

**CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION - CITY OF STRONGSVILLE, OHIO
ENTRANCE EXAMINATION – FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Written Test - Saturday, December 2, 2023 - 9:00 a.m.

at

St. Joseph and John School
McGraw Hall
12580 Pearl Road
Strongsville, Ohio 44136

Physical Agility Test

Administered by Cuyahoga Community College
(Contact Cuyahoga Community College for testing dates)

See link below for more information and dates.

<https://www.tri-c.edu/workforce/public-safety/fire-ems-training/firefighter-physical-agility-testing/index.html>

The City of Strongsville will only accept certificates from the Firefighter's Physical Agility Test administered by Cuyahoga Community College with a passing time of 4 minutes 30 seconds or less. Only Certificates issued on or after November 27, 2022 will be accepted and must be submitted on or before December 8, 2023. All certificates will be subject to verification.

A passing score of 70% on the written test and a passing Certificate as required by the City from the Firefighter's Physical Agility Test, administered by Cuyahoga Community College, are necessary in order to be placed on the eligibility list.

1. All applications for examination must be made on the application form furnished by the Civil Service Commission. Applications are available beginning October 23, 2023 from:
 - Strongsville Municipal Offices, Civil Service Secretary, 16099 Foltz Parkway, Strongsville OH 44149 from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday thru Friday **except when City Hall is closed**; or
 - Downloaded from City website: www.strongsville.org, Human Resources tab; or
 - Applicants may apply online no later than Monday, November 27, 2023 by 4:30 p.m., on the City of Strongsville website: www.strongsville.org, under Career Opportunities.
2. Each applicant for admission to the examination must be a U.S. citizen and must have attained the age of nineteen (19) on or prior to the date of the Written Test.
3. Each applicant must be at least twenty one (21) years of age, hold a current valid Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic Certification and Fire Certification, Firefighter I and II from the State of Ohio by the date of appointment.
4. The City does not accept completed applications returned by mail or fax.

5. Completed applications must be returned in person to the City of Strongsville, Civil Service Secretary, 16099 Foltz Parkway between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., except when City Hall is closed, or filed online no later than Monday, November 27, 2023 at 4:30 p.m. Applicants may apply online on the City of Strongsville website: www.strongsville.org, under Career Opportunities. The Civil Service Commission has limited the acceptance of applications to the first 100 properly completed applications returned with other required proper documents to the City of Strongsville.
6. At the time that the application is returned to the City, the applicant must be a high school graduate and must present a copy of the high school diploma to the City of Strongsville Civil Service Secretary.
7. Applicant must have a valid Ohio driver's license and present a copy of it to the City of Strongsville Civil Service Secretary when the application is returned.
8. Before appointment, prospective appointees may be required to submit to a polygraph examination, psychological examination, drug screening, a physical examination, and a criminal background check may also be conducted.

An applicant will not be admitted to the examination unless the applicant's application has been properly completed and filed with the City according to all directions and requirements.

*David R. Knowles, Chairman, Civil Service Commission
City of Strongsville is an Equal Opportunity Employer*