



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

BATTALION CHIEF

Monthly Salary \$6,763-8,220 DOQ

The City of Rio Vista is currently accepting applications for the position of **Battalion Chief**.

Under administrative direction, directs departmental activities and supervises subordinates during assigned shifts in the operation and maintenance of fire stations, equipment and apparatus to include directing emergency rescues, fire suppression, fire prevention, communications, training and routine procedures.

The **Fire Battalion Chief** is a mid-management level class which reports directly to the Fire Chief and oversees all functions and operations of the fire suppression, and paramedic programs including emergency services, fire investigation and disaster preparedness activities. This class is distinguished from the next lower classification of Fire Captain by having full responsibility for all department program activities and supervision across shifts.

Education and/or Experience:

Any combination of education and experience that has provided the knowledge, skills and abilities necessary for a **Battalion Chief**. A typical way of obtaining the required qualifications is to possess 3 years as a full-time paid Captain and an Associate's Degree in a related field.

License/Certificate:

Possession of a valid Class B driver's license; possession of a valid Emergency Medical Technician certificate and valid CPR certification; State Fire Marshall Chief Fire Officer Certification, or equivalent combination of training and education. Consideration may be given for equivalent Fire Officer Certificates recognized by California State Fire Training through reciprocity. Ability to be qualified under CICCIS for applicable positions.

Compensation & Benefits:

The City of Rio Vista provides an excellent total compensation and benefits package with a 9/80 work schedule. This position is a member of the Mid Management Employees Bargaining Group:

- ♦ **Monthly Base Salary:** \$6,763-8,220
- ♦ **Health/Medical Benefits:** Medical through CalPERS, 90% employer paid, employee contributes 10% of the monthly cost of their selected medical plan.
- ♦ **Dental, Vision & Life:** City paid dental, vision and life insurance plans.
- ♦ **Retirement:** The City contracts with California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS), Classic Member: 2% at 55 formula. New Pers Member (PEPRA) 2% at 62 as per AB 340. The City participates in Social Security.

- ♦ **Administrative Leave & Vacation:** 60 hours per year of administrative leave. 12 days paid vacation for the first three years of service, maximum 25 days annually after 20 years of service.
- ♦ **Holidays:** 13 paid holidays and 2 paid floating holidays per year.
- ♦ **Sick Leave:** Accrued at the rate of 8 hours per month.

Detailed benefits information is available on the City's website at www.riovistacity.com under the Human Resources Department menu.

Final filing date:

To be considered for the exciting opportunity, a completed Employment Application must be received by the City. This position will remain open until filled or until a significant number of applicants are received. Interested applicants are encouraged to apply early as this position will close without notice. A City of Rio Vista application may be obtained online at <https://www.riovistacity.com/employment-opportunities/> or at City Hall, located at 1 Main St. in Rio Vista. RESUMES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN LIEU OF COMPLETED APPLICATION BUT MAY BE ATTACHED.

Processing:

All properly completed applications will be reviewed for minimum qualifications and only the most qualified individuals will be invited to continue in the selection process. The selection process may consist of the following components: practical exercise, oral interview and finalist interview. Prospective employee will undergo, and must successfully pass, a background reference check (including fingerprinting), physical examination and drug screen. Must show proof of United States (US) citizenship or authorization to work in the US.

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