

LEAD MAINTENANCE MECHANIC (SANITATION)*

GENERAL STATEMENT OF DUTIES: Oversees the work of sanitation crews engaged in the collection and disposal of garbage and refuse; does related work as required.

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: Under general supervision, an incumbent of this position is responsible for the completion of work assigned to sanitation crews. Incumbents of this position may be required to participate in the actual work of the crew on an as needed or occasional basis. Supervision is exercised over the sanitation crews.

EXAMPLES OF WORK: (Illustrative Only)

Oversees sanitation crews in the collecting of garbage and other refuse;

Oversees sanitation crews in the disposal of garbage and other refuse;

Assigns crews to route and trucks;

Investigates complaints regarding the collection of refuse;

Inspects the dump and directs land fill operations and sanitary precautions;

Keeps simple records and makes reports on work done;

Participates in the collection and disposal of garbage and other refuse, as required.

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND ATTRIBUTES: Knowledge of garbage collection and disposal techniques and methods; knowledge of modern garbage collection equipment and devices; demonstrated ability to plan and oversee the work of others; ability to secure the co-operation of others; ability to keep simple records and prepare simple reports; reliability; mental alertness; physical strength and endurance; physical condition commensurate with the duties of the position.

MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE: Either: (a) graduation from high school or possession of a high school equivalency diploma and two (2) years of experience in sanitation, incineration, or other public works activities; or (b) six (6) years of experience in sanitation, incineration, or other public work activities; or (c) a satisfactory equivalent combination of the foregoing training and experience.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT: Possession of a valid license (appropriate to the equipment to be operated) to operate a motor vehicle in New York State at time of appointment.

Towns, Villages,
Cities of Rye and Peekskill,
Larchmont/Mamaroneck Joint. Garbage Disposal Commission
J. C.: Non-competitive

Job Class Code: 0491

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* Formerly known as "Sanitation Foreman"

