

LABORER HEAVY

Code No.: 4-11-017

Seasonal: 4-11-052

LABOR

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: This is a generic laboring title used for a variety of positions which are found in a number of organizations. The duties performed are primarily of a manual and unskilled nature requiring physical endurance (stamina) and a willingness to do heavy laboring tasks and to work outside in all kinds of weather. This employee may work in a trainee capacity or may assist a higher level equipment operator or semi-skilled worker in the performance of their duties. The work is performed under general supervision of a higher level employee. Supervision of others is not a responsibility of this class. Does related work as required.

TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES: (All need not be performed in a given position. Other related activities may be performed although not listed.):

Loads and unloads trucks;

Rakes, tamps and shovels asphalt;

Repairs manholes, catch basins;

Assists in sewer repairs;

Cleans sewers and inspects for structural problems;

Assists mechanics with basic repairs to trucks and equipment;

Cleans and flushes catch basins;

Cleans and shampoos rugs and mops floors;

Plows and shovels snow from streets, parks and recreational areas;

Patrols zoo checking for injured, sick, fighting or dead animals;

Mops and sweeps zoo buildings and bath houses;

Paints and makes minor repairs to public use equipment;

Collects trash;

Cuts grass and rakes and blows leaves; splits wood;

Cleans lodges, bathrooms, animal enclosures, etc.;

Maintains facilities for beach area, skating rinks and campgrounds;

Repairs holes in roads and parking lots;

Prunes trees and bushes;

Moves tables, benches, office equipment, furniture, etc.;

Cements foundations for grills, playground equipment, signs, sheds, gate posts;

Plants flowers and weeds gardens.

FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGES, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS: Working knowledge of specific hazards and safety precautions in operating equipment and vehicles; willingness to perform routine heavy manual work; willingness to work under all weather conditions; ability to lift heavy weights; ability to follow oral instructions; ability to maintain effective working relationships with other employees; good judgment; reliability; physical condition commensurate with the demands of the position.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT: Possession of a valid New York State Motor Vehicle Operator's license may be required by certain departments. Candidates must pass a medical examination approved by the County of Monroe.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT FOR APPOINTMENT IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND BOCES

Per Chapter 180 of the Laws of 2000, and by Regulations of the Commissioner of Education, to be employed in a position designated by a school district or BOCES as involving direct contact with students, a clearance for employment from the State Education Department is required.

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