

Hardee County, FL

JOB DESCRIPTION



To perform this job successfully, an individual must be able to perform the essential job functions satisfactorily. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the primary job functions herein described. Since every duty associated with this position may not be described herein, employees may be required to perform duties not specifically spelled out in the job description, but which may be reasonably considered to be incidental in the performing of their duties just as though they were actually written out in this job description.

Bridge Worker I

Department: Road & Bridge

Pay Grade: 102 (\$26,500.00 to \$40,809.48)

JOB SUMMARY

The Bridge Worker I performs semi-skilled manual work involving various maintenance and construction tasks. Employees perform semi-skilled laboring tasks requiring the use of tools, equipment and occasionally the operation of light equipment or trucks. Work is performed under the supervision of a Crew Leader or Supervisor.

ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS

- Operates small trucks, dump trucks and equipment on a temporary, trainee, or emergency basis in digging holes; and cuts weeds and trims trees.
- Builds and maintains bridges; and repairs maintenance roads.
- Builds, miters, repairs, and maintains head walls.
- Assists trades workers in duties such as carpentry, painting, plumbing, electrical and other building maintenance.
- Assists in performance of brick, masonry and cement work in building and grounds repair.
- Cuts and threads pipes.
- Patches road and bridge surfaces.
- Operates equipment on a temporary, trainee or emergency basis.
- Deals in work forms such as building forms, reading blueprints, and tying steel.
- Performs other related job duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS

Education and Experience:

Requires a High School Diploma or equivalent; and experience in laboring or grounds maintenance work; or any equivalent combination of education, training, and experience which provides the requisite knowledge, skills, and abilities for this job

Special Qualifications:

None

Licenses, Certifications, or Registrations:

- Possession of or ability to readily obtain a valid Class “B” CDL driver’s license issued by the State of Florida for the type of vehicle or equipment operated.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

- Knowledge of tools and equipment used in general maintenance work.
- Knowledge of the occupational hazards and safety precautions applicable to laboring work.
- Ability to learn the operation of light trucks, tractors, and small automotive equipment.
- Ability to understand and follow simple instructions.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS

The work is medium work which requires exerting up to 50 pounds of force occasionally, and/or up to 20 pounds of force frequently, and/or up to 10 pounds of force constantly to move objects. Additionally, the following physical abilities are required: balancing, climbing, crawling, crouching, feeling, grasping, handling, hearing, kneeling, lifting, pushing, reaching, repetitive motion, speaking, standing, stooping, talking, and walking. Mental acuity is required for making rational decisions through sound logic and deductive processes. Visual ability is required to operate heavy equipment and perform activities specific to the job, such as viewing a computer terminal, observation of facilities or structures, and/or inspection involving small parts or operations of machines.

WORK ENVIRONMENT

Work is primarily performed outdoors, occasionally in cold or inclement weather. The employee is exposed to noise, dust, dirt, grease, and machinery with moving parts. Work requires the use of protective devices such as masks, goggles, gloves, etc.

Hardee County has the right to revise this job description at any time. This description does not represent in any way a contract of employment.

Equal Opportunity Employer

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All Applications with Resume are accepted in the Human Resources Department located at 205 Hanchey Road, Wauchula, FL 33873 or via email:

humanresources@hardeecounty.net

Position is open till filled