





#### 1. Name and Job Title

Al Jones, Captain

#### 2. How long have you been with the Rogers Fire Department

I have worked at Rogers for 12 years.

### 3. Where were you born and raised

I was born in Greenville, Mississippi and raised in Eudora, Arkansas – Located in the Southeast corner of Arkansas.

## 4. Why did you choose Rogers

I was advised to test for all departments in Northwest Arkansas. Rogers happened to be the first department I tested for and after testing and interviewing I knew it was the department for me. I valued the trust I saw between co-workers, the training, and the commitment to safety.

## 5. What do you love about your job

I love that every shift is different. You have to be prepared for whatever comes your way. I love the comradery I have with my fellow firefighters.

## 6. If you were talking to a friend that's considering working for the RFD, what would you tell them?

The City of Rogers, and the Rogers Fire Department are both a great place to work. The Rogers area is booming which means the department is going to continue growing. There is a lot of opportunity to promote within

the organization if you choose. The department is dually accredited in both Fire and EMS which is progressive. While some are accredited in one or the other, it's rare to find accreditation for both in the U.S. The process of becoming accredited guides our improvement as a department.



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