RIGHT OF WAY CREW CHIEF

Summary:
Under general supervision, performs semiskilled and minor supervisory work in the maintenance of City rights-of-way. Gives direction to the employees of a lower classification assigned to them as laborers.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

A. Maintenance/Repair Work (70%)

- Maintains and cleans streets and gutters.

- Cuts, weed eats, and removes litter, trees, brush and other debris in the city rights-of-way.

- Accomplishes minor repairs as required and directed.

- Collects and disposes of trash and/or debris as directed.
B. **Supervision (30%)**

- Supervise the laborer and or laborers assigned to ensure daily assignments are completed as directed.

C. **Performs other reasonably related duties in a safe manner as assigned by the Director**

**JOB SPECIFICATIONS**

**Qualifications:**

- Must have education level equivalent to a high school diploma.
- Must have experience with zero turn mowers, weed eaters, chainsaws and other lawn care equipment.
- Supervisory experience preferred.
- Must possess a valid driver’s license and have an acceptable driving record.
- Must possess a Class B Commercial Driver’s License.
- Must maintain regular attendance on the job.
- Must be able to work on-call and overtime as necessary.

**Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:**

- Knowledge of the traffic laws, ordinances and rules involved in the operation of motor vehicles.
- Knowledge of occupational hazards and applicable safety precautions in general construction and maintenance operations, particularly as these requirements relate to work around construction equipment and traffic control around the work site (flagmen, barricades, cones, signs, etc.)
• Ability to operate various types of equipment normally used in the right of way department (mowers, weed eaters, chainsaws, etc.).

• Ability to comprehend and execute written and oral instructions.

• Mechanical abilities to meet the requirements of the job.

• Ability to direct the work of subordinates assigned for specific tasks or projects and to accomplish assignments in an efficient and workmanlike manner.

• Ability to maintain an effective working relationship with other employees.

• Knowledge of geography of the city, including the locations of streets or the ability to acquire this knowledge rapidly.

**Physical Characteristics:**

• See well enough to interpret routine hand signals and detect oncoming traffic.

• Hear well enough to detect warning horns and signals.

• Have ability to move freely about the job site.

• Have ability to lift 100 pounds.

• Have the ability to work year round in all types of weather.

• Have the ability to move in and around confined spaces and rough terrain.

*May be learned on the job*