

## **Trades Worker Level II**

### **Greenspace Maintenance**

**\*Up to 13 Month Term\***

#### **Operational Services – Parks & Recreation**

#### **Competition # 29**

Please apply with a cover letter and resume online at: <https://jobbank.brandon.ca/>

**Position Conditions:** This is a full-time, up to 13-month term position, of 40 hours per week. Should the incumbent not return to the position, this term position may become permanent. This position will be offered in accordance with conditions identified in the Collective Agreement between the City of Brandon and CUPE Local 69. First consideration will be given to current City of Brandon CUPE employees. The City of Brandon reserves the right to underfill this position.

**NOTE:** Successful applicants must pass a Police Criminal Record Check and Child Abuse Registry Check.

**Rate of Pay:** \$25.38 – 26.99 per hour - 2023 rates.

**Closing Date:** 11:59 pm, December 16, 2024.

This competition will include testing and an interview.

#### **PURPOSE OF POSITION**

To participate as part of a working team that performs, and may direct assigned workers engaged in, the maintenance and repair of City owned parks, pools, recreation and playground structures as well as irrigation and lighting systems. As most work is performed at locations used by the public for leisure and recreation purposes, detailed attention to safety is essential.

#### **TYPICAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Performs playground inspections as certified by the Canadian Standards Association (CSA) and performs structure repairs and maintenance to CSA standards;
- Performs the set-up and shut-down as well as performs maintenance and repairs of all City pools and spray parks;
- Performs installation and repair of irrigation systems;
- Performs building maintenance including carpentry and concrete work;
- Performs set-up, maintenance and take-down of festive lighting displays;
- Performs other general and building maintenance tasks, including grooming of ski trails, playground structure set up and skating oval floods as assigned;
- Performs snow removal duties including shoveling and de-icing as required;
- Operates a variety of equipment such as small front end loaders, bucket truck, dump trucks, fifth wheel trailer, Trackless, mowing equipment, mini excavator, rubber tire loader backhoe, single/tandem axel and various power tools, in a safe and effective manner;
- Performs pre/post equipment inspections of motorized/non-motorized equipment; Purchases supplies and

- completes logging documents as required;
- Maintains necessary journals or documents as required by the Section;
- Ensures tools and equipment are properly maintained;
- Guides employees in the safe operations of equipment and the rules and regulations required to perform the operations of the Section;
- May be required to carry out the duties of other workers in Parks & Recreation Services.

**NOTE:** This description is not intended to limit the assignment of work or be construed as a complete list of the many duties to be performed by the incumbent.

### **MANDATORY QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE**

- Grade 12, G.E.D., C.A.E.C., or Mature High School Diploma;
- Must obtain CSA certification for playground inspection within (1) year of appointment;
- Hold and maintain a valid Class 3 with Air Province of Manitoba Driver's License;
- Required to obtain Pesticide Applicators License (Mosquito) within (1) year of appointment;
- Required to obtain Integrated Pest Management Certificate within (2) years of appointment;
- Successful completion of a Child Abuse Registry Check and Criminal Reference Check, including Vulnerable Sector Verification;
- Any other certifications as required by legislation.

### **PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE**

- Minimum of two (2) years' experience in carpentry construction, machinery operations, irrigation systems, facility maintenance, and outdoor pool maintenance; Aquatic Facility Operator's Course;
- Advanced knowledge of agronomy and turf grass management;
- Working knowledge of plant nutrition, plant pathology, entomology, weed control and pesticide laws.

### **WORK CONDITIONS**

The Trades Worker works independently and in a team environment.

- Work in a shared and consultative manner with other employees (daily);
- Self-motivated and quality driven to perform independent projects and facilitate team goals (daily);
- Necessary to work in all types of weather conditions (daily);
- Works in equipment at various heights (frequently);
- Works in areas of confined space, unpleasant noise levels, and adverse odours (occasionally);
- Available for overtime and call outs (occasionally);
- May be required to perform weekend and evening shifts (in accordance with the Collective Agreement);
- Responsible to the Chargehand, Greenspace Maintenance.

Please contact [HR@brandon.ca](mailto:HR@brandon.ca) for a complete job description

*The City of Brandon is committed to an inclusive, barrier free environment and will accommodate the needs of applicants under the Accessibility for Manitobans Act (AMA) throughout all stages of the recruitment and selection process. We thank all applicants for their interest; only those advancing in the competition will be contacted. If contacted to participate in the process, please advise if you require an accommodation. If you are interested in finding out more about the City of Brandon job opportunities as soon as they are posted, please follow us on Facebook or X!*