

Employment Opportunity with the State of Minnesota

Date Posted: 08/11/2014 Closing Date: 08/18/2014
Job Classification: GENERAL MAINT WORKER
Hiring Agency: Minnesota Zoological Garden
Location: 13000 Zoo Blvd, Apple Valley
Salary Range: \$ 13.27 - \$ 18.78 hourly
Who May Apply: Open to all qualified job seekers.
Posting Number: 14MZG000036

Work Shift: Day Shift Travel Required: no
Days of Work: Sunday, Monday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 10:00 am-2:00 pm Employment Condition: Permanent, Part-time
Classified Status: Classified

Job Duties: The Minnesota Zoo has a part-time General Maintenance Worker vacancy. They are responsible for cleaning and maintaining all interior public areas within the Minnesota Zoo.

Duties include cleaning and maintaining floor surfaces, animal exhibit glass, graphics, restrooms, picking up trash, pulling trash and recycling as well as contributing to the set up and tear down of tables and chairs for picnics, events and after-hours parties.

Special Working Conditions:

There is frequent lifting of 5-50 pounds. This incumbent must be able to bend, stoop, crouch, kneel, stretch, reach upward, and have good lateral movement. Tasks require heavy use of arms, wrists, and exertion of upper body, arms and hands to perform duties. This may be of a repetitive nature like pulling garbage out of a 50 gallon container or cleaning glass with your arms overhead for a period of time. The job involves a large amount of walking.

Minimum Qualifications: **In order to qualify you must indicate requirements related to your job experience**
Hold a current and valid MN Driver License

Experience with:

- Basic Cleaning understanding the proper methods of maintenance and

appropriate cleaning methods, materials, agents and equipment.

- Chemical cleaning agents such as ammonia, bleaches, scouring agents and soaps sufficient to appropriately select the agent(s), handle and apply, and dispose of safely.

- Methods, tools, and equipment used in maintenance sufficient to use effectively and safely.

Knowledge of:

- Basic restroom cleaning

- Basic safety procedures

Must be able to:

- Follow oral and written instructions.

- Perform assigned tasks with limited work direction.

- Keep simple records.

- Observe and interact with the MN Zoo guest in anticipation of their needs.

- Comfortable initiating positive conversations with the guests.

- Have a professional demeanor at all times.

- Repetitively lift 5-50 lbs.

Must have proficient computer skills.

Final candidate must successfully pass a background check.

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Selection Process: The selection process is a resume-based, skill-matching process. Resumes of all applicants to this posting will be evaluated against the Minimum Qualifications stated above. If your skills match the required skills for this position, the department may contact you.

How to Apply: Most State selection processes utilize a resume-based screening process. You will be contacted by agency staff if your background best matches the selection criteria on this job posting. To apply for this position, click the APPLY box found at the bottom of this job announcement. For additional information about the State's selection process, go to <<http://www.mn.gov/mmb/careers/>>.

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