# **GROUNDSKEEPER - GENERAL MAINTENANCE**

Job Title:Groundskeeper/General Maintenance WorkerWork Site:Grace Baptist ChurchReports To:Director of FacilitiesTime Status:Full TimeFLSA Status:ExemptStart Date:February 2021

### SUMMARY

Under the direction and leadership of the Director of Facilities, the role of the Groundskeeper-General Maintenance worker will be to perform semi-skilled work in the maintenance, care, and modification of grounds and landscapes for the Grace campus.

# ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES include the following, but are not limited to:

- Complete daily and weekly all work associated with the following and provide oversight to the Facility Team as requested by the Director of Facilities.
- Follow all established department procedures and process for follow through and completion of all work requests.
- Attend department staff meetings each week and/or any other meetings and training seminars as requested.
- Will be on call a minimum of one weekend per month.
- Operation of electrical and gasoline powered groundskeeping equipment and machinery.
- Use small hand and power tools or equipment in planting, cultivating, and trimming grounds and landscaping.
- Perform maintenance on groundskeeping equipment and tools and make minor repairs (within department capability) as directed and performs general plumbing and electrical repairs.
- Mowing of campus grounds throughout each week as needed and directed.
- Routine maintenance of campus landscaping.
- General painting, drywall, light carpentry, plumbing, and electrical.
- Trouble shoot the HVAC system for problem resolution and place service calls as needed (training provided).
- Research for parts and general maintenance supplies as appropriate.
- Escort service providers around Grace campus buildings as needed.
- Ensures that grounds maintenance equipment and building maintenance equipment are operational by performing routine and preventative maintenance and cleaning of tools, equipment, and machines within reasonable capabilities.
- Perform other duties as assigned.

# **QUALIFICATIONS and SKILLS:**

To perform this job successfully, an individual must be able to perform each essential duty satisfactorily. The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skill, and/or ability required.

- Have 1-3 years of experience in general facility maintenance and landscaping.
- Successfully pass a background and drug screen.
- Committed to the Core Values of the church.
- Flexibility to occasionally work outside traditional work hours.
- Maintain a positive and professional self-image and be a follower of Jesus Christ and have a lifestyle that demonstrates obedience.
- Performs tasks common to the care of grounds and landscape.
- Knowledge of the methods, materials and equipment used in planting, cultivating, and trimming a variety of types of trees, shrubs, ground cover, flowers, and grasses.
- Knowledge of the use and proper disposal of chemicals used in groundskeeping.
- Understand written work orders and instructions as well as directions for the proper mixture, use, and disposal/storage of cleaners, solvents, and chemicals, fertilizers, and similar products used in groundskeeping.
- Demonstrated teamwork and customer service skills.
- A positive attitude and poise under pressure.
- Possess strong time management skills.
- Ability to work independently, without direct supervision, as well as work cohesively within a team environment.
- Ability to work effectively managing multiple tasks and participants in a stress-related environment with ability to work in a team environment.
- Have basic computer skills and able to use Microsoft Word, Excel, Outlook, and other office software systems (i.e., FMX).
- Ability to communicate clearly and concisely, both orally and in writing.
- Provide high attention to detail and accuracy with complete follow through.
- Ability to problem solve and resolve conflict.

### SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES

• None

# **EDUCATION and/or EXPERIENCE**

• A high school diploma or the equivalent.

# CERTIFICATES, LICENSES, REGISTRATIONS

• Applicant must possess a valid social security number, valid driver's license and a current working home/cell telephone with a number that can be accessed by management personnel for business contact purposes.

# **PHYSICAL DEMANDS**

The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this position.

- While performing the duties of this job, the employee may regularly be required to sit, stand, bend, stoop, or walk for prolonged and extended periods of time.
- Requires the ability to lift and carry groundskeeping supplies and equipment weighing up to 50 pounds on a frequent basis.

# WORK ENVIRONMENT

- The work environment characteristics described herein are representative of those an employee may encounter while performing the essential functions of this job.
  - Exposure to and use of chemical compounds for application on trees, shrubs, ground cover, flowers, and grasses.
  - Work is performed primarily out-of-doors, year-round.
  - Contributes to a work environment that encourages knowledge of, respect for, and development of skills to engage with others,

# CONCLUSION

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by the person assigned to this position. **This is not an all-inclusive list of responsibilities, duties, and skills required of personnel**. Further, this job description is not intended to limit or in any way modify the right of any supervisor to assign, direct, and amend the work of any employee under his/her supervision. I understand that employment is at the will of the employer and either the employer or the employee may terminate the employment with or without cause at any time.

I have received, reviewed, and fully understand the Job Description for the position of Facilities and Groundskeeper for the Grace campus. I further understand that I am responsible for the satisfactory execution of the essential duties and responsibilities as listed herein.

Employee Signature:	Date Signed: