SPRINKLER FITTERS U.A. LOCAL UNION 542

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February 10th, 2023

The Joint Apprentice Training Committee of Pittsburgh Sprinkler Fitters, U. A. Local Union 542 will be accepting applications for the Apprentice Training Program.

Applicant, **appearing in person** at the following location, to obtain application:

Pittsburgh Sprinkler Fitters U. A. Local Union 542 227 Stanton Avenue Pittsburgh, PA 15209 (Borough of Millvale)

Applications may be obtained:

March 13th, 2023, through March 31st, 2023 Monday through Friday From 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

AND

Saturday March 18th, 2023 & Saturday March 25th, 2023

From 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

There is a non-refundable application fee of \$25.00 which is payable upon receiving your application. Payments must be made in **CASH or Money Order ONLY** (NO personal checks or credit/debit cards).

Applicants must have a <u>VALID PENNSYLVANIA PHOTO DRIVERS LICENSE</u>. A copy of your license will be made at the time of application.

Completed applications must be returned to the union office **no later than** Friday, April 7^{th} , 2023. All applications must be handwritten. No typed applications will be accepted.

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Prior to applying, please review the following items:

- 1. Applicant must be at least 18 years of age to participate in the apprenticeship program.
- 2. Apprentice must be a United States citizen.
- 3. Applicant must have a dependable form of transportation.
- 4. Applicant must be a high school graduate or possess a G.E.D. diploma. A copy of the applicant's diploma or G.E.D. certificate must be provided at application time. Applicants must also provide a copy of high school grade transcripts or G.E.D. test scores prior to the interview process.
 - Applicants that are scheduled to graduate after the application period must provide a copy of their high school diploma, high school transcripts, G.E.D., and G.E.D. test scores NO LATER THAN July 15th, 2023.
- 5. Applicant must be physically able to perform the work of the trade. The work is dirty and noisy, and the worker is exposed to the heat and cold. Work is active and strenuous with prolonged standing, much walking, reaching, and lifting and occasionally working in cramped or uncomfortable positions and at extreme heights.
- 6. **Term of apprenticeship:** Five (5) years of on-the-job training plus related classroom instruction several nights a week.
- 7. If selected for the Apprenticeship Program, applicant will be required to submit to both a preemployment drug test and a physical/lifting exam.
- 8. Applicant will be required to take a written qualification examination.
- 9. Applicants who qualify based on the written examination will be granted a personal interview. Selection of apprentices will be based on qualifications without regard to race, color, creed, National Origin, or sex.
- 10. Upon completion of your application, you will be notified as to where and when to appear for your written examination.

If you have any questions, please contact the union office at (412) 822-8040 or email us at office@sprinklerfitters542.org.