

Timothy Oelker

Objective City of Aurora Civil Service Board

Experience 8 Years as a Chief Officer
2 Years as a Deputy Chief
26 Years Fire Service experience
Lifelong commitment to the Aurora Fire Department and the City of Aurora
Exemplary written and verbal communication skills
Three years annual departmental budget preparation experience

Major Qualification

- **Appointed Fire Chief November 2005**
Oversees all aspects of the Aurora Fire Department
- Appointed Deputy Chief April 2003
In command of the department in the Chief's absence
Overseeing budget
Personal
- Appointed Assistant Chief in charge of Operations January 2003
Supervisor of Training Division
Supervisor of Departmental Emergency Operations
Analyzes and updates Departmental Standard Operating Procedures
- Appointed Battalion Chief July 2000
Supervised six Fire Companies, including:
 - Daily operations
 - Emergency operations
 - Monthly training

Administrative Qualifications

- Assisted the Chief in the preparation of the Annual Budget 2004, 2005, 2006
- Monitors and authorizes departmental expenditures
- Department representative in Union contract negotiations
- Conducts internal investigations and disciplinary proceedings
- Designated Project Coordinator for new Fire Department Station's location, resource deployment and impact fee study
- Department Coordinator for Insurance Service Organizations Evaluation

Awards and Accomplishments

- Appointed to Deputy Chief, Administrative Assistant April 2003
- Appointed to Assistant Chief, Operations January 2003
- Appointed to Battalion Chief July 2000
- Promoted to Captain May 1996
- Promoted to Lieutenant May 1985
- Certified Paramedic June 1984 to December 1999
- Employee of the Month June 1992
- Letters of Commendation:
 - Oswego Police July 1996
 - Aurora Police November 1984 and March 1995
 - Ice Rescue January 1983
- Nominated Firefighter of the Year 1986

Education and Training

July 2005	Union/Management Partnership Workshop
February 2005	Chief Officers Focus for the 21 st Century, Office of the State Fire Marshal
November 2004	Work Force Development, Valley Industrial Association
July 2004	Unified Command, Illinois Fire Service Institute
September 2003	Integrated Emergency Management, National Fire Academy
December 2001	Emergency Response to Terrorism: Basic Concepts, National Fire Academy
November 2001	Incident Safety Officer
November 2001	ICS for Structural Collapse, National Fire Academy
November 2001	Intermediate Radiological Haz-Mat Response, Dept of Nuclear Safety
October 2001	Hazardous Materials Incident Command
April 2001	Fire Command School
June 2000	Hazardous Materials Operations
July 1999	75 th Annual Fire College, Illinois Fire Service Institute <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Coordinated Fire Ground Operations• Fire Scene Officer
April 1999	Fire Officer II, Illinois Fire Service Institute
February 1999	Winter Fire College, Illinois Fire Service Institute <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Management & Leading Change, National Fire Academy
November 1998	Fire Officer I, Illinois Fire Service Institute
May 1996	Dive Rescue II, Dive Rescue Inc.
January 1996	Surface Ice Rescue Technician, Illinois Fire Service Institute
May 1992	Officers Fire Ground School, Illinois Fire Service Institute
November 1988	Firefighter III, Illinois Fire Service Institute
February 1970 to May 1974	U.S. Navy, Underwater Demolition Team 11