

The Borough of Ford City is accepting applications for the position of Street Worker. The qualifications are:

- Operates and drives a variety of machinery, vehicles, and equipment, ranging from light to heavy, in order to complete a variety of activities and tasks, which may include: laying out and installing markings for crosswalks and parking spaces; removing snow; applying sand, cinder, and/or de-icing chemicals to roadways; applying chip seal; and/or, performing other related activities.
- Performs a variety of grounds maintenance activities, which may include: removing weeds, dead trees, and trash from grounds; mowing, thatching, fertilizing, and aerating grass areas; monitoring irrigation system; trimming trees and shrubs; removing snow from sidewalks and streets; removing graffiti from public areas; assisting with the planting of landscape items; and/or, performing other related activities.
- Performs preventative maintenance and minor repair activities to applicable vehicles and equipment utilized in day-to-day activities.
- Prepares and maintains a variety of records and logs regarding daily activities.
- Participates in the maintenance and upgrading of streets, which may include: upgrading storm drains; resurfacing roads; sealing cracks in street surfaces; applying chip seal; and/or, performing other related activities.
- Performs traffic control during street maintenance and repair activities.
- Installs a variety of traffic signage to enhance roadway safety.
- Complies with safety requirements of the position and actively promotes safe work practices.
- Responds to system maintenance and or service calls outside scheduled work hours while on call or in the event of an emergency.
- In an emergency event or an officially declared State of Emergency, responds as directed to ensure the restoration of essential public services, facilities and infrastructure.
- Performs other duties of a similar nature or level as requested

Knowledge of:

- Applicable state and local vehicle ordinances;
- Basic street construction and maintenance practices;
- Equipment, tools, and materials of the trade;
- Occupational hazards and related safety precautions;
- Variety of hand and power tools;
- Safe work practices.

Skill in:

- Performing manual labor;
- Maintaining a variety of equipment and trucks;
- Operating and driving a variety of light to heavy equipment;
- Completing paperwork and documentation;
- Performing semi-skilled maintenance and repair activities;
- Operating small hand and power tools and other related equipment;
- Understanding and carrying out written and oral instructions;
- Communication, interpersonal skills as applied to interaction with coworkers, supervisor, the general public, etc. sufficient to exchange or convey information and to receive work direction.

Education, Experience, Certifications and Licenses Required:

High School Diploma or equivalent (G.E.D.); or, an equivalent combination of education and experience sufficient to successfully perform the essential duties of the job such as those listed above.

Licensing Requirements:

- Ability to obtain and maintain valid Pennsylvania Class "B" Commercial Driver's License by date of hire.