

SKILLED MECHANIC

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: This is a broad class covering many types of recurring mechanical work involving responsibility for performing skilled trades or mechanical work. The work is performed under general supervision and is reviewed by immediate observation, by periodic spot checks, by another step in the process and upon completion.

TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES: *The typical work activities listed below, while providing representative examples of the variety of work assignments in the title, do not describe any individual position. Incumbents in this title may perform some or all of the following, as well as other related activities not described.*

Performs skilled work in masonry, carpentry, electrical or painting operations;

Installs and repairs wiring systems and electric fixtures and equipment;

Repairs windows, doors, floors, walls and other parts of buildings;

Does interior and exterior painting where fine quality of work performed is the principal object;

Installs and repairs general plumbing equipment, such as sinks, toilets and baths;

May mix plaster and concrete and lay brick, plaster walls and finishes concrete work;

May repair, rebuild and refinish recreation equipment;

Assists in the conditioning and maintenance of athletic and parking lots;

Operates trucks, automobiles, air compressors and other motorized equipment;

May take part in general grounds maintenance activities;

Serves as general handyman performing a variety of skilled duties.

FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGES, SKILLS, ABILITIES, AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:

Good knowledge of the common practices, tools, terminology and safety precautions of one or more of the mechanical or construction trades; ability to follow oral and written directions;

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good hand and eye coordination; ability to get along well with others; mechanical aptitude; manual dexterity; reliability; and good judgment.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Either:

- (A) One year of experience as a journeyman in one or more of the mechanical or construction trades; or
- (B) Five years of work experience assisting a journeyman in the construction field; or
- (C) An equivalent combination of training and experience sufficient to indicate an ability to do the work.

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