

Chief York,

I Michael Schafer, started with OPUD at Olivehurst Fire as a seasonal firefighter in 2009 after returning home from my tour in the U.S. Army. I worked my way up to full time Captain and worked continuously with Olivehurst Fire until 2015 when I left on good terms and in good standing with the district. This does not include my years of service as a volunteer and previous seasonal time with the district. My roots run deep with OPUD and the Olivehurst Fire department. I find myself blessed again to be re-employed with OPUD and the Olivehurst Fire department as a seasonal since November 2023 and now full-time member.

As a condition of my new full-time employment with the district I graciously ask OPUD, the Board of Directors, and the Fire Chief to grant me three (3) years of previous time for longevity and seniority purposes.

There have been vast improvements under the current Fire Chief and his outstanding relationship with the General Manager and The Board of Directors. I look forward to being part of the growth and supporting the community.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Michael Schafer.

