NOTICE
PLANO FIREFIGHTER ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

The civil service entrance examination for the position of Firefighter will be administered as follows:

DATE: Tuesday, November 1, 2022
TIME: Check-in begins at 5:30 p.m. No one admitted to testing area after 6:30 p.m.
LOCATION: Plano Event Center located at: 2000 E. Spring Creek Pkwy, Plano, TX 75074
ELIGIBILITY: The eligibility requirements to be a Plano Firefighter are established by the City of Plano Fire Fighters’ and Police Officers’ Civil Service Commission and the Texas Local Government Code, Chapter 143. The following items represent part of these requirements.

Applicants must:
1. be at least 18 to 35 years of age at the time of testing (must have reached 18 years of age as of the date of the exam and not have reached 36 years of age as of the date of appointment);
2. be able to prove legal eligibility to work within the United States and work in this position within the State of Texas;
3. be able to read, write, and speak the English language; and
4. possess the following educational credentials prior to their first day of employment (Do not submit these documents with your pre-registration online application.):
   - a high school diploma or a high school equivalency certificate (GED);
   - current certification as a "structural fire fighter" by the Texas Commission on Fire Protection; and
   - current certification as an EMT-Paramedic or Licensed Paramedic by the Texas Department of State Health Services.

APPLICATION: Eligible candidates must submit an application to sit for the Firefighter entrance exam by completing an online application at either the City of Plano employment website or the Plano Fire-Rescue employment website no later than 11:59 p.m. CT, Monday, October 17, 2022. Forces of the United States may be eligible to receive five additional points if:
   - applicant earned a passing score of 70 on the written entrance exam;
   - applicant received an "honorable" discharge (general discharges under honorable conditions, etc. are not eligible); and
   - applicant submitted a photocopy of the DD214, undeleted (with sections 23-30) prior to the start of the exam.

PHYSICAL: For applicants that meet the eligibility requirements and earn a passing score of 70 or higher on the written exam, the physical ability test is scheduled on Wednesday, November 2, 2022, Thursday, November 3, 2022 and Friday November 4, 2022, weather permitting.

The eligibility list shall be in effect for one year from the date of examination, unless exhausted earlier.

LaShon Ross, Civil Service Director