#### STREET MAINTENANCE WORKER

#### DEFINITION

Under supervision to perform a wide variety of maintenance, repair, and construction work on City streets, sewers, and other public works facilities; to operate trucks and other motorized equipment; and to perform related work as required.

#### DISTINGUISHING CHARACTERISTICS

This is an experienced working level classification in Street Maintenance. Incumbents are expected to perform a variety of public works maintenance, repair, and construction assignments with minimal supervision and training. Also, they are expected to perform basic operations assignments with the City's motorized public works equipment.

### **EXAMPLE OF DUTIES**

Performs a wide range of maintenance, repair, and upkeep of streets, curbs, sidewalks, related structures, and other public works facilities; installs, repairs, and maintains streets; installs and repairs street signs; stripes pavement; cuts, excavates, and shores up trenches; cuts, threads, and assembles pipe; checks, clears, and maintains sewer systems; operates Hydrocleaner and other sewer system equipment; performs concrete and finishing work; performs a variety of semi-skilled and heavy physical labor; removes and hauls trash; uses a variety of hand and power tools; loads and unloads equipment and materials; cuts brush; controls traffic during maintenance, repair, and construction assignments; operation of a backhoe or other motor driven equipment; performs a variety of assignments and operations with motorized public works equipment; assists with identification and listing of structures in need of repair; responds to emergency repair calls; may be required to work unusual hours, shifts, and be available for standby duty.

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### **SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS**

Possession of an appropriate California driver's license.

### **EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS**

## Knowledge of:

- Methods, tools, and equipment used in municipal public works maintenance, repair, and construction work.
- Characteristics, operation, and maintenance of motorized public works equipment and vehicles.
- Safe work practices.

and

### Ability to:

- Performs wide variety of public works maintenance, repair, and construction assignments.
- Operate vehicles and motorized public works equipment.
- Use hand and power tools skillfully.
- Perform heavy physical labor requiring strength, dexterity, and agility.
- Understand and carry out oral and written directions.
- Read and write at the level required for successful job performance.
- Work unusual shifts, weekends, evenings, holidays, and on standby status when required.
- Maintain good public relations with people contacted during work assignment.
- Establish and maintain cooperative working relationships.

and

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# **EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS** - (cont.)

Training and Experience: Any combination of training and experience which would likely provide the required knowledge and abilities is qualifying. A typical way to obtain the knowledge and abilities would be:

Work Background: One year of semi-skilled work experience in street and public works maintenance.

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