

PARKS LABORER

Department: Public Works
Fund: General Fund
Title: Laborer
Classification: Full Time
Supervisor: Parks Supervisor
Pay Rate: Hourly

Position Summary:

Duties include operating and directing the operation of various types of heavy equipment, facilitating directives for the care of City parks and facilities.

Duties and Responsibilities:

1. Operate mowers, tractors, trencher, vehicles and equipment;
2. Utilize a variety of hand and power tools in park landscape maintenance work;
3. Assist in routine maintenance of such equipment;
4. Operate a weed eater, mower and loader or other equipment as necessary;
5. Prepare and maintain athletic fields, swimming pools and related facilities;
6. Clean restrooms and pick up litter around parks and medians;
7. Water, mow, weed trim, renovate and fertilize lawns;
8. Clean walks, fields, courts, and other facilities;
9. Perform unskilled and semi-skilled tasks involving the maintenance, construction and repair of park and recreational facilities;
10. Perform manual labor including lifting heavy weights, stooping, bending and twisting;
11. May assist in other sections of the department as necessary; and
12. Perform other such duties as may be assigned

Required Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

Knowledge of uses and purposes of general construction tools and equipment; safe work practices. Ability to perform unskilled and semi-skilled tasks in a variety of construction and maintenance activities; perform heavy manual labor; learn to operate a variety of construction and maintenance equipment; understand and carry out oral and written directions; establish and maintain effective working relationships with those contacted in the course of work. Laborer works a 40-hour workweek. Candidate must have the ability to work in hot and cold weather conditions.

Experience and Training: High School diploma or equivalent

Required Certificates and Licenses: Valid Texas motor vehicle operator's license