

Accepting applications for:

Maintenance Worker I – Forestry

Parks & Forestry Division Parks & Recreation Department

Application deadline: Friday, February 10, 2023

Visit www.icgov.org/jobs to apply online

One permanent full time position available Full salary range: \$43,804.80 - \$56,388.80 Hours: Monday - Friday, 7:00am - 3:30pm

Job summary:

Under immediate direction, performs a variety of tasks in the maintenance and care of the urban forest in parks, along trails, in natural areas and other public facilities and grounds within the City.

Minimum qualifications:

One year of experience in tree maintenance, arboriculture and/or urban forestry required. Valid Class B commercial driver's license with airbrakes endorsement and satisfactory driving record required. Valid Class A commercial driver's license with airbrakes endorsement required within 6 months of hire. Must obtain forklift and backhoe certification within 12 months of hire. This position is subject to federal drug testing requirements including screening through the FMCSA Clearinghouse. A pre-employment drug screen is required. Must be 18 years of age per Iowa Code 92.8. Must pass criminal background check.

Preferred qualifications:

Two year degree in forestry, arboriculture and/or natural resource management from an educational institution accredited by a DOE recognized accreditation body preferred. Two years of experience in tree maintenance, arboricultural operations and/or urban forestry preferred. GIS databasing and tree inventorying software experience preferred. ISA Certified Arborist or Certified Municipal Tree Arborist preferred. ISA Certified Tree Worker Aerial Lift Specialist preferred. ISA Certified Tree Worker Climber Specialist preferred. Pesticide applicator's license preferred.

More information:

A full job description including a listing of essential duties and responsibilities and necessary knowledge, skills and abilities is available at <u>www.icgov.org/jobs</u> under Job Descriptions.

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Date posted: January 20, 2023

