

WALLA WALLA COUNTY

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Fairgrounds

Position: Temporary Maintenance Grounds Worker
Starting Salary: \$11.00 per hour
Location: Fairgrounds
Employment Type: Temporary, Part-time/Full-time (12-40 Hrs./Wk.), No benefits

Close: June 23, 2017 at 4:00 pm

Job Summary: Perform a variety of grounds keeping duties including raking, weeding, trimming trees, fertilizing and cutting down or transplanting trees and shrubs; edging landscaped areas using weed eaters and tractors; aerating and sweeping park and assisting with other grounds maintenance projects. Individual must have the ability to do multiple tasks, in a fast paced environment under sometimes stressful conditions. Independent discretion and judgment is required in applying guidelines to work situations. May supervise 1-10 volunteers during fair preparation. Work schedule does require some overtime.

Working Conditions: Typical work is in an outdoor setting: requires lifting up to sixty (60) pounds and operation of small motorized equipment; outside work in summer weather and in barnyard environment. Exposure to adverse weather conditions; dust, dirt, chemical fumes, and pollen; working around and with machinery having moving parts. Standing and walking for extended periods of time; climbing ladders; lifting heavy objects. Dexterity of hands and fingers to operate a variety of specialized grounds equipment and power and hand tools; reaching overhead, above the shoulders and horizontally; walking over rough or uneven surfaces; bending at the waist; kneeling or crouching; digging; carrying, pushing and pulling grounds maintenance equipment; perform heavy physical labor.

Minimum Qualifications: Any combination equivalent to; graduation from high school and one (1) year experience maintaining grass, trees, shrubs and operating related equipment. Employee is required to have a valid driver's license and have a current and driving record that is acceptable to the county insurance carrier.

Application: Contact the Human Resources Department at the County Legislative Building, 314 W. Main Street, Room 216, Walla Walla, Washington, or visit our website at www.co.walla-walla.wa.us to download a copy and/or apply online. Mailing address: Human Resources, PO Box 1506, Walla Walla, WA 99362, (509) 524-2600, fax (509) 524-2603

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