



# Job Posting

RDCK Fire Services  
Ymir Fire Department

## VOLUNTEER CAPTAINS YMIR FIRE DEPT

The Captain reports to the Fire Chief through the Deputy Fire Chief or Assistant Fire Chief. The Captain is responsible for directing the activities of volunteer fire fighters under his/her control and assumes command at an emergency incident until relieved of command at the discretion of a Chief Officer. The Captain ensures that a safe response to all incidents is a priority and that the response is appropriate to the resources at hand. The Captain directs the activities of volunteer fire fighters at an emergency incident as assigned within the incident command structure. The Captain ensures that firefighting equipment and fire department property are in good working order.

### REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS & ABILITIES:

- Thorough knowledge of firefighting techniques and practices
- Understanding of the Structure Firefighters Competency and Training Playbook
- Firefighting training programs including fire fighter safety Emergency response techniques
- Understanding of the Incident command system
- Knowledge of the RDCK Health & Safety Program
- Knowledge of the RDCK Standard Operating Guidelines, Bylaws and Policies;
- Knowledge of Health and safety hazards related to emergency and non-emergency operations
- The ability to help educate personnel regarding the significance of accident prevention and personal wellness using verbal & written communication skills
- The ability to respond quickly and use good judgment under stress in adverse conditions
- Assist with special projects , purchases and acquisitions
- The ability to assist with the minor maintenance of equipment
- Monitor the safety of all scenes & training activity on an ongoing basis

### REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS & CERTIFICATIONS:

- Minimum completion of all RDCK Truck Ready, Exterior and Interior requirements.
- NFPA 1001 FF2
- NFPA 1041 Fire Service Instructor 1
- Minimum of Team Leader or other Fire Officer Training (NFPA 1021 Fire Officer 1 standard preferred)
- ICS 200 preferred
- Train to the Structure Firefighters Competency and Training Playbook Standards of declared Fire Hall level
- Valid BC Drivers License appropriate to the class of vehicle being operated
- Satisfactory Criminal Record check and Drivers abstract

For a fully detailed job description please visit [rdck.bc.ca/jobs](http://rdck.bc.ca/jobs).

Please apply in form of a resume and cover letter detailing qualifications and experience relative to the position.

To apply, please complete our online form that can be found here: [Employment Application](#).

Applications will be accepted

**until 9:00am September 17, 2026**

*Thank you for your interest in working with the Regional District of Central Kootenay. All submissions will be acknowledged although only those individuals shortlisted to participate in the interview/testing process will be contacted. This posting may be used to fill other similar positions within the RDCK over the next six months.*

**For more information or to apply contact:**

250.352.1515 or visit [rdck.ca/jobs](http://rdck.ca/jobs)