

## Reference nr. 1933 : Fire and Emergency

# Operational support for the Firefighters Northland

There are 42 fire stations around Northland depending on volunteers. Almost anybody can join a Brigade, male or female, young or old, those looking for adventure or those just wanting to contribute to their community. There are opportunities for people from all backgrounds within a Volunteer Fire Brigade.

The Operational support members assist the operational Firefighters on the ground, by carrying out tasks that are non-hazardous to free up Firefighters for more specific tasks. These duties include:

- people and traffic control
- transporting of equipment, assisting the incident controller
- other duties that are not in the incident hot zone

### Training

Training is supplied and operational staff carry rank to ensure structure at an incident is maintained. Often the qualifications and skills that people gain from being a volunteer Firefighter, like a First Aid Certificate and class-2 drivers licence, are beneficial in other parts of their lives.

### Specific requirements

A security check is part of the recruitment process. Attending a weekly Brigade training night (7-9pm), and participation in Brigade activities is expected.

To express your interest use the "**Refer me**" button or click on the Fire and Emergency logo.

**When:** Any time

Duration: **Long-term**

Area: **All over Northland**

Activity: **Emergency services and First Aid**

25 volunteers needed



Police check



Reference provided after some time