

JOB DESCRIPTION

Department Department of Public Works

Location Roger Prange, 8600 Green Bay Road, Pleasant Prairie WI 53158

Job Title DPW - PT Parks Landscaper

Classification Hourly/Non-exempt

Pay Range \$18.20 - \$22.76/hour PT75

Job Summary

The DPW Parks Landscaper reports to the Parks Crew Leader and the Superintendent of Parks. The primary responsibility of this position is to maintain the green spaces, landscape, and parks within the Village of Pleasant Prairie Community. Duties of this position are, but not limited to: operating various equipment such as a lawnmower, weed trimmer, hedge trimmer, bed edger, brush chipper pick-up truck, tractor; effectively using manual maintenance equipment such as a shovel, rake, hoe, pole saw, broom, etc.; installing landscape gardens and maintenance of existing landscape gardens; maintenance of parks and municipal facilities; painting of building exteriors and interiors; roadside mowing and pickup; preventative maintenance on parks equipment; and cleaning of Park restrooms/facilities. Assist in snow plow operations in winter months.

Job Duties

- Ability to prune, fertilize, edge, mulch, and apply weed killer to Village landscaping.
- Ability to plant trees and shrubs.
- Ability to operate a small tractor, lawnmower, weed trimmer, hedge trimmer, roto-tiller, bed edger, and brush chipper.
- Ability to use manual maintenance equipment such as a shovel, rake, hoe, pole saw, broom, etc., for an extended period of time.
- Ability to effectively communicate with co-workers and the public.
- Knowledge of automated lawn sprinkler systems.
- Maintain parks equipment (sharpen blades, grease equipment, etc.).
- Perform minor maintenance on equipment/vehicles (change tire, oil change, etc.)
- Ability to work independently or as a team.
- Ability to present a cheerful and positive image to citizens using Village parks facilities.
- Ability to work varying shifts.
- Assist in recreation activities as directed.
- Ability to safely drive a pickup truck with a trailer attached forward and backward.
- Ability to work for long periods of time requiring sustained physical activity and concentration.
- Ability to operate water hydrants and connect hose couplings.
- Capable of performing essential job functions at a safe level with reasonable accommodations.
- Must be familiar with the location of Village parks, sewer stations and lift stations.
- Must be able to lift and empty a 50-gallon trash barrel with a minimum of one person to assist.
- Ability to operate a one ton plow truck or skid steer.
- Any other assignments assigned by supervisor.

Physical Requirements

- Ability to work outside for an extended period of time, in areas of noxious odors, in wet or muddy areas, and able to tolerate fluctuations in temperature while performing duties.
- Essential job functions of this position require a significant amount of standing, walking, sitting, pushing, pulling, stooping, crouching, kneeling, reaching, climbing and lifting and carrying a range of weight up to 100 pounds.
- Regular scheduled hours will vary.
- Scheduled evening and weekend work may be required.
- This is a part time position scheduled year round working 1,560 hours per year with an annual average of 30 hours per week.

Requirements - educational, certifications and experience

- Must be 18 years or older.
- High School Diploma or equivalent.
- Possession of a valid Commercial Driver's License within 90 days of employment.
- Education with specialty in Horticulture or related field.
- Chemical Applicator license Will train applicant.

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