

# ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTS

## Used for FFI, FFII, and FAE

Please see below for a list of acceptable documents effective for the 2020 season and beyond

### 1. CAL FIRE Basic Fire Fighter Certificate

*The item that will qualify is a CAL FIRE Fire Fighter I – Basic Training certificate of completion signed by a Unit Chief. A valid CAL FIRE Fire Fighter I – Basic Training certificate must have been issued within the last five years as of the **final filing date** of the Job Advertisement. Incumbents who have worked in an appropriate class with CAL FIRE and have not had a break in service greater than 5 consecutive years do not need to obtain a new CAL FIRE Fire Fighter I – Basic Training certificate.*

### 2. California State Fire Marshal (SFM) Accredited FF I Academy or equivalent FF I Academy taught at a California *accredited* institution of post-secondary education recognized by the American Council on Education OR SFM Fire Fighter I Certification

*Items that will qualify are one of the following:*

- Academy course completion certificate
- California SFM California Fire Service Training and Education System (CFSTES) Fire Fighter 1 Certification
- International Fire Service Accreditation Congress (IFSAC) and/or National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualifications (The Pro Board) Fire Fighter 1 certification **and** Haz Mat FRO certification from an issuing body (i.e Department of Defense, Texas A&M, and other State or Providence State Fire Training Body) **and** CAL FIRE Basic

### 3. California SFM Confined Space Awareness Certificate

*Items that will qualify are one of the following:*

- California SFM Fire Service Training and Education Program (FSTEP) Confined Space Awareness course completion diploma
- CAL FIRE Confined Space Awareness
- International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF) Confined Space Operations for First Responders certificate of completion
- California SFM FSTEP Confined Space Rescue Operations course completion diploma
- California SFM FSTEP Confined Space Rescue Technician course completion diploma

#### **4. Hazardous Materials First Responder Operational Certificate**

*Items that will qualify are one of the following certificates of completion or higher level of training (not refresher, Decon, HAZWOPER, or Target Solutions):*

- California SFM FSTEP course completion diploma
- California CFSTES Fire Fighter 1 (2013) Certification
- California Fire Fighter (2019) Certification
- CAL FIRE Hazardous Materials First Responder Operational (FRO) Certificate
- California Specialized Training Institute (CSTI) Hazardous Materials First Responder Operational (FRO) Certificate
- IAFF Hazardous Materials First Responder Operational (FRO)

#### **5. Fire Fighter Survival (Structural)**

*Items that will qualify are one of the following:*

- California SFM FSTEP course completion diploma
- A CAL FIRE Fire Fighter Survival (Structural) certificate.
- IAFF Fire Ground Survival certificate

#### **6. CA SFM FFII Certificate**

*Items that will qualify are one of the following:*

- SFM California Fire Service Training and Education System (CFSTES) Fire Fighter 2 Certification
- International Fire Service Accreditation Congress (IFSAC) and/or National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualifications (The Pro Board) Fire Fighter 2 certification from an issuing body (i.e. Department of Defense, Texas A&M, and other State or Providence State Fire Training Body)

#### **7. CAL FIRE Company Officer Academy (COA) Certificate**

*The items that will qualify are one of the following certificates of completion:*

- CAL FIRE COA
- CAL FIRE Module 2A and 2B
- CAL FIRE 2A Challenge
- CAL FIRE Driver Operator Module

#### **8. CAL FIRE Fire Fighter Academy (FFA) Certificate**

*The items that will qualify are one of the following certificates of completion:*

- CAL FIRE FFA
- CAL FIRE Fire Fighter Module
- CAL FIRE Module 1A and 1B
- CAL FIRE FFA Challenge

## 9. Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) IS-100: Introduction to Incident Command System

*The item that will qualify is a FEMA IS-100 certificate of completion.*

## 10. FEMA IS-700: An Introduction to the National Incident Management System (NIMS)

*The item that will qualify is a FEMA IS-700 certificate of completion.*

## 11. FEMA IS-800: National Response Framework, An Introduction

*The item that will qualify is a FEMA IS-800 certificate of completion.*

## 12. CPR

*CPR cards must be current and valid as of the **final filing date** of the Job Advertisement.*

- A CPR card must conform to current California standards as set forth in Title 22, Division 9, Chapter 1.5 or AHA Guidelines
- A Healthcare provider level CPR and AED card equivalent to the standards of the AHA and approved by Local Emergency Medical Services Agency (LEMSA) is acceptable.
- To be valid, the medical/CPR card must have the essential elements on the card completed (e.g., student name, expiration date, instructor's name, and level of certification) as specified by the issuing agency
- A Basic Life Support Instructor card or CPR Instructor card is acceptable in lieu of a CPR card but it must conform to Title 22, Division 9, Chapter 1.5 or AHA Guidelines

The following cards/certifications do not qualify for credit:

- Heartsaver certificate of completion or card
- OSHA CPR certificate of completion
- Train the trainer certificate of completion
- Refresher certificate of completion
- Continuing education certificate of completion

### 13. Public Safety First Aid

*Public Safety First Aid training completion card or certificate of completion must be current and valid as of the **final filing date** of the Job Advertisement.*

- The training completion card or certificate of completion must conform to current California standards as set forth in Title 22, Division 9, Chapter 1.5
- To be valid the medical card must have the essential elements on the card completed (e.g., initial or refresher training and number of hours completed, date of issue, date of expiration) as specified by the issuing agency

### 14. Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)

*EMT cards must be current and valid as of the **final filing date** of the Job Advertisement.*

- Items that will qualify are an EMT card issued by California Emergency Medical Services Authority (**California State level**).
- **National Registry or local county cards will not qualify.**

### 15. Paramedic

*Paramedic cards must be current and valid as of the **final filing date** of the Job Advertisement.*

- Items that will qualify are a Paramedic card issued by California Emergency Medical Services Authority (**California State level**).
- **National Registry or local county cards will not qualify**

### 16. California Joint Apprenticeship Committee Candidate Physical Ability Test (Cal-JAC CPAT) Card

*The item that will qualify is a Cal-JAC CPAT card valid as of the **final filing date** of the Job Advertisement. Incumbents who have worked in an appropriate class with CAL FIRE and have not had a break in service greater than 12 consecutive months do not need to obtain a new Cal-JAC CPAT card and will need to attach a personal statement in lieu of a Cal-JAC CPAT card indicating your work history in an appropriate class.*

### 17. Honorable Military Discharge Paperwork

*The items that will qualify are one of the following forms:*

- Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD-214)
- National Guard Report of Separation and Record of Service (NGB-22)