

**NEW JERSEY  
CIVIL SERVICE  
COMMISSION**

**Fire Service Status Report**

**June 2026**

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## **FIRE CHIEF**

The current announcements were released on August 1, 2025. Oral Assessment Exercises took place on November 24, 2025. The lists were issued on February 25, 2026. Exam review was held on April 1 and 2, 2026. Jurisdictions included in the current announcement/examination cycle are:

|                |         |
|----------------|---------|
| Belleville     | PM3229G |
| Newark         | PM3225G |
| North Wildwood | PM3221G |
| West Orange    | PM3224G |

## **DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF**

The current announcements were released on December 1, 2025. Oral Assessment Exercises took place on April 29, 2026. This exam is currently being scored. Jurisdictions included in the current announcement/examination cycle are:

|                  |         |
|------------------|---------|
| Bloomfield       | PM4005G |
| East Orange      | PM3835G |
| Hamilton Twp.    | PM4007G |
| Hoboken          | PM2133H |
| Jackson FD #4    | PM3836G |
| Mount Laurel     | PM3837G |
| Roselle          | PM3838G |
| Teaneck          | PM2130H |
| Vineland         | PM2131H |
| Willingboro Twp. | PM4006G |

## **BATTALION FIRE CHIEF**

The current announcements were released on March 1, 2025. The written exam was administered on July 30, 2025. Written exam reviews were held in August and September. Oral Assessment Exercises took place on October 30<sup>th</sup> and November 1<sup>st</sup>. The divisions of TDAA and DARA are working diligently to come to a final agreement on the last remaining written exam appeals. Once the appeals are resolved we will issue the lists. List issuance is expected this summer. Jurisdictions included in the current announcement/examination cycle are:

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| Asbury Park   | PM2156G |
| Atlantic City | PM2151G |
| Bayonne       | PM2157G |
| Belleville    | PM2155G |
| Bloomfield    | PM2299G |
| Bridgeton     | PM2154G |
| Camden        | PM2158G |
| Carteret      | PM2148G |
| Elizabeth     | PM2161G |
| Hamilton      | PM2163G |
| Harrison      | PM2164G |
| Hoboken       | PM2165G |
| Jersey City   | PM2172G |
| Lakewood      | PM2147G |
| Millburn      | PM2166G |
| Mount Laurel  | PM2150G |
| Newark        | PM2174G |
| North Hudson  | PM2173G |
| Paterson      | PM2175G |
| Perth Amboy   | PM2167G |
| Plainfield    | PM2168G |
| Rahway        | PM2169G |
| Teaneck       | PM2152G |
| Trenton       | PM2170G |
| Union Twp.    | PM2171G |
| Vineland      | PM2149G |
| Woodbridge    | PM2153G |

### **Oral Assessment Administration Schedule:**

October 30, 2025: Lakewood, Hamilton, Trenton, Woodbridge, Elizabeth, Rahway, Plainfield, Mt. Laurel, Perth Amboy, Harrison, Bayonne, Belleville, Bridgeton, and Teaneck

November 1, 2025: Camden, Asbury Park, Carteret, Vineland, Bloomfield, Millburn, Newark, Union Twp, Jersey City, Hoboken, North Hudson, Paterson, and Atlantic City

## **2<sup>nd</sup> LEVEL FIRE SUPERVISOR**

The current announcements were released on February 1, 2025. The written exam was administered on May 22, 2025. Written exam review was held in July. Oral Assessment Exercises took place on November 17, 2025. The scoring project is now complete. The highlighted lists below were issued on May 20, 2026. The remaining lists will be issued after the previous symbols' lists are fully exhausted or reach their expiration date which is September 27, 2026. Jurisdictions included in the current announcement/examination cycle are:

|                      |                |
|----------------------|----------------|
| <b>Belleville</b>    | <b>PM1912G</b> |
| Clifton              | PM1917G        |
| Dover                | PM1919G        |
| Linden               | PM1922G        |
| <b>Hackensack</b>    | <b>PM1925G</b> |
| <b>Nutley</b>        | <b>PM2176G</b> |
| <b>New Brunswick</b> | <b>PM1983G</b> |
| Passaic              | PM1932G        |
| Teaneck              | PM1938G        |

# 1<sup>st</sup> LEVEL FIRE SUPERVISOR

The current announcements were released on February 1, 2025. The written exam was administered on May 31, 2025. Exam review was held. Oral Assessment Exercises took place on November 15<sup>th</sup> and December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025, January 7<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, February 7<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, and 28<sup>th</sup>, 2026. This exam is currently being scored. List issuance is estimated for the fall. Jurisdictions included in the current announcement/examination cycle are:

|                                  |         |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| Atlantic City                    | PM1909G |
| Asbury Park                      | PM1910G |
| Bayonne                          | PM1911G |
| Belleville                       | PM1946G |
| Burlington Twp.                  | PM1907G |
| Bloomfield                       | PM1914G |
| Bordentown Twp. Fire District #1 | PM1908G |
| Bordentown Twp. Fire District #2 | PM1947G |
| Bridgeton                        | PM1915G |
| Camden                           | PM1916G |
| Cape May                         | PM1948G |
| Clifton                          | PM1949G |
| Deptford Twp.                    | PM2298G |
| Dover                            | PM1950G |
| East Orange                      | PM1920G |
| Elizabeth                        | PM1921G |
| Ewing                            | PM1993G |
| Gloucester City                  | PM1952G |
| Gloucester Twp. Fire District #4 | PM1923G |
| Hackensack                       | PM1953G |
| Hamilton Twp.                    | PM1926G |
| Harrison                         | PM1927G |
| Hillside                         | PM1928G |
| Hoboken                          | PM1985G |
| Jackson Twp. Fire District #3    | PM1956G |
| Jackson Twp. Fire District #4    | PM1957G |
| Jersey City                      | PM1973G |
| Kearny                           | PM1992G |
| Lakewood                         | PM1958G |
| Linden                           | PM1959G |
| Long Branch                      | PM1960G |
| Margate                          | PM1961G |
| Millburn                         | PM1980G |

|                             |         |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| Millville                   | PM1981G |
| Morristown                  | PM1982G |
| Newark                      | PM1984G |
| New Brunswick               | PM1962G |
| North Hudson                | PM1974G |
| North Wildwood              | PM1929G |
| Nutley                      | PM1963G |
| Ocean City                  | PM1930G |
| Orange                      | PM1931G |
| Passaic                     | PM1964G |
| Paterson                    | PM1933G |
| Perth Amboy                 | PM1934G |
| Plainfield                  | PM1965G |
| Pleasantville               | PM1935G |
| Rahway                      | PM1936G |
| Ridgewood                   | PM1966G |
| Teaneck                     | PM1967G |
| Trenton                     | PM1939G |
| Union Twp.                  | PM1940G |
| Ventnor City                | PM1969G |
| Vineland                    | PM1941G |
| Voorhees Twp.               | PM1942G |
| West Orange                 | PM1943G |
| Wildwood                    | PM1944G |
| Willingboro Twp.            | PM1972G |
| Woodbridge Fire District #7 | PM1945G |

Jurisdictions testing will be released on this schedule: the November 2025 Fire Service Status Report will reveal the jurisdictions testing on 12/6/25. The December 2025 report will reveal the jurisdictions testing on 1/7/26, 1/10/26, and 1/24/26. The January 2026 report will reveal the jurisdictions testing on 2/7/26, 2/18/26, and 2/28/26.

The jurisdictions testing on 11/15/25 are Jersey City and Long Branch.

The jurisdictions testing on 12/6/25 are Hamilton Twp. and Newark.

The jurisdictions testing on 1/7/26 are Atlantic City, Bayonne, Kearny, Harrison, and Deptford Twp.

The jurisdictions testing on 1/10/26 are North Hudson, Paterson, and Hillside.

The jurisdictions testing on 1/24/26 are Trenton, New Brunswick, Camden, Ewing, Burlington Twp., Elizabeth, Woodbridge Twp. #7, Morristown, and Jackson FD#4.

The jurisdictions testing on 2/7/26 are Asbury Park, Voorhees Twp., Ocean City, Dover, Linden, Belleville, Union Twp., Pleasantville, Hackensack, Hoboken, Plainfield, and Gloucester City.

The jurisdictions testing on 2/18/26 are North Wildwood, Margate, Willingboro Twp., Bordentown Twp. #2, Gloucester Twp. FD#4, Jackson Twp. FD#3, Bridgeton, Millville, Cape May, Millburn, West Orange, Perth Amboy, Teaneck, Nutley, Wildwood, and Lakewood.

The jurisdictions testing on 2/28/26 are Vineland, Ventnor City, East Orange, Passaic, Clifton, Bloomfield, Orange, Ridgewood, Bordentown Twp. FD#1, and Rahway.

# ENTRY LEVEL FIREFIGHTER

**The 2024 Firefighter announcement opened at 12:00 am on July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024, and closed at 4:00 pm on September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2024.**

Candidates were emailed instructions on how to self-schedule their exam and access the test orientation guide on Friday, October 4, 2024.

The exam dates for the 2024 Firefighter announcement are:

**December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6pm,  
December 7<sup>th</sup> at 9 am and 1 pm,  
December 12<sup>th</sup> at 6pm,  
December 17<sup>th</sup> at 6pm, and  
January 7<sup>th</sup> at 6pm.**

**The 2024 Firefighter lists issued on Thursday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025.**

If your name is certified by an AA, a Certification Notice (CN) will be sent to the mailing address you listed on your application. Therefore, you **MUST** notify the CSC directly if your mailing address or email address changes from the one you entered on your application. If you receive a CN in the mail, you will be given five business days from the notice date to respond in writing to the AA that you are interested, or not interested, in the job. If you do not respond within this timeframe, your name will be removed from the certification, and you will no longer be considered for appointment.

After you respond to a CN that you are interested, you will receive an email from [PPTschedule@csc.nj.gov](mailto:PPTschedule@csc.nj.gov) that will have the Firefighter PPT Medical Clearance Form attached. You will be scheduled to take the PPT via the email address that you used to apply for the written examination. Once you are scheduled to take the PPT, you must report on your scheduled test date and time, with all required materials. Otherwise, you will be removed from **ALL** Firefighter eligible lists. **Please check your spam folder and/or add the email address [PPTschedule@csc.nj.gov](mailto:PPTschedule@csc.nj.gov) to your safe-sender list.**

**The PPT will continue monthly as needed.** Be sure that your list is certified as close to the promulgation date as possible and that your candidates are sent to [PPTschedule@csc.nj.gov](mailto:PPTschedule@csc.nj.gov) in a timely manner to ensure your candidates get tested in the quickest manner possible. If you are a new AA and need instructions on the at-time-of certification PPT please send us an email request to [PPTschedule@csc.nj.gov](mailto:PPTschedule@csc.nj.gov).

**The next Firefighter PPT administrations are tentatively scheduled to begin testing the week of Monday June 22<sup>nd</sup> and July 20<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at the Somerset Armory, 1060 Hamilton St. Somerset, NJ, or the Woodbury Armory, 658 N Evergreen Ave, Woodbury, NJ.**