

The Municipality of Huron East is now accepting applications for the position of:

Fire Chief Full-time, Permanent Position

The Municipality of Huron East, a dynamic and dedicated community of approximately 10,000 residents, is seeking applications for a key role within our team. Situated in the picturesque Huron County, our community showcase a delicate blend of lively urban areas, rural heartlands, and flourishing farmlands. Perfectly positioned 30 minutes west of Stratford and an hour north of London, Huron East prides itself on offering the exceptional level of services and opportunities our residents thrive on.

The Fire Chief is responsible for the overall operation of the Fire Department of the Municipality of Huron East. This includes fire prevention, fire suppression, hazardous materials incidents, auto extrication incidents, rescue, and all life and property saving functions with which the Department may be involved. The candidate will be responsible for purchasing, ensuring personnel receive appropriate training, and ensuring all health and safety regulations are in compliance. The Fire Chief is the Alternate Community Emergency Management Coordinator (CEMC) for Huron East.

What We're Looking for:

- Graduate of the Ontario Fire College, Company Officer Diploma or equivalent;
- Have NFPA 1021 Fire Officer I or able to obtain it by December 31, 2026;
- Completion of the Community Emergency Management Coordinator (CEMC) designation preferred;
- Must have ten (10) years of experience as a firefighter, five (5) years of experience as an officer, and five (5) years in a leadership role (as a Deputy Fire Chief or Fire Chief);
- Strong leadership skills with the ability to influence decisions and lead change;
- Extensive knowledge of applicable legislation;
- Demonstrated experience in the design, development and implementation of training programs;
- Sound judgment and excellent analytical decision making skills;
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills:
- Strong organizational skills to prioritize work load and perform tasks without direct supervision;
- Excellent interpersonal skills including the ability to work effectively in a team environment; and
- Computer proficiency in Microsoft Office and database applications.

What We Offer:

- Integration into a community-centric and forward-thinking municipal team;
- A competitive and attractive benefits package alongside three weeks' initial vacation allowance:
- The chance to make a tangible difference in our municipality's present and future.

Access to the full job description and further details can be found on the Huron East website (www.huroneast.com). This full time position offers an attractive benefit package and above average vacation allotment. The annual salary range for this position is \$120,500 to \$135,650.

Further information, including a complete job description, is available on the Huron East website (www.huroneast.com).

Applicants are asked to submit a detailed resume in confidence to the undersigned by **4:00** p.m. on Friday March 21, 2025. Early applications are encouraged, with qualified candidates considered as submissions are received.

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We thank all applicants for their interest in working for us, however, only those applicants selected for an interview will be contacted.

The Municipality of Huron East is an equal opportunity employer. Accessibility accommodations are available for all parts of the recruitment process. Applicants need to make their needs known in advance.