

SANITATION WORKER

GENERAL STATEMENT OF DUTIES: Performs routine manual work in the collection of garbage and refuse; does related work as required.

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: This is routine manual work requiring no previous training or experience but requiring physical endurance and a willingness to perform manual tasks. Constant oversight is maintained over the work at all times.

EXAMPLES OF WORK: (Illustrative Only)

Rolls out trash barrels from yards, houses, apartments, or cellars to the street for loading on trucks;

Returns empty barrels from street to apartment, house yards or cellars;

Loads trash barrels on trucks;

Loads refuse onto trucks;

Distributes load on trucks;

Covers the garbage load with tarpaulin;

Removes snow from streets, cleans snow from catch basins and corners and removes snow from around fire hydrants;

Sweeps street;

Sands icy streets

May perform activities associated with a Laborer position; i.e. hauling and raking of leaves, cutting grass and assisting in the erection of traffic signs, when not performing duties of a Sanitation Worker;

May operate a small vehicle (cart, pick-up truck, etc.) to pickup refuse;

May operate a truck to plow snow, sand streets, etc. in a storm emergency.

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND ATTRIBUTES: Willingness to perform routine manual work; ability to lift heavy weights; willingness to work under all weather conditions; physical endurance; physical condition commensurate with the demands of the position.

MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE: None

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT: If applicable, possession of valid license to operate a motor vehicle in New York State, appropriate to the vehicle to be operated.

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