



Employment Opportunity

## PARKS MAINTENANCE WORKER

Under the supervision of the Parks Foreman, performs a variety of semi-skilled and skilled tasks in the maintenance, upkeep, repair and operation of city parks, recreational facilities and buildings. Exercises independent judgment in decision making and prioritizes work. This position will supervise the work of seasonal workers to assure maximum utilization of assigned skills, facilities, and equipment. A complete job description may be obtained by visiting: [www.wahooparksandrec.com](http://www.wahooparksandrec.com).

Essential Functions: *Note: This is not an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties, and skills.*

- Turf management tasks such as watering, mowing, aerating, fertilizing, top dressing, trimming, edging, and spraying
- Prepare and maintain ball fields, athletic fields, and activity areas for practices and games
- Overall park maintenance activities such as picking up litter, opening and cleaning park shelters and restrooms, and inspecting and repairing playground equipment
- Horticultural activities to include planting, weeding, mulching, trimming, and pruning plants and trees
- Assist in the maintenance and repair of turf irrigation sprinkler systems
- Perform snow removal at the parks, trails, Civic Center, Senior Center, City Hall, and Library
- Assist with building maintenance responsibilities at the Aquatic Center, Civic Center, Senior Center, City Hall, and Library
- As directed, train and supervise the work activities of seasonal workers to assure work is performed at the expected quality level and in accordance with established safety practices
- Variety of other maintenance duties as necessary

Education/Training: Graduation from high school or equivalent GED; one year of experience in parks, grounds, landscape, and/or building maintenance; or any equivalent combination of training and experience that provides the required skills, knowledge and abilities.

License/Certification: Must have or have the ability to obtain a valid Nebraska driver's license; must be able to respond from home to work within 20 minutes under normal weather conditions. Must be able to obtain CPR, AED and First Aid Certifications, Commercial Driver's License (CDL), and Pesticide Applicator License (non-commercial) within six months of employment.

Compensation and Benefits:

This is a non-exempt, full-time position with full City benefits. Position requires working irregular hours including evenings, weekends, and holidays as required by maintenance needs and facility schedules. Flexibility to be available for emergency call-outs during off time is also necessary. All offers of employment are conditional upon the successful completion of a background check including driving record.

Application Procedure:

A completed City of Wahoo employment application should be returned to: Wahoo Parks and Recreation Department, 310 N. Linden St., Wahoo, NE 68066. **First review of applications will begin on Monday, January 25<sup>th</sup>.** Application packets are available at the Wahoo Civic Center, by emailing [stuhr@wahoo.ne.us](mailto:stuhr@wahoo.ne.us), or online at [www.wahooparksandrec.com](http://www.wahooparksandrec.com). Inquiries may be directed to Kevin at (402) 443-4174. The position is open until filled.

The City of Wahoo is an Equal Opportunity Employer.