

NOTICE OF JOB OPENING

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Posting Begins	June 10, 2021	Posting Ends	February 2, 2022
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Position Title	HORTICULTURALIST I
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Department	Parks & Recreation	Division	
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	New Position	X	Full-time	40	Hrs./Week
X	Replacement		Part-time A		Hrs./Week
	Seasonal Temporary		Part-time B		Hrs./Week

Location of Position	Parks & Recreation
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BRIEF JOB DESCRIPTION: Responsibilities include operating all equipment associated with landscaping; aerify turf areas, applying herbicides, pesticides as directed. Monitor irrigation systems, drives snowplows and sanders during snow removal. Operates all equipment incidentals to landscaping. Applies granular materials with tractor drawn spreader. Plants, waters, fertilize mulch and maintain shrubs, flowers, trees and turf. Prune, trim and remove shrubs, trees and stumps and other related duties as required. Obtains prices for materials and supplies, fills out paperwork as required. Removes all trash and debris as directed. Must have a valid Kansas CDL with appropriate endorsements or must obtain one within 90 days.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: High School Diploma or GED, Valid Kansas CDL license with appropriate endorsements or ability to obtain one within 90 days. Ability to follow oral and written instructions. Knowledge of plant care and ability to operate landscaping equipment. Kansas Applicators License or ability to obtain within one year. Certified Arborist preferred.

**SUCCESSFUL APPLICANT IS REQUIRED TO TAKE
PRE-EMPLOYMENT PHYSICAL AND DRUG SCREEN.**

Salary Range	\$19.48/hr.	PI #	2764	Class. Code	3126
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It is the policy of the Unified Government not to discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, national origin or ancestry, religion or creed, sex, age or disability. All applicants for this position who do not presently hold a safety sensitive position with the Unified Government will be required to submit to a drug test after successful bid and before actual appointment.

The United Government of Wyandotte County / Kansas City, Kansas is an Equal Opportunity Employer and values diversity in its workforce.

**MUST BE A RESIDENT OF WYANDOTTE COUNTY OR WILLING TO RELOCATE.
PUBLIC LAW REQUIRES ALL NEW APPOINTEES TO SUBMIT PROOF OF IDENTITY AND EMPLOYMENT ELIGIBILITY
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