



## GOOCHLAND COUNTY FIRE-RESCUE & EMERGENCY SERVICES

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### New Member Expectations

- Successfully pass a thorough background and fingerprint checks.
- Successfully complete the interview process.
- Successfully complete the onboarding process (orientation, HIPAA, etc.).
- Successfully complete CPR training.
- Successfully complete a thorough health screening and physical.
- Register for, attend, and successfully complete the mandatory minimum training within 18 months of becoming a member of the Department.
  - Fire membership training requirements
    - Firefighter Level 1 – 140+ hours of classroom/practical training
    - Hazardous Materials training
  - EMS membership training requirements
    - Emergency Medical Technician – 150+ hours of classroom/practical training
    - Hazardous Materials training
- Attend at least four (4) company membership meetings per year, preferably more.
- Commit to at least 24 hours of Fire and/or EMS duty per month, averaged quarterly.
- Have and maintain health insurance coverage.
- Review and obey the Bylaws and Standard Operating Guidelines of the Department.