

JOB POSTING # 20-006



MAINTENANCE WORKER

GROUND MAINTENANCE – STREET DIVISION
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

HOURLY RATE: \$ 10.30 ***

Open Until Filled

The City of Kingsville is currently accepting applications for a **Maintenance Worker** in the Ground Maintenance-Street Division – Public Works Department. Under immediate supervision performs duties in the maintenance of drainage structures and properties including water and sewer system drainage locations. Essential job duties include but not limited to the following:

- Operates a variety of motorized equipment including tractor and trucks, use a variety of power tools including mowers and weed eaters.
- Cleans right-a-ways, ditches, curbs, cuts and removes brush, grass, timber, and other debris from drainage structures on public properties.
- Participates in repairing right-a-ways, ditches, curbs and other City properties in relation to drainage by spreading asphalt and gravel, setting flares and barricades, directing traffic at work sites, painting and installing traffic markings.
- Responsible for maintenance and minor repair of equipment.
- Uses good judgment to work safely and use equipment properly.
- Works in trenches and confined spaces
- Serves on stand-by crew for after hour emergency work as required

Must be able to lift and carry up to 50 pounds and push, pull or drag up to 100 pounds of equipment and debris. This position requires working outdoors in extreme temperature swings. Some exposure to mechanical, electrical, odor, and dust hazards. Performs other duties as required and/or assigned.

Training, Experience and/or Other Requirements: Six months experience using various power and hand tools in the maintenance field. Must be able to work on-call in response to city related operations. Ability to follow written and oral instructions.

Employee Behavior and Conduct:

City employees shall conduct themselves in a professional manner and shall exhibit and extend such professional conduct appropriate for the circumstances to those with whom they come into contact both internally and externally during the performance of their duties. Examples of professional conduct include, but are not limited to, being communicative, informative, fair, honest and respectful.

All City employees are required in the course and scope of their employment to provide services for the benefit of the general public during emergency situations that threaten the safety of Kingsville's citizens. City employees must be able to work immediately before, during, and/or immediately after an emergency.

All positions require the following: 1) possession of a valid driver's license 2) satisfactory driving record and 3) proof of citizenship and/or eligibility to work in the U.S. legally. The successful applicant will be required to take and pass a pre-employment physical examination, drug screen and background investigation.

Applications may be picked up at City of Kingsville-Human Resources, 400 W. King Avenue, Kingsville, Texas 78363. For more information call 361-595-8017 or e-mail hadmin@cityofkingsville.com AA/EOE.

******NOTE: Active employees may have a different starting rate depending on current classification and years of service. Contact the HR office with specific questions.***