

## Jessica Hovland Fire Department

### How long have you worked for the city?

Eleven years.

### What are you currently working on?

The Fire Stat Report.

### Favorite thing about working for the city?

I have the privilege of working with an amazing group of people, who demonstrate the City's core values everyday. We work hard to provide for the needs of our community.

### Favorite Core Value:

Optimism. I believe optimism is important because it represents hope for the future and gratitude for the present. Find the good in every situation. Optimism is contagious.

### What do you do when you're not at work?

I enjoy many different activities. My three favorite places to be are in the kitchen creating new culinary treats, hiking a trail and snuggled up reading a good book.

### Dream vacation?

I would love a tear drop camper hooked to the back of my soft top jeep heading out on a road trip as far as my jeep could go. A map and some time to explore the natural beauty in the world.

### If I won \$1 million I would:

Do as much good in the world as I could.

### Favorite quote:

Kindness is free. Sprinkle that stuff everywhere.



### Fast Facts

Childhood nickname:

**Giggles**

Cannot start the day without:

**A tall glass of water**

Favorite app:

**Apple Music**

Favorite cereal:

**Homemade granola with fruit and nuts**

Next on your bucket list:

**Learn to play my Ukelele**

