

# SNOHOMISH COUNTY FIRE DISTRICT 17

## SINGLE-ROLE PARAMEDIC

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### HIRING PROCESS

- Application & resume review
- Panel interview
- Paramedic skills evaluation
- Physical agility, drug screening, medical & psychological exam
- Background & suitability assessment

### BENEFITS

- LEOFF 2 Retirement Program
- Employer contribution to deferred compensation
- 100% employee healthcare
- 85% dependent healthcare and medical expense retirement plan
- Longevity stipend
- Life insurance
- Educational Incentive
- 144 hours of sick leave
- 120-216 hours of annual leave (based on years of service)
- 50 hours of holiday leave per calendar year

### COMPENSATION

The 2023 hourly rate for Paramedic is:

\$25.20 to \$31.50 per hour (approximately \$73,584 to \$91,980 annually) DOE while working a 2,640 annual schedule

### JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

#### SUMMARY

Snohomish County Fire District 17 has at least ONE (1) immediate opening for the position of Single-Role Paramedic (SR-PM).



#### APPLICATION & DEADLINE

To view job description and/or APPLY:  
<http://www.gffd17.org/employment-volunteer-services>

All applications will be reviewed and considered immediately.

#### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- High School Diploma or equivalent
- A minimum of ONE year of Paramedic experience with a Fire District/Department, hospital-based, or private ambulance that routinely conducted ALS field treatment and transport services
- Possess and maintain a Washington State Paramedic certification and Snohomish County MPD approval within 90 days of hire
- Possess and maintain a current PALS and ACLS certification at time of hire (PALS requirement may be fulfilled by MPD-approved equivalent)
- Possess or ability to possess a Washington State Driver's License within 30 days of hire
- Possess or ability to possess and maintain an Emergency Vehicle Driver's Training (EVDT) certification
- Meet the District's physical qualifications and pass a background check, medical and psychological exams, and drug screening prior to appointment
- General knowledge of principles, practices, and procedures of EMS
- Maintain insurability to drive and operate a motor vehicle in Washington State
- Must be able to read, write, and speak the English language

#### COMMUTING REQUIREMENT

Employees of SCFD17 shall be responsible for limiting their commute on the day they are to begin shift to two-and-one-half-hours or less to the Fire District.



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### DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW

Snohomish County Fire District 17 (Granite Falls Fire), mere minutes from the Cascade Mountains and the Mountain Loop Highway, responded to 2,330 calls for service in 2021. With an estimated population of 13,649, SCFD17 strongly supports its community through fire prevention and public education services, positive engagement, school visits, CPR and First Aid training, blood pressure checks, address plate distribution, smoke alarm installation, and station tours/visits.



Located approximately 17 miles from Everett, the largest city in Snohomish County, SCFD17 provides safe, efficient and cost-effective professional response to the emergency and non-emergency needs of those within the 38.5 square mile service area, and adjacent districts under Interlocal Agreements, With two fully-staffed stations, adding a Single-Role Paramedic program is a natural and exciting next step for the District.

Operational staffing currently includes:

- Two Chief Officers
- 12 career Firefighter/EMTs
- 4 career Single-Role Paramedics
- Approx. 24 part-time personnel
- One office assistant
- Additional volunteers, including chaplaincy and support services

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### AREA INFORMATION

No matter when you head outdoors, you'll see something postcard-worthy, year-round. Granite Falls, named for the noteworthy abundance of granite in the waterfall gorge, is known for its astonishing beauty and access to hiking, biking, camping, fishing, snowshoeing, sledding, and endless recreational opportunities. Located between the Stillaguamish and Pilchuck Rivers, Granite Falls marks the beginning of the scenic 50-mile Mountain Loop Highway around the Western Cascades, where major attractions such as the ghost town of Monte Cristo and the Big Four Ice Caves draw visitors in warmer months.

Granite Falls, WA, full of small-town charm, friendly people, and Pacific Northwest style, is also near many picturesque towns and rural cities, including Snohomish, Arlington, Darrington, and Mount Vernon, all rife with vibrant main streets, farms, art, events, and outdoor activities north of the hustle of big-city life. Whether you stay home and shop locally, or venture a small distance beyond, you'll find lots to do and even more to see.

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