

## **CURRENTLY RECRUITING**

# **Laborer – Grounds Maintenance**

**Temporary Positions** 

Hourly Rate: \$14.75 – \$17.75/hr.

**Location: Various Preserves throughout Lake County** 

#### **SUMMARY**

The Laborer – Grounds Maintenance assists in keeping buildings and grounds in a clean and orderly condition, and maintaining and repairing minor utility system breakdowns. Mows and trims turf areas, collects and disposes of refuse; maintains piers, boat docks, ramps, garden amenities, barrier posts, fences, District signs, picnic tables, comfort stations, playground equipment, and shelters; includes lake management. Assists with interior building maintenance, including cleaning floors, restrooms and fixtures. Assists tradespersons and other skilled laborers with various construction and/or repair projects. Assists with maintenance and operation of all machinery (i.e., mowers, tractors, pumps) used in grounds and building maintenance. Will be required to perform weekend preserve maintenance duties. Drives a motorized vehicle to travel to different locations. Performs tasks that will require walking, bending, stooping, standing, kneeling, climbing, reaching and sitting. Performs heavy lifting tasks up to 50 pounds.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

Must be a minimum of 18 years of age. No formal education required. Basic knowledge of grounds maintenance, motorized equipment (i.e. front-end loader, tractor, riding mowers, watercraft and other pieces of motorized equipment) and vehicles. Basic knowledge of occupational hazards and safety precautions pertaining to grounds maintenance and construction projects. Must possess a valid driver's license.

### **HOW TO APPLY AND APPLICATION DEADLINES**

Interest in Forest Preserve employment can only be expressed by submitting a Forest Preserve Employment Application. Applications are accepted online at <a href="https://www.LCFPD.org">www.LCFPD.org</a>.

#### LAKE COUNTY FOREST PRESERVE DISTRICT GENERAL INFORMATION

As principal guardian of Lake County's open space and natural areas since 1958, we manage more than 30,900 acres of land and offer innovative educational, recreational and cultural opportunities for all people. Visitors of all ages can enjoy over 206 miles of trail for a variety of outdoor recreation uses, ponds and lakes for fishing, public golf courses, historical and cultural venues, public access to the Fox River and Lake Michigan, and award-winning nature and history education programs and events.

### AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY/AFFIRMATIVE ACTION EMPLOYER



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