

# **FIREFIGHTER/PARAMEDIC EXAMINATION/ENTRY LEVEL CITY OF NORTH OLMSTED**

The North Olmsted Civil Service Commission announces an examination for Entry Level Firefighter/Paramedic from 5/9/22 through 6/9/22 through the National Testing Network (NTN) [www.nationaltestingnetwork.com](http://www.nationaltestingnetwork.com).

Applicants may obtain extra credit points. See Entry Level Firefighter/Paramedic posting below for details.

Tri-C Agility Dates: 6/5/22; 7/10/22; 8/14/22

Stark State College Agility Dates: 5/15/22; 6/10/22; 9/18/22; 11/6/22

## **QUALIFICATIONS**

- U.S. Citizen
- Age 18 through 39 on appointment
- Valid driver's license
- High School Diploma or Equivalent
- Valid Ohio State Paramedic Certification upon appointment
- Valid Agility Certification from Tri-C or Stark State College upon appointment
- Candidates must pass written, physical, vision and hearing examinations. Candidates must also pass a background investigation, including a polygraph test, prior to being interviewed, and pass a psychological evaluation during and in conjunction with the interviewing process. For further information, see the Entry Level Firefighter/Paramedic posting below.

By order of the North Olmsted Civil Service Commission  
Chairman Aaron Campbell  
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**NORTH OLMSTED CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION ANNOUNCES EXAMINATION  
FOR ENTRY LEVEL FIREFIGHTER/PARAMEDIC**

**May 9, 2022 – June 9, 2022**  
through the National Testing Network  
[www.nationaltestingnetwork.com](http://www.nationaltestingnetwork.com)



Applications and further instructions may be obtained from National Testing Network **starting 5/9/22**. Questions can be directed to the Civil Service Secretary, Donna Eccleston at 440-716-4172

**DATE:** May 9, 2022 – June 9, 2022 through the National Testing Network (NTN). Candidates with a current NTN test score are welcome to submit their existing profile along with any extra credit documents to North Olmsted through NTN.

**SITE:** National Testing Network Test Center  
[www.nationaltestingnetwork.com](http://www.nationaltestingnetwork.com).

**SALARY:** \$59,088.38 starting salary for Entry Level

**AGE REQUIREMENTS:**

No applicants for entry-level appointment to the Fire Department as a Firefighter/Paramedic shall be eligible to receive an original appointment unless the person has reached the age of eighteen and has not yet reached the age of forty years of age or older and no person can be declared disqualified as over age prior to that time.

**REQUIREMENTS:**

All Applicants shall be citizens of the United States and those persons who have legally declared their intentions of becoming United States citizens. Copy of a valid driver's license from any state and high school diploma or GED equivalent **MUST** accompany application (uploaded for North Olmsted online at [www.nationaltestingnetwork.com](http://www.nationaltestingnetwork.com)). Only applicants passing all four phases of examination (video, mechanical reasoning, reading and math: passing scores are 70% for the video portion weighted at 25%; 70% for the mechanical reasoning portion, weighted at 25%; 70% for the reading portion, weighted at 25%; and 70% for the math portion, weighted at 25%) will qualify for further stages of the testing process. Those stages being a mandatory State of Ohio Paramedic Certificate requirements and certifications, polygraph test, medical exam, background investigation and psychological profile evaluation. Passing of a physical agility test from Cuyahoga Community College or Stark State College required prior to original appointment (is not needed to take the exam).

**APPLICATION:**

Applications and further instructions may be obtained from National Testing Network [www.nationaltestingnetwork.com](http://www.nationaltestingnetwork.com).

**ADDITIONAL CREDIT:**

Given to applicants obtaining passing score on the subtotal of all parts of the exam. Credit given for Honorable Discharge military service (1 point for each 6 months of active military service, up to a maximum of 10 points). Credit given for education: four-year college degree in fire safety management or public safety management equals 3 points; four-year college degree in any other field equals 2 points; two-year college degree in Fire Technology/Public Administration equals 2 points; any two-year college degree equals 1 point; Firefighter 2 Certification equals 1 point; Fire Inspector Certification equals 1 point; current physical agility certification validated prior to date of application equals 1 point. Such credit shall be awarded, upon submission of a qualifying State Certification and/or diploma from an accredited institution and **MUST** accompany application (uploaded for North Olmsted online at [www.nationaltestingnetwork.com](http://www.nationaltestingnetwork.com)); maximum 7 points.

**ADA ACCOMODATIONS:**

Applicants requesting accommodations to take the written test due to a disability **MUST** directly notify NTN.

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