



# Streets Maintenance Worker

Class Code:  
16017

Bargaining Unit: AFSCME

CITY OF RAMSEY  
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## JOB DESCRIPTION

### SALARY RANGE

\$22.37 Hourly

#### PRIMARY OBJECTIVE OF POSITION:

Provide general maintenance of public streets, right-of-ways, storm sewer systems, parking lots and any other related municipal facilities or equipment; as well as snow plowing of public streets, trails and walks.

All Street Maintenance Workers are required to be a member of the on-call team and work a rotating on-call schedule 8 weeks per year. **Members of the on-call team must reside within approximately 30 minutes from the Public Works Facility (14100 Jasper Street NW)** and to be available to respond during evenings, weekends and holidays.

**\*\*This is an AFSCME Union Position\*\***

**\*\*This position is subject to D.O.T. random drug and alcohol testing\*\***

#### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

The successful applicant must possess the following minimum qualifications:

- Must be 18 years of age or older
- Must possess a high school diploma or equivalent
- Must possess a valid Minnesota commercial driver's license (Class A or B) with both air brake and tanker endorsements, along with having a good driving record

- Must reside within the allowed distance for responding to on-call situations (approximately 30 minutes)
- Must agree to be a member of the on-call team
- Must have experience in the operation and maintenance of construction equipment
- Must pass a criminal history check and driver's license check
- Must pass a pre-employment physical exam and drug screen

#### DESIRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Previous experience in commercial snow plowing
- Previous experience working with asphalt pavements
- Previous experience working with street sweeping equipment
- Previous experience working in a county or municipal environment

#### **RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Construct/maintain streets, parking lots and related property
- Perform snow related activities
- Perform general maintenance and general activities
- Perform general labor
- Perform vehicle motorized equipment maintenance
- Perform/assist with landscape/grounds care/forestry/naturalist activities
- Provide assistance with preparation of community events
- Perform mechanical building maintenance and repair
- Perform a wide range of tasks at the verbal or written direction (within the ability and resources of the Public Works Streets Maintenance Worker) from the Public Works Superintendent, Streets Supervisor, Parks Supervisor, Utility Supervisor or his/her designee

#### **KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:**

- Ability to understand and follow verbal instructions and communicate in English
- Ability to work independently with limited supervision
- Ability to work in a variety of weather conditions including cold or hot temperatures, high humidity, wind, or rain
- Ability to maintain effective working relationships with supervisors and co-workers
- Ability to transport oneself to and around the work site
- General knowledge of maintenance and landscape principles (streets, parks, facilities)

**JOB ACTIVITY REQUIREMENTS:**

The following are the physical activities that are associated with this position:

- Standing
- Walking
- Lifting
- Pushing/Pulling
- Carrying
- Climbing
- Kneeling
- Crawling
- Crouching
- Bending at waist
- Reaching
- Handling Objects
- Use of Arm Muscles over Extended Periods
- Use of Leg Muscles over Extended Periods

This job requires employees to be able to lift and carry up to 74 pounds.

The following are the working conditions of the position:

- Working Outdoors
- Working Indoors
- Operating forklifts or dangerous equipment
- Operating motor vehicles
- Working with chemicals
- Working near fumes and vapors
- Driving a City vehicle or personal vehicle
- Driving is an essential function of this job
- Subject to random D.O.T. drug and alcohol testing