

# City of Powell

## Job Description



<b>Title:</b> Seasonal Parks Maintenance Worker	<b>Code:</b> 608
<b>Division:</b> Operations	<b>Effective Date:</b> 06/16
<b>Department:</b> Parks	<b>Last Revised:</b> 06/16

### GENERAL PURPOSE

Performs a variety of **entry level skilled duties** related to the construction, installation, maintenance, upkeep and repair of parks buildings, recreation equipment, parks grounds and general environs.

### ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

Operates mowing equipment; aerates; mows and trims grass, bushes and shrubs; assists in pruning activities on trees, shrubs and plants; removes dead, diseased, or injured trees; stimulates healthy plant growth through custom pruning and cutting.

Performs general landscape and gardening duties; plants, trims, and maintains trees; waters lawns; transplants trees, shrubs, bushes, grass, flowers, etc., as directed to develop attractive parks and grounds; performs various fertilization techniques using dry and liquid chemicals.

Maintains ball fields Performs playing field preparations; marks and chalks playing areas; grooms playing areas, sets up standards and goals; drags infields, etc. monitors and maintains volleyball and tennis courts; assures proper installation and maintenance of playground equipment.

Performs related duties as required.

### KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

**Some knowledge** of maintenance equipment such as dump truck, mowers, tractor, string trimmers, etc.; landscape and sprinkler system; of hazards and related safety precautions associated with equipment operations; of turf and greens management; of interpersonal communication skills.

**Skill in** the operation of various types of light equipment such as gang mower, tractor, etc., basic mechanics.

**Ability** to read and interpret documents such as safety rules, operating and maintenance instructions; recognize and identify common weeds and pests; effectively perform various semi-skilled functions related to building maintenance; ability to communicate verbally and in writing; ability to develop effective working relationships with supervisor, subordinates, and the public.

### WORK ENVIRONMENT

Tasks require variety of physical activities, generally involving muscular strain, such as walking, standing, stooping, sitting, reaching, lifting, etc. Talking, hearing and seeing essential to the performance of the job. Daily exposure to weather extremes and seasonal conditions. Common eye, hand, finger dexterity exist. Mental application utilizes memory for details, verbal instructions, discriminating thinking.

### SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS

Must possess a valid Driver's License with no restrictions.