

City of Cortez
Fire/Building Inspector

The City of Cortez has a position open for a full-time Fire/Building Inspector in the Planning & Building Department. Some of the responsibilities of the position are: conducts annual fire inspections; coordinates the inspection of hydrants, sprinkler systems, and fire prevention and protection systems; reviews and approves new construction for compliance with adopted codes; maintains data and records regarding fire inspections and prepares reports; assists Building Official as needed; assists in developing plans for emergency preparedness, hazardous communications, and training programs; responds to complaints on fire code violations; prepares quarterly reports for fire prevention inspections; and assists the Fire District when needed.

Qualifications are: ability to read and interpret various codes; knowledge of design and testing of various fire suppression systems; knowledge of fire, building, and mechanical codes; knowledge of inspection techniques; must be familiar with inspection and testing of fire sprinkler and commercial kitchen suppression systems; NFPA Certified Fire Inspector I with 2 years experience; ability to obtain IFC Fire Plans examiner or IBC Plans Examiner certification within 1 (one) year of hire; NFPA Fire Plan Examiner and IBC Certified Fire Marshall are preferred; must have a valid Colorado driver's license; and must be a high school graduate or equivalent. Beginning salary is \$14.37/hour.

Applications may be obtained from and submitted to the Southwest Colorado Workforce Center, 2208 East Main, telephone 565-3759, until 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 8, 2012.

All applicants must attach a current driving record with applications.