



**State of Nevada
Request for a Registered Apprenticeship
Program**

Occupation: Pipe Fitter-Sprinkler Fitter

**O*Net SOC Code: 47-2152-00
Rapids Code: 0414TB**

**Occupation: Fire Protection Systems Inspector
(Existing Title: Quality Control Inspector)**

**O*Net SOC Code: 51-9061.00
Rapids Code: 0936TB**

Summit Fire & Security

Summit Fire & Security, based in Reno, Nevada, operates as a wholly owned subsidiary of SFP Holding, Inc. Summit Fire & Security became part of the Summit family of companies in 2018 and operates branches throughout the United States. We have locations in 24 states, and this number is set to increase as the company continues to expand. At present, there are 117 registered fire sprinkler fitter apprentices across 12 states.

TIME-BASED, 4 YEAR, 8000 HOUR PROGRAM

Summit Fire & Security requests a 4-year, 8000-hour program—the recommended length for a time-based Sprinkler Fitter Apprenticeship Program by the Department of Labor.

We have chosen the American Fire Sprinkler Association (AFSA) for their nationally recognized fire sprinkler apprentice training curriculum. The American Fire Sprinkler Association (AFSA) is a nonprofit, international association that represents fire sprinkler contractors in merit shops. It is committed to the educational advancement of its members and the advocacy of the use of automatic fire sprinkler systems internationally.

TECHINICAL DEVELOPMENT LABS

In addition to some online instruction, apprentices at Summit Fire & Security complete their Related Technical Training at seven Technical Development Labs (TDLs) located throughout the country. Currently, the Reno branch will be the primary source of our intended apprentices in the state of Nevada, with a small percentage coming from the Las Vegas branch. Apprentices travel expenses are fully covered and are paid for every hour of related technical training.

TRAINERS

Our apprenticeship programs are instructed by six full-time trainers at Summit Fire & Security. Their qualifications encompass, but are not restricted to, NICET, Levels 1-3 in water-based systems, and/or fire alarm systems. Some individuals possess both state and fire sprinkler inspector credentials. Additionally, our trainers engage in Udemy continuing education courses that pertain to training and teaching methodologies, manufacturer training, and backflow prevention training. Some are also working toward their OSHA 510/500 certifications.