

## CITRUS COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL DISTRICT

### EQUIPMENT MECHANIC

\$19.36 -\$29.78 Hourly / \$40,268.80-\$61,942.40 Yearly

#### MAJOR FUNCTION

Performs inspection, maintenance and repair of automotive, lawn and spray equipment used in mosquito and noxious weed control.

#### DISTINGUISHING FEATURES

Employees in this class perform duties of average difficulty requiring some initiative and independent judgment under general supervision.

#### MAJOR DUTIES

Note: The following duties are illustrative and not exhaustive. The omission of specific statements of duties does not exclude them from the position if the work is similar, related, or a logical assignment to the position. Depending on assigned area of responsibility, incumbents in the position may perform some or all of the activities described below.

- Performs preventive maintenance and repair of vehicles and equipment.
- Prepares reports on daily, weekly and monthly activities
- Maintains and repairs fogging and spray equipment used in the application of pesticides
- Loads and cleans fogging and spray machines or other equipment
- Operates various types of vehicles and equipment required to complete proper maintenance
- Inspects, adjusts and calibrates powered equipment used in the performance of mosquito control duties
- Procures and records required materials and supplies
- Performs emergency road servicing (requires night work during fogging season)
- Assists with grounds maintenance duties
- May apply pesticides during times of increased arthropod activity.
- Performs other duties as required.

#### KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, & ABILITIES

- Considerable knowledge of the methods and techniques of loading, operating, maintaining and repairing spray and fogging equipment
- Knowledge of the materials, tools and methods used in the repair, maintenance and servicing of a variety of vehicles and equipment
- Knowledge of troubleshooting techniques and methods
- Knowledge of parts requirements including ordering and recording
- Skilled in locating and correcting defects
- Skilled in use of shop tools
- Ability to prepare and maintain maintenance records
- Ability to and willingness to work in all weather conditions and high noise

## JOB DESCRIPTION

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- Ability to climb, stoop, kneel and crouch at ground level
- Ability to carry up to 50 pounds
- Ability to operate forklift

### **RECOMMENDED MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS**

Two years of experience in Mosquito Control operations. Graduation from high school or possession of a GED Certificate; possession of a valid driver license and ability to possess, within the 6 month probationary period, a current State of Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services Public Health Pest Control Certification.

Citrus County Mosquito Control District is a drug free work place and will require a pre-employment drug screening.