

CITY LABORER IN PUBLIC WORKS

DEFINITION STATEMENT

Under direct supervision, performs a variety of general unskilled manual work in the construction and maintenance of roads, streets, utilities, parks, drainage facilities and structures, and other facilities.

DUTIES – EXAMPLES OF WORK

Excavates and backfills trenches with hand tools; loads and unloads trucks with heavy material; shovels snow, asphalt, cinder, rock, sand, ad gravel; spreads and rakes asphalt; sweeps streets; picks up debris and other refuse and places into truck or car; operates mechanisms for loading, compressing, and dumping materials; directs traffic; may wash interior and exterior of equipment; cleans garage and tools; mows grass, trims and cares for plants, shrubs and trees; may on occasion operate light equipment incidental to assigned duties; observes drains and culverts for flow and clear and cleans; cuts, removes and loads trees; may assist in weed control operations; paints fixtures, posts, and similar facilities; performs related duties.

QUALIFICATIONS

Good physical condition; ability to perform manual labor for extended periods of time; ability to follow oral and written instructions.

EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING

Any combination of experience and training equivalent to completion of the eighth grade; some prior experience in laboring or in construction work is desirable. Sixteen years of age or older. No operation of city vehicles unless in possession of a valid commercial driver's license.

Part Time, Hourly
Salary Range: \$15.90 per Hour
Grade C

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