

PARKS OPERATIONS/GARDENER

Position ID: J0815-0725

Job Title: PARKS OPERATIONS/GARDENER

Job Type: Full Time

Department: Parks

Number of Positions: 2

Closing Date: September 14, 2015

Min Salary: \$54,478.00/Year

Max Salary: \$68,098.00/Year

The City of Airdrie fosters a culture of accountability and values open dialogue, innovation and entrepreneurial spirit, collaborative relationships, learning, ownership, and encouraging the heart. We are searching for another team member who will help us get to the next level.

Business Unit Information:

To maintain public green spaces, outdoor recreational facilities and to ensure that a diverse parks system is maintained to the highest possible standard while ensuring opportunities for active and passive leisure that will enhance quality of life for individuals and the community.

Primary Accountabilities Include:

Maintenance of outdoor open space, of all parks, boulevards and other City property
Crew Leader for seasonal staff during April to September
Winter duties will include snow removal, ice maintenance, and outdoor maintenance of open space

Education/Experience Requirements:

LGAP certification or equivalent
Minimum 2 years horticultural experience
Valid Class 5 Alberta Driver's License required
Level one swimming pool operators certificate would be an asset
Playground Safety Inspection course would be an asset

Skills and Attributes:

Proven leadership skills
Effective public relations skills to tactfully interact with the public
Ability to perform heavy manual work in all types of weather

Additional Information:

We are looking to fill 2 full time positions; 40 hour work week, some weekend shifts. Summer hours will be 7:30am to 4:30pm, and winter hours will be 6:00am to 3:00pm.

Work is done primarily outside under all weather conditions.

A comprehensive benefit and pension package is included.

Application Process:

Candidates are invited to apply online at www.airdrie.ca.