

RFP #25-029-01

February 12, 2025

**Position Vacancy** 

Position: Temporary Senior Parks Maintenance Worker

Department: Parks, Recreation and Culture: Park Maintenance

Salary Range: \$20.55 - \$25.80 per hour

Schedule: Monday-Friday 7:00 a.m. – 3:15 p.m.

Overtime available (nights and weekends as needed)

The Framingham Parks Maintenance Department is responsible for maintaining over 500 acres of Parks Department properties and 14 buildings, including 16 tennis courts, 8 outdoor basketball courts, 25 playgrounds, a skate park, an outdoor dog park, over 50 sports fields, 3 beaches, a bocce court and indoor skating arena. Some of these properties include: City Hall, Bowditch Field Athletic and Cultural Complex, Butterworth Park, Cushing Memorial Park, Farm Pond Park, Loring Arena, Mary Dennison Park and Victory Field.

For more information, please see our <u>website</u>.

- We seek to hire candidates who share our commitment to Framingham and value civility, collegiality and working in a coordinated team environment to serve the City of Framingham.
- The City of Framingham is committed to the ongoing pursuit of strategic diversity initiatives that help to
  position diversity, equity, and inclusion as central to municipality and community-wide excellence in the
  City of Framingham.

## **Position Purpose:**

Provides needed labor to maintain park facilities. Operates park maintenance equipment to perform necessary maintenance to athletic fields, active and passive recreation areas, and park related areas.

## **Essential Functions:**

The essential functions or duties listed below are intended only as illustrations of the various type of work that may be performed. The omission of specific statements of duties does not exclude them from the position if the work is similar, related, or a logical assignment to the position.

- Perform normal labor associated with park maintenance, including, but not limited to, painting, mowing, trimming, trash removal, ball field maintenance, raking, cleaning and general landscaping type activities.
- Operate power equipment, including blowers, trimmers, mowers, leaf vacuums, paint machines, infield groomers, rollers, generators. Responsible for the proper care and maintenance of equipment assigned.
- Operate all equipment safely
- Work independently under certain conditions with little supervision
- Work as a lead worker for certain assignments
- Work shifts as required and work under varying weather conditions

## **Qualifications:**

- Applicant must be at least eighteen (18) years of age, and have experience sufficient to indicate the aptitude to
  do the work safely and efficiently
- Must be licensed to operate a motor vehicle as provided under Chapter 90, Section 8, of the Massachusetts General Laws with Class D license
- OSHA 10 certification preferred
- Landscaping or grounds crew experience preferred
- Prior experience supervising junior employees a plus

- Must be able to pass MA CORI/SORI background checks
- Must possess the ability to:
  - o Comply with City and Department policies and procedures
  - o Establish and maintain effective working relationships with supervisors, co-workers and the general public
  - Communicate effectively
  - o Work under department supervision as part of a team
  - o Work independently to carry out assigned work
  - Work under varying weather conditions

## **Physical Requirements:**

The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

- Ability to perform physical work as needed.
- Climbing, kneeling, balancing, stooping, bending and crouching.
- Frequently lift, push, pull, move or carry up to 10 lbs.
- Work is performed outdoors in various weather conditions.

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