

**2026 Hourly Compensation Rates for  
Unregistered Firefighter, Registered Firefighter, Deputy Fire Warden, District Fire  
Warden,  
and Equipment  
Per CGS 23-39**

***Hourly Compensation Rates based on Public Act No. 19-4, Effective October 1, 2019.***

Effective January 1, 2024, Connecticut's minimum wage will be tied to

[ECI Home : U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics \(bls.gov\).](https://www.bls.gov)

[Governor Lamont Announces Connecticut's Minimum Wage Will Increase to \\$16.94 on January 1, 2026](#)

<b><i>Resource Type</i></b>	<b><i>Former Rate Effective January 1, 2025</i></b>	<b><i>Current Rate Effective January 1, 2026</i></b>
Unregistered Firefighter	\$16.35	\$16.94
Registered Firefighter	\$18.00	\$19.00
Deputy Fire Warden	\$19.00	\$20.00
District Fire Warden	\$20.00	\$21.00
Truck, Pickup - FEMA Code 8807	\$27.78	\$18.71
Truck, Brush- FEMA Code 8810	\$35.87	\$35.75
Truck, Fire Tanker- FEMA Code 8692	\$100.49	\$98.04
Portable Pump - FEMA Code 8471	\$5.52	\$3.09
All-Terrain Vehicle (ATV) - FEMA Code 8081	\$19.07 (8089 no longer exists)	\$17.45

Hourly rates derived from FEMA Schedule of Equipment Rates for comparable equipment. See [Schedule of Equipment Rates | FEMA.gov.](#)