

SENIOR SIGN AND MARKING SPECIALIST

NATURE AND PURPOSE OF WORK

Position is responsible for safe, efficient movement of traffic by inspecting and surveying existing traffic control signs/pavement markings, preparing work orders, and performing maintenance, repair and/or improvement of devices with relative independence.

Incumbent works under the general direction of the Sign and Marking Foreman and may lead, train and/or instruct Sign and Marking Specialist apprentices.

ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES OF WORK (Note: These examples are intended only to illustrate the various types of work performed by incumbents in this class. All of the duties performed by any one incumbent may not be listed, nor does any one incumbent necessarily perform all of these duties.)

Visually inspects traffic control sign and pavement marking installations, and determines the need for repair, replacement or modification. Prepares work orders for sign replacement, cleaning, and installation as required.

Leads crew and participates in sign/pavement marking maintenance, replacement or installation.

Inspects work areas in all nine districts of the parish to assess the need for repair, replacement or modification to meet requirements of Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, and prepares reports.

Perform related work as required.

NECESSARY KNOWLEDGES, ABILITIES AND SKILLS

Considerable knowledge of the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices and other applicable guidelines pertaining to signs/markings.

Knowledge of Lafayette's geographic layout, intersections and traffic control plans.

Ability to prioritize, schedule, plan and assign work of sign and marking maintenance efficiently and safely.

Ability to maintain effective working relationships with employees, elected officials and public.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS

Completion of high school supplemented by substantial experience with installation and maintenance of traffic signs and pavement markings. Possession of International Municipal Signal Association certification at Level III.

NECESSARY SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS

Possession of a valid Louisiana (Class D) Chauffeur's License.