NOTICE OF POSITION VACANCY

PARK LABORER
29.5 HRS, 4.5 DAYS PER WEEK INCLUDES WEEKENDS
SALARY $13.00-$14.50 PER HOUR

Definition:
Manual work assisting in the maintenance of the Parks and Recreation Department; all other related work as required.

Essential Functions:
Maintains the City’s parks and recreational facilities and grounds; mows and trims fields; rakes leaves; trims trees and brush; spreads loam and grass seeds; splits wood; loads, unloads material, equipment and supplies; picks up carries and loads refuse; removes snow; prepares fields for play; maintains field houses and bathrooms; picks up debris; assists in maintaining the swimming and wading pools; assists and performs small construction, plumbing, field restoration and painting projects; builds fences and constructs various courts and play area. Perform minor maintenance on equipment (greasing, changing oil, spark plugs, filters, etc.). Performs similar or related work as required or as situation dictates.

Education and Experience:
High school diploma or equivalency; any equivalent combination of education and experience. Valid Massachusetts Class D Motor Vehicle Operator’s License required.

Knowledge, Ability and Skill:
Working knowledge of the hazards and safety precautions involved in work performed. Some knowledge of the practices, tools and equipment commonly used in the maintenance of parks and recreation facilities and grounds. Ability to operate power hand tools and equipment such as a power lawn mower, lawn tractor and snow blower. Ability to understand and follow oral instructions.

Physical Requirements:
Moderate to strenuous physical effort generally required. Frequently lift weight up to 30 lbs. and occasionally lift weight of up to 60 lbs. or more. Eyesight and hearing at or correctable to “normal ranges”.

To Apply:
Applicants who wish to be considered for this position may submit application to the Personnel Department, Easthampton Municipal Building, 50 Payson Ave, Easthampton, MA 01027 on or before closing date.

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