CFD MISSION STATEMENT

Our family serving your family to help mitigate the threat to life and property from fire, medical and other emergencies, through education, prevention, community preparedness and emergency response.
Fire Department Members must possess the following attributes:

1. Be between the age of eighteen (18) and sixty-five (65) years inclusive; Persons over 65 may continue to serve in specific capacities as approved by the Fire Chief;
2. Possess at minimum a valid Class Five (5) driver’s license. A Q Endorsement is required if a member is driving any apparatus equipped with air brakes. If a Member’s Driver’s license is suspended for administrative or criminal reasons the Member will immediately inform the Fire Chief;
3. Must possess Basic First Aid with Health Care Provider level CPR training. If the Member does not have this required training, they must obtain it at the first available opportunity after being employed;
4. Be legally entitled to work in Canada. The Fire Chief may request proof of such entitlement;
5. Be physically capable of performing assigned duties as a Member;
6. Be able to understand and follow oral and written communication in English;
7. Participate in certified programs respecting Fire Protection and Emergency Services;
8. Be willing to undergo a periodic review by an Officer respecting the Member’s fire protection skills and compliance with personal requirements;
9. Endeavor to develop knowledge of rules and regulations of the Fire Department and Municipality;
10. Be able to receive and respond appropriately to Fire Alarm and other emergency calls;
11. Endeavor to skillfully and safely operate and maintain Apparatus and Equipment including:
   a. Laying and connecting hose,
   b. Holding nozzles and directing water streams,
   c. Raising and climbing ladders,
   d. Using self-contained breathing apparatus,
   e. Conducting firefighting, suppression and rescue activities,
   f. Operating fire pumps,
   g. Operating ventilation equipment,
   h. Operating extrication equipment,
   i. Operating safety and warning devices detectors and other equipment,
   j. Driving fire department vehicles.
Application to join the
CLARESHOLM FIRE DEPARTMENT

Name:___________________________________________   Age:________________________

Address:________________________________________

Phone Number: (home) __________________________ (work) ______________________ (cell) ______________________

Length of time living in Claresholm:

Qualifications: (please note other fire department experience, related courses, first aid, etc.)

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Current Employer:

Will your employer give you time off to answer fire calls? Yes ☐       No ☐

Applicants Signature:_____________________________________ Date:___________________