CITY OF PERRY, GEORGIA

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

POSITION OPENING: 20-26
Post Dates: 12/27/19 – 1/10/20

Classification Title: Equipment Operator Trainee or Equipment Operator I
(One position available – Classification depends on qualifications and experience)

Salary Range: $24,100 - $32,600 (Equipment Operator Trainee)
$26,300 - $37,100 (Equipment Operator I)

Location: Public Works

Term of Appointment: Regular full-time

Probationary Period: 12 months

GENERAL NATURE OF WORK:
Employees in this classification perform a variety of manual and semi-skilled construction, maintenance, repair and labor activities involving the operation of equipment and tools used in maintaining and repairing city streets, sidewalks, drainage systems, rights-of-way and related infrastructure.

EXAMPLES OF TASKS:
- Mows grass, operates weed-eater, rakes, and shovels and performs other street maintenance activities.
- Clears vegetation, brush, storm damage and debris which may involve the use of chain saws, hand tools and related equipment.
- Removes litter and debris from roadways, curbs, shoulders, medians, sidewalks and other City rights-of-way.
- Assists in maintaining traffic markings, in erecting and repairing signage, in painting lines and curbs, etc.
- Ensures that equipment and tools are cleaned and returned to designated locations at the end of each day/shift.
- Performs other duties as assigned.

WORKING ENVIRONMENT AND PHYSICAL DEMANDS:
- Work is performed outdoors under dirty, uncomfortable, noisy and hazardous conditions and in all types of weather conditions.
- Duties require good eye-hand coordination and the ability and stamina to perform heavy manual physical labor, move items weighing in excess of 50 lbs. on a repetitive basis, as well as the ability to crawl, climb, bend, twist, stoop, kneel and maintain such activities throughout a work shift.
- Work also involves equipment operation in residential areas as well as in heavy traffic.
- Weekend, holiday, and after-hours work are sometimes required, as well as after-hours response and emergencies.

EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING REQUIREMENTS:
Equipment Operator Trainee
- Must be at least eighteen (18) years of age.
- Be able to report to job site.
- Able to obtain Georgia driver’s license.

Equipment Operator I
- Zero to three (3) years increasingly responsible experience in the operation of light, medium and heavy duty equipment; or any equivalent combination of education, training and experience which provides the requisite knowledge, skills and abilities to perform this job.
- Must possess and maintain a valid Georgia Driver’s License throughout employment.
- Must maintain an acceptable Motor Vehicle Record (MVR) throughout employment.
- Must maintain a State of Georgia certification in flagging and directing traffic throughout employment.

This position requires pre-employment, post accident, and random drug screening.

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