

Equipment Operator I

DEFINITION

This is limited skilled labour work involving the operation and minor maintenance of professional riding mowers, tractor compressors, farm tractors, packers, small rollers and Lincoln sweepers. Work of this class entails the operation, servicing and maintenance of equipment such as air compressors, light duty trucks, concrete mixers, gang mowers and related maintenance and construction equipment. The incumbent receives oral and written instructions from a supervisor who evaluates the work performed.

TYPICAL DUTIES *

Operate a concrete cutting saw used in paving and related operations.

Operate various professional grass cutting equipment used in parks and cemeteries.

Operate medium and small sized farm and industrial type tractors used to pull various attachments such as grass mowers, fertilizers spreaders, utility trailers, small plows and rollers.

Assist tradesmen by performing limited skilled manual work when required.

Perform related duties as required.

KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES AND SKILLS

Ability to operate assigned equipment in a safe manner.

Ability to detect minor defects in equipment used.

Ability to understand and execute oral instructions.

Ability to obtain the proper vehicle operator's license.

Physical strength and agility to perform the work of the class.

TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS

Job Level

Completion of the tenth (10th) school grade supplemented by some experience in the operation of equipment assigned to the position or equivalent combination of training and experience. Possession of a valid Alberta Class 5 Motor Vehicle Operator's License is required; eligibility to obtain a City driver's permit may be required.

Depending on the equipment used in the specific work units, a valid Alberta Class 3 Motor Vehicle Licence may be required.

* *This is a class specification and not an individualized job description. A class specification represents and defines the general character, scope of duties and responsibilities of all positions within a specific job classification. It is not intended to describe nor does it necessarily list the essential job functions for a specific position in a classification. Positions may perform some of the duties listed above but this does not necessarily qualify for placement into this classification.*

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| Salary Plan | <u>10M</u> | <u>10A</u> | <u>10B</u> | <u>10C</u> |
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| Drainage Uncertified Grade | 0159 064 | | | |
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