

## Public Works General Employee

The Town of Lake Placid is accepting applications for the Public Works Department.

**Florida Driver's License with good record mandatory with Commercial License preferred.**

**Starting pay is \$11.40 per hour with potential for a higher rate after successful probation completion and skill levels . Health insurance for employee has been funded by town for past 15 years. Vacation, sick leave, family death leave benefits. State retirement benefits transferable to or from any other job in the Florida State Retirement system.**

This position will include work in all aspects of the Public Works Department. Job responsibilities will include but are not limited to:

- 1) Sanitation collection/vehicle operation
- 2) General construction and maintenance of town facilities.
- 3) Building construction and maintenance.
- 4) Grounds keeping maintenance.
- 5) Minor road repair maintenance.
- 6) Street sign repair and replacement.
- 7) Plumbing maintenance.
- 8) Electrical maintenance.
- 9) Masonry maintenance.
- 10) Painting maintenance.

Other duties as assigned by Public Works Director or Public Works Foreman.

### REQUIREMENTS:

Training and Experience Desirable:

Experience in construction and general maintenance preferred.

Equivalent combination of training, education, and experience that would provide the required knowledge, skills, and abilities.

General principles of construction, plumbing, electrical, masonry, and painting.

Operation of maintenance of common types of light to heavy equipment used in construction and landscaping.

Fabricate and weld metal.

Use and manipulate small hand tools such as screwdrivers and hammers.

Use and manipulate larger tools such as shovels, trowels, rakes.

Construct, maintain, and repair various types of structures.

### Physical Requirements:

Task involves physical effort, i.e. standing and walking, and frequent lifting (50 pounds), dexterity in the use of fingers, limbs, or body in the operation of all equipment. Must be physically capable of performing garbage pick up on a municipal level with rear loader garbage trucks.

### Environmental Requirement:

Requires working long hours outdoors and be exposed to all weather conditions.

May be subjected to loud working environments.

Should possess ability to handle difficult or irate people.

Should possess ability to spend long periods of time standing or walking.

Ability to lift up to 50 pounds.

### Sensory Requirements:

Task requires sound perception and discrimination.

Task requires visual perception and discrimination.

Task requires oral, written, and illustrative communications ability.

### Background Investigation:

Able to pass background investigation relating to favorable driving history.

Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

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The Town is committed to a Drug-Free Workplace Program and all applicants selected for positions will be required to submit to screening for illegal drug use prior to appointment. No person found to have a confirmed positive test for illegal drugs will be extended an offer of employment.

In accordance with Section 51.55 Federal Revenue Sharing Handicapped Discrimination Regulations, please be advised that the Town of Lake Placid does not discriminate in its employment of the disabled. The Town does not discriminate in hiring due to race, color, sex, creed, national origin, marital status, age, political affiliation, religion or disability.

The Town of Lake Placid is an Equal Opportunity Employer