

Position Description

Job Title:	Seasonal Maintenance Attendant	Revision Date:	April 30, 2021
Department:	Philadelphia Parks & Recreation	Hiring Manager:	Sue Buck
Hourly Rate:	\$13.75	Application deadline:	Open until filled
Position Type	Temporary/Seasonal Employment; Up to Six (6) Months in Duration		

Overview of City of Philadelphia

With a workforce of over 30,000 people, and opportunities in more than 1,000 different job categories, the City of Philadelphia is the fifth largest city in the United States and one of the largest employers in Southeastern Pennsylvania. As an employer, the City of Philadelphia operates through the guiding principles of service, integrity, respect, accountability, collaboration, diversity and inclusion. Through these principles, we strive to effectively deliver services, to resolve the challenges facing our city, and to make Philadelphia a place where all of our residents have the opportunity to reach their potential.

Agency Description

Philadelphia Parks & Recreation (PPR) advances the prosperity of the city and the progress of her people through intentional and sustained stewardship of over 10,200 acres of public land and waterways as well as through hundreds of safe, stimulating recreation, environmental, and cultural centers. PPR promotes the well-being and growth of the City's residents by connecting them to the natural world around them, to each other, and to fun, physical, and social opportunities. PPR is responsible for the upkeep of historically significant Philadelphia events and specialty venues, and works collaboratively with communities and organizations in leading capital projects and the introduction of inventive programming. To learn more about Philadelphia Parks & Recreation, visit us at www.phila.gov/parksandrec, and follow @philaparkandrec on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, or Tumblr.

Position Summary

The Seasonal Maintenance Attendants will be responsible for completing turf and grounds maintenance work on city parkland. Seasonal Maintenance Attendants ensure that the parks and recreation grounds are always well maintained and ready for visitors.

Responsibilities

- Litter pick up and removal.
- Clearing debris, raking, and sweeping.
- Ensuring trash cans are regularly emptied.
- Turf and grounds maintenance work such as trimming, seeding, and mulching.
- Trims and clears ground around shrubbery, trees, fences, and poles.



- Maintains planting beds.
- Shovels silt and debris to clear drainage outlets, culverts, and pipes
- Removes fallen limbs and cuttings from beneath pruned trees.
- Handles small graffiti removal, Reports larger graffiti issues or vandalism to a supervisor
- Reports short dumping or park maintenance issues to a supervisor.

Competencies, Knowledge, Skills and Abilities

- Spanish speakers welcome.
- Strong interpersonal skills.
- Flexible schedule, with ability to work evening and weekend hours.
- Punctual and reliable.

Qualifications (Education and Experience)

- Ages 18 and over can apply.
- Prior experience in recreation strongly preferred.

Additional Information

- Successful candidates must be a city of Philadelphia resident as a condition of employment.
- **Interested candidates should email their name, contact information, and relevant experience to leah.fenimore@phila.gov.**
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