

Chief Executive Officer

101.1 PURPOSE

This policy identifies the education, experience or certifications desired for the Fire Chief.

101.2 POLICY

It is the policy of the Blue Ridge Fire District to have a highly qualified Chief Executive Officer.

101.3 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Higher-level college degrees in public or business management, completion of the Arizona State University (ASU) Certified Public Manager (CPM), the ASU Management and Leadership Institute, the National Fire Academy Executive Fire Officer (EFO) and the Center for Public Safety Excellence Chief Fire Officer (CFO) programs as well as experience in chief officer positions enhance the professional credibility of candidates for the rank of Fire Chief.