

PURPOSE OF THE CLASSIFICATION: Under general supervision is responsible for assisting school age children going to and returning from area schools by stopping traffic so that children may cross the street safely; and other related assigned duties.

ESSENTIAL TASKS:

- Ensures the safety of school age pedestrians
- Directs and controls the movement of school age children at assigned intersections using verbal communications signage, and/or hand signals to indicate the appropriate time for students to cross
- Patrols an assigned intersection, directs traffic to stop and directs school children across the street safely
- Prevents school children from crossing the street while traffic is moving
- Collects appropriate information concerning operators of vehicles that fail to obey proper signals and/or devices at the intersection and in the school zone
- Must report to work on a regular and timely basis

Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential tasks.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Training and Experience: Must meet the following requirements:

1. (a) Graduation from high school or possession of a General Educational Development Certificate (GED); **and,**
(b) Must be able to pass a background check.

Knowledge, Abilities, and Skills: Knowledge of appropriate signals for the control of vehicular traffic; knowledge of traffic safety as it relates to the movement of pedestrians at an intersection. Ability to communicate effectively verbally and in writing; ability to stand and walk outside in a variety of all types of weather conditions and environmental extremes such as heat, cold, rain, snow, air pollution and dust; ability to comprehend and retain knowledge of applicable ordinances, state, and federal laws as it pertains to school crossing and school zones; ability to relate to school age pedestrians and instruct them on safe methods of crossing the street; ability to prevent children from crossing the street in an unsafe manner or when traffic is moving.

Physical Requirements: Physical requirements include walking and standing for several hours, during inclement weather; frequent lifting and carrying up to 10 pounds; constant use of visual acuity, depth perception, and field of vision; frequent handling, hearing, reaching, balancing, bending, climbing, and talking; and speech and hearing sufficient to perform the essential tasks.

Licenses and Certificates: None required.

WORKING ENVIRONMENT: Working environment is outdoors and may be subject to allergens such as insect stings, dust, exhaust fumes, etc.; changes in weather and exposure to the sun are likely.

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