrave@illinois.gov">tom.gargrave@illinois.gov</a>

**NWCG Class Room Training:** 

**Red Card qualifications:** (If you have or have had a red card/incident qualification card in the last five years, include a copy of the master record from IQS/IQCS).

## Wildland Fire Experience:

Name of fire:	Year:	Your Position:
Name of fire:	Year:	Your Position:
Name of fire:	Year:	Your Position:
Name of fire:	Year:	Your Position:
Name of fire:	Year:	Your Position:
Name of fire:	Year:	Your Position:

What skills do you feel you bring to a wildfire crew:

Attach a copy of your Driver's License and 2 professional reference letters (see next page)

Click inside box to add drivers license

Click inside box to add reference letter 1

Click inside box to add reference letter 2