

City of Milwaukee Fire and Police Commission
City Hall, 200 East Wells Street, Room 706
Milwaukee WI 53202 414-286-5000

2017 Firefighter Application – **Education Preference Points Claim Form**

Please Print Clearly

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

In accordance with Rule VIII, Section 6 of the Rules of the Fire and Police Commission, applicants who obtain a final passing score on any entry-level examination, and who meet certain criteria, *may* be entitled to additional points added to the final passing score.

Education preference points are awarded to candidates who have an Associate's degree in fire technology or Bachelor's degree in fire science from an *accredited* college or university. If you qualify, three points will be added to your final passing test score for an Associate's degree and five points will be added to you final passing score for a Bachelor's degree. This means you will place higher on the eligible list, which in turn, increases your chances of being hired.

If claiming preference points you must completed this claim form and submit it along with copies of all required documents to:

City of Milwaukee Fire & Police Commission
City Hall, Room 706
200 East Wells Street
Milwaukee, WI 53202

You may attach your claim form and required documents to your online application, return documents in person, have someone else return them for you, or return them by mail or email. The deadline for claiming preference points is **Friday, October 13, 2017**. This means that all required documents must be received at fpcjobs@milwaukee.gov, in our office, *or* postmarked by **Friday, October 13, 2017**. **Submit only clear, legible copies of the verification document(s) as we do not return them to you.**

You must submit a copy of your transcript showing school, degree, major and date of graduation to claim Education Preference Points. If you fail to do so, we will **not** contact you to correct the situation. Candidates are solely responsible for providing sufficient documentation. Documents should be stapled behind the upper left hand corner of this form, or emailed to fpcjobs@milwaukee.gov.

In all cases, the decision of the Fire and Police Commission is final as to the acceptability of documentation as proof of eligibility.

If you have any questions, you may contact the City of Milwaukee Fire and Police Commission at 414-286-5000.

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Check the appropriate statement(s):

I have an Associate’s Degree (or equivalent) with a Major in: _____

Name of School: _____

I have a Bachelor’s Degree with a Major in: _____

Name of School: _____

I do NOT wish to claim Education Preference Points

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____