



City of Central Falls Job Posting

LOCATION: Central Falls Department of Public Works
1280 High Street, Central Falls, Rhode Island 02863

POSITION TITLE: Laborer

DEPARTMENT: Department of Public Works and Code Enforcement

SALARY: \$1,016.71 per week

POSITION TYPE: Full-time

POSITION DESCRIPTION SUMMARY

Laborers perform skilled and unskilled manual tasks including the operation of trucks, vehicles, and other mechanical equipment, and the maintenance of machinery and tools in maintaining all public properties. This position is working under the daily direction of the Department of Public Works Supervisor.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Essential duties include:

- Repair of asphalt and concrete
- Installation of street traffic signs
- Road and crosswalk stripping
- Repair of sewer lines
- Installation of concrete sidewalks
- Cold/patch/hot patch road repair
- General repair and maintenance of municipal buildings
- Street sweeping
- Winter road plowing
- Road ice control treatment
- Shoveling walkways
- Parks and recreation filed maintenance (fertilization, watering, grass cutting, line painting, etc.) and other related work as required.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Must possess or be willing to obtain and maintain a Class B Commercial Driver's License within 6 months of employment
- Must be willing to obtain and maintain a license from the State Department of Labor and Training for the operation of a backhoe
- Must be able to operate mechanical equipment such as a fork-lift truck, backhoe, front-end loader, small bulldozer, jackhammer, power roller, drive and operate a snowplow, sanding truck, and other similar equipment
- Must have completed a full vaccination series against the COVID-19 virus

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE REQUIRED

- High school diploma or GED required
- Ability to pass a background (BCI) check
- Experience in the construction field, or a business or government entity
- Knowledge of standard tools and practices used in road and construction work
- Working knowledge of the hazards and necessary safety precautions in construction work
- Ability to understand and effectively carryout written and oral instructions
- Skills in communicating and working with fellow employees

PREFERENCE IN HIRING WILL BE GIVEN TO:

- City of Central Falls residents
- Bilingual applicants who can demonstrate fluency in a second language as spoken by at least 10% of Central Falls City residents, as determined by the United States Census Bureau; and
- Military members/veterans

PHYSICAL DEMANDS

- Lifting a maximum up to 75-90 lbs
- Carrying a maximum up to 50 lbs
- Pushing/pulling a maximum up to 75 lbs

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

Central Falls is committed to maintaining a work and learning environment free from discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, pregnancy, gender identity, sexual orientation, marital/civil union status, ancestry, place of birth, age, citizenship status, veteran status, political affiliation, genetic information or disability, as defined and required by state and federal laws. Additionally, we prohibit retaliation against individuals who oppose such discrimination and harassment or who participate in an equal opportunity investigation. Read the City's full nondiscrimination policy here: <http://www.centralfallsri.us/nondiscrimination>

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Application and resume can be submitted through the following:

- In person or by mail to 580 Broad Street, Central Falls, RI 02863 Attn: Human Resources Department
- Email: ldias@centralfallsri.us.

Applications can be found on our website at www.centralfallsri.us under Human Resources/Employment.

Closing Date: Open until filled