



POSITION DESCRIPTION

Position Descriptions form a part of an integrated planning process to ensure that individual performances align with the strategic and corporate directions for the City. The Position Description also provides the basis on which selection criteria for the position are determined.

POSITION TITLE:	TURF & IRRIGATION TEAM MEMBER
WORKPLACE AGREEMENT:	CITY OF SALISBURY AWU AND LGE ENTERPRISE BARGAINING AGREEMENT NO.14 - 2024
CLASSIFICATION:	LGE Grade 2
DEPARTMENT / DIVISION:	CITY INFRASTRUCTURE / FIELD SERVICES / PARKS & LANDSCAPE
POLICE CLEARANCE:	NOT REQUIRED
REPORTS TO:	COORDINATOR TURF & IRRIGATION
DIRECT REPORTS:	NIL
POSITION NUMBER:	

POSITION OBJECTIVES:	- To be a positive and hardworking team member of the Turf and Irrigation Maintenance team in providing effective and efficient maintenance services that meet standards. - This position undertakes duties in the support of Council's general parks and landscape maintenance, pump control systems and irrigation operations. The duties include irrigation, pump and park maintenance tasks. The duties involved in this role may be varied to meet seasonal demands. - All tasks will be undertaken with the efficient, safe and effective operation of plant and equipment used in association with those duties. - To effectively be part of the team through following direction, working collaboratively & efficiently, accurate record keeping, and application of Council's policies and procedures.
VALUES AND BEHAVIOURS:	These Values empower us to REACH towards our Vision, deliver exceptional community experiences, quality outcomes and a great place to work. Respectful - Create a sense of belonging & pride in the Salisbury community - Respect individual differences - Speak up when you don't feel respected, or are not being treated respectfully - Look after the wellbeing of our community, ourselves and those around us Empowerment - Take initiative and act with confidence

	• Make informed decisions and own the outcome • Share ideas, feedback and solutions • Learn and grow while supporting others to do their best work Accountable • Take personal ownership and follow through • Deliver on what we say we will do • Believe that the Community comes first • Speak up when it is important Collaborative • Work together, committed to a common purpose • Openly share information • Find ways to connect people for better outcomes Helpful • Listen and focus on what we can do • Create new futures and look for opportunities • Make a positive difference
KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:	Work Practices • The maintenance, repairs and installation of irrigations systems and associated components including; sprinkler and solenoid maintenance, pipework repairs, low voltage electrical works, troubleshooting irrigation faults, irrigation scheduling, irrigation controller operation, central command irrigation operations, irrigation pump operations and minor maintenance, meter reading and recording, filter screen cleaning, etc. • Utilisation of hand tools and all safety equipment when working with equipment or materials. • Maintain equipment in a clean, safe and serviceable condition in accordance with the recommended operating practices. • Undertake operational duties as required that may include operation of other plant or equipment. • Erection of temporary signage in accordance with the Work Zone Traffic Management Australian Standards. • Encourage sound work practices and high standards of workmanship. • Carry out work activities as directed. • Assist other Service Units or Departments as required utilizing plant, equipment and staff as necessary. • Raising of defects in infrastructure as observed whilst undertaking maintenance operations. • Other duties as required from time to time, as per direction. Human Resources / Teamwork • Encourage and support industrious, harmonious and team-oriented work groups. • Assist in the identification of training needs. • Assist in coaching and training staff, including apprentices, trainees and casuals, to develop work skills and increase efficiency. Administration • Maintain a daily record of all work tasks and materials used. • Ensure correct accounting for labour, equipment and materials by maintaining accurate up to date records as required by management (i.e. timesheets, weekly confirm job recording, workzone etc.) This will include the use of computer technology to record and access information.

	• Ensure equipment and materials required are procured from the store or external suppliers in accordance with council's purchasing policy and limits of delegation. Continuous improvement • Engage and contribute to the continuous improvement of work practices and associated systems and processes, including identifying areas for improvement. • Ensure continuous improvement initiatives have considered broader organisational requirements. • Actively promote a culture of continuous improvement. Communication • Ensure communication with staff and customers is at all times clear and courteous
WHS RESPONSIBILITIES:	• Observe and comply with all health and safety policies and procedures within the City of Salisbury including all safe operating procedures or instructions. • Take all reasonable steps to ensure personal safety and that of others is not put at risk through any act or omission in relation to the above. • Report any identified hazards, incidents including near misses or injuries which arise in the course of work, using the systems and/or documentation available for such reporting. • Fulfil individual requirements to meet any documented WHS objectives arising from biannual performance and development reviews. • Not endanger personal safety or that of others by undertaking work whilst under the influence of alcohol or a drug in breach of Council's Drug and Alcohol Policy. • Undertake WHS training where required, in order to perform duties (refer to WHS Competency Assessment).
GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES:	• To comply with the City of Salisbury Code of Conduct and all other policies and procedures adopted by the City of Salisbury as varied from time to time. • To manage all Corporate Records in accordance with required procedures. • Responsible for purchasing goods and services in accordance with purchasing guidelines and delegated financial limits.
COMPETENCIES:	• To be determined and written into the individual training plan upon commencement – see Organisational Wellbeing
ESSENTIAL SELECTION CRITERIA:	• Trade qualifications in (Certificate III or equivalent) in Irrigation or Horticulture. • A current SA driver's licence. • Experience with Irrigated Public Open Space (IPOS) code of practice. • Significant experience in irrigation installation and maintenance operations. • Experience in the delivery of turf services. • Ability to interpret plans and specifications • Ability to program day to day work schedules • Good interpersonal and customer service skills • Good level of literacy and numeracy • Good communication skills, both written and verbal • Knowledge of safe work practices • Work Zone Traffic Management Certificate

DESIRABLE SELECTION CRITERIA:	• Plumbing Licence - Restricted plumbing workers registration can provide technical direction Ltd to Irrigation work. • Knowledge and experience operating centralised irrigation control system • Competence in IAA accredited Irrigation Auditing • Good understanding of Australian standards regarding Non-Drinking (Recycled Water) Standards
SPECIAL CONDITIONS:	• Some work after hours may be required • The incumbent will be required to assist in urgent repair work after normal working hours as required. Provision for overtime payments will be in accordance with the LGE Award and the current Enterprise Agreement.
EXTENT OF AUTHORITY:	• Responsible for purchasing goods and services in accordance with purchasing guidelines and delegated financial limits.

POSITION INCUMBENT NAME:	SIGNATURE:	DATE: