

CLASSIFIED JOB DESCRIPTION

IRRIGATION SPECIALIST

JOB SUMMARY:

Under general supervision, performs skilled gardening/maintenance work on assigned ground areas in planting, cultivating, and maintaining lawns, plants, shrubs and landscaped grounds and gardens in parks or landscaped areas; drives motorized equipment and trucks; performs in a variety of skilled and semi-skilled tasks involved in irrigation system installation and maintenance.

ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS:

- Maintains irrigation systems.
- Installs/designs irrigation systems, i.e. sprinkler lines/heads and related equipment.
- Procures materials, supplies, and equipment.
- Operates gardening and grounds equipment (hand and power), truck, tractor, trenchers, and attachments.
- Inspects irrigation systems.
- Documents reports and forms.
- Directs/oversees others and less experienced employees in the absence of the Grounds Supervisor in irrigation projects.
- Performs other duties as assigned.

ESSENTIAL JOB REQUIREMENTS - QUALIFICATIONS:

- Evidence of successful experience in groundskeeping, general maintenance, irrigation systems, planning, installation and maintenance; general farm work including some experience operating power and motorized equipment; and irrigation systems.
- Ability to operate power sweeper, truck, tractor, dump truck, lawn mowers, and edgers; repair and maintain garden tools; read blueprints; estimate time and material for job orders; follow oral and written directions; and work well with other people.
- Knowledge of groundskeeping; watering, spading, and lawn cutting procedures; irrigation methods, equipment, and tools. Mechanical aptitude.
- High school diploma or GED required.
- Possession of valid California driver's license and a valid Class A driver's license. Must have a good driving record and be insurable under the District's insurance program; must maintain insurability.

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Classified Salary Schedule: Range 30
BOARD APPROVED: 10/01/96
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07/17/23
08/09/2023