

# URBAN FORESTRY-TECHNICIAN

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**POSITION:** URBAN FORESTRY-TECHNICIAN **JOB # 180708**

**DEPARTMENT:** URBAN FORESTRY

**STARTING SALARY RANGE:** \$16.38 - \$17.92 PER HOUR

## **DUTIES:**

- Visit properties where utility pruning is planned and contact residents to review work to be done. Respond to questions, comments, concerns or request for special accommodations.
- Relay any specific site or customer considerations to contracted pruning crews.
- Establish a schedule for watering and water trees using a water trailer.
- Perform maintenance of public trees, such as pruning, planting, applying herbicide and pesticide and applying mulch.
- Manage contracted pruning crew scheduling and customer service as work progresses.
- Assist in loading, unloading, heeling in and transporting nursery plant stock by hand or with the use of tractors or other heavy machinery.
- Attend public events to assist in event set up, hosting, take down and clean up.
- Identify and repair irrigation system issues on department managed systems.
- Perform any other related duties as required or assigned.

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- High school diploma or GED plus specialized schooling and/or 2 years related experience or equivalent combination of education and experience.
- Valid Oklahoma driver's license and good driving record.
- Possess, or be able to obtain within one year of employment, International Society of Arboriculture Certified Arborist certification.
- Associates of Arts of Science degree in related field preferred.
- Ability to operate vehicles with towing equipment and operate power tools.
- Physical ability to lift up to 25 pounds regularly and on occasion up to 100 pounds.
- Knowledge of tree pruning and plant, tree, shrub identification.
- Ability to read and follow maps.

**APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL MONDAY, AUGUST 6, 2018**

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