



VOLUNTEER ROLE SPECIFIC STATEMENT

Role Title: **CREW LEADER**

YOUR OPPORTUNITY:

You will have the opportunity to join a team of like minded people to help protect your community's people and assets from the destructive force of fire.

PEOPLE WHO ARE PERFORMING THE ROLE SHOULD BE:

- Community minded.
- Able to work well with other people as part of a team.
- Willingness to develop a positive culture in your Rural Fire Brigade.

ARE YOU THE RIGHT PERSON FOR THE ROLE?

Mandatory Requirements:

- Eligible to apply for, or hold a Blue Card.
- An Australian Citizen or Resident, or working legally in Australia.

Highly Desirable Requirements:

- You need to have time available to adequately perform all of the functions of the role.
- You need to have a genuine interest in voluntary community work in general and the objectives of the brigade in particular.
- Ideally you have been an active operational firefighter member of the brigade for at least two years.
- You need to be respected within the community.
- You need to possess a good level of physical fitness.

YOUR DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- To support the brigade with operational and non operational duties.
- Act as Incident Controller or Sector Commander at Level One incidents.
- Follow lawful directions of the First Officer or Brigade Officer.
- Ensure the safety of brigade members.
- Attend brigade meetings and training events as required.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE ROLE:

- To be granted the status of Crew Leader and to wear the crew leader rank markings, members must complete Firefighter Advanced Skills (FAS) and Crew Leader training as described in the Volunteer Learning and Development Framework.
- The Crew Leader should familiarise themselves with and follow the standards contained within the Code of Conduct for staff and volunteers.

HUMAN RIGHTS STATEMENT:

- The details provided within this role description is compatible with QFES' obligations in relation to the *Human Rights Act 2019* (HRA).