General Statement of Duties

Performs supervisory duties over skilled and semi-skilled trades workers involved in the construction, maintenance, and repair to City facilities.

Distinguishing Characteristics

This class performs supervisory duties over skilled and semi-skilled trades workers. This class is distinguished from the Operations Supervisor that performs supervisory duties over working supervisory employees and/or non-supervisory employees involved in the operation, construction, maintenance, and/or repair of City facilities, infrastructure, parks, and urban forests or in the collection and disposal of solid waste. The Construction and Maintenance Supervisor is also distinguished from the Facilities Superintendent that performs second level supervisory duties over skilled trade employees involved in maintenance, repair or construction of city facilities.

Guidelines, Difficulty and Decision-Making Level

Guidelines are in the form of stated objectives for the section, unit, function, or project.

Work assignment is generally unstructured and employee is responsible for assigning and supervising a variety of functions to achieve the objectives of the section, unit, or project. Duties performed involve weighing and evaluating factors requiring judgment, analytical ability, and problem solving.

Employee is responsible for simultaneous coordination.

Level of Supervision Received & Quality Review

Under administrative supervision, the employee has personal accountability for carrying out an assigned function, program, or project within the scope of established guidelines and objectives and is expected to resolve problems that arise in the normal course of the work. Completed work is generally reviewed for soundness of judgment, conclusion, adequacy, and conformance to policy.

Interpersonal Communication & Purpose

Contacts are of a non-prescribed nature involving the negotiation and resolution of problems and where exceptional degrees of discretion, judgment, and specialized knowledge are required in carrying out the programs and policies of an organization.

Level of Supervision Exercised

Supervises two or more skilled and semi-skilled trades workers.

Essential Duties

Supervises staff members involved in the construction, maintenance, and repair to City facilities, supports a department’s mission and goals, and recommends process improvements and changes in practices and procedures to increase operating efficiency and expedite work flow.

Plans, assigns, and evaluates the work of staff members, provides technical expertise to staff, and establishes unit and staff work goals and objectives.

Implements safety standards and develops procedures to ensure compliance.
Prepares cost estimates and recommends acceptance, rejection, or modification of contracted work.

Coordinates projects with other trades areas.

Requisitions materials and equipment and maintains records on required and completed work repair.

Reviews, develops, and/or modifies work plans, methods, and procedures, determines work priorities, and develops work schedules to provide adequate staff coverage. Provides work instruction, assists employees with difficult and/or unusual assignments, and encourages innovation. Assigns and distributes work, reviews work for accuracy and completeness, and returns assignments with recommendations for proper completion.

Conducts hiring interviews and selects candidate(s) for job opening(s).

Resolves problems, mediates conflicts encountered during daily operations, determines appropriate solutions, and promotes teamwork. Encourages regular communication and informs staff of relevant business issues and their impact on the organization.

Develops goals, documents performance, provides performance feedback and formally evaluates the work of the employee; provides reward and recognition for proper and efficient performance. Assists staff to achieve performance standards and identifies opportunities for continual improvement to performance standards.

Ensures quality, effectiveness, and efficiency of unit activities and safety measures.

Documents causes for disciplinary action, initiates letters of reprimand, and makes formal recommendations for disciplinary action. Responds to formal and informal employee grievances and prepares written responses.

Performs other related duties as assigned.

Any one position may not include all of the duties listed. However, the allocation of positions will be determined by the amount of time spent in performing the essential duties listed above.

**Competencies**

**Decision Making** – Specifies goals and obstacles to achieving those goals, generates alternatives, considers risks, and evaluates and chooses the best alternative in order to make a determination, draw conclusions, or solve a problem.

**Delivering Results** - Sets high standards for quality, quantity, and timelines. Focuses on customer needs and satisfaction. Consistently achieves project goals.

**Influencing** - Collaborates with, persuades and influences others.

**Reading** - Understands and interprets written material including technical material, rules, regulations, instructions, reports, charts, graphs, or tables and applies what is learned from written material to specific situations.

**Technical Competence** – Uses knowledge that is acquired through formal training or extensive on-the-job experience to perform one’s job; works with, understands, and evaluates technical information related to the job; advises others on technical issues.

**Coaching** - Provides others with clear direction, motivates, and empowers. Recruits staff of a high caliber and provides staff with development opportunities and coaching.
Written Communication – Composes, reviews, edits, and issues written materials for diverse audiences and communicates purpose in a succinct and organized manner that is appropriate for context, time, and place.

**Knowledge & Skills**

Knowledge of safety practices and precautions sufficient to be able to supervise, train, and provide safety instructions to subordinates and others and to recognize and correct hazardous situations.

**Education Requirement**

Graduation from high school or the possession of a GED, HiSET or TASC Certificate.

**Experience Requirement**

Three (3) years of experience as a journey level skilled trades worker in construction and maintenance.

**Education & Experience Equivalency**

Additional appropriate education may be substituted for the minimum experience requirements.

**Licensure & Certification**

This job requires driving. Requires a valid Driver’s License at the time of application.

By position, requires a Class "A" Construction Certificate at the time of application to obtain permits for the agency.

Licenses and certifications must be kept current as a condition of employment.

**Working Environment**

Potential exposure to temperature changes: variations in temperature from hot to cold.
Potential exposure to hazards from electro/mechanical/power equipment.
Noise: sufficient to cause distraction or possible hearing loss.
Occasional pressure due to multiple calls and inquiries.
Personal Safety: aware of surroundings, people, and events.
Subject to many interruptions.

**Level of Physical Demand**

3-Medium (20-50 lbs.)

**Physical Demands**

(Physical Demands are a general guide and specific positions will vary based on working conditions, locations, and agency/department needs.):

Balancing: maintaining body equilibrium to prevent falling over.
Carrying: transporting and object; usually by hand, arm, or shoulder.
Climbing: ascending or descending objects usually with hands and feet.
Eye/Hand/Foot Coordination: performing work through using two or more.
Field of Vision: ability to adjust vision to bring objects into focus.
Fingering: picking, pinching, or otherwise working with fingers.
Handling: seizing, holding, grasping, or otherwise working with hand(s).
Hearing: perceiving the nature of sound by the ear.
Lifting: raising or lowering objects weighing no more than 50 pounds, from one level to another.
Mental Demands: mathematical reasoning, memorization, oral comprehension, spatial orientation, and written comprehension.
Reaching: extending the hand(s) and arm(s) in any direction.
Repetitive Motions: making frequent movements with a part of the body.
Standing: remaining on one’s feet in an upright position.
Talking: Expressing or exchanging ideas by means of spoken words.
Vision Far acuity: ability to see clearly at 20 feet or more.
Vision Near acuity: ability to see clearly at 20 inches or less.

**Background Check Requirement**

Criminal Check
Employment Verification
By position, Motor Vehicle Record
Licenses/Certification

**Assessment Requirement**

Labor and Trades Supervisor

**Probation Period**

Six (6) months.

**Class Detail**

Pay Grade: J-810
FLSA Code: Y
Management Level: 7
Established Date: 9/21/2018
Established By: Lori Schumann
Revised Date: 6/11/2019
Revised By: Ryland Feno
Class History:
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