



Temporary, Full-time, Pump & Filtration Technician Job Posting

Roger Williams Park Zoo of Providence, Rhode Island, -one of the nation's oldest zoos and exhibiting over 100 animal species, is currently recruiting for a temporary, full-time, Pump and Filtration Technician. Under the direct supervision of the Facilities Manager, the individual in this position is responsible for maintaining and assisting in repairs of the various life support systems throughout the facility. The Pump and Filtration Technician may also be called upon to assist in other areas of the Facilities Department including, but not limited to, snow removal, carpentry, equipment maintenance and repair, and other related areas of the construction field. This position is Monday through Friday from 7:30 am until 4:00 pm and may run through Summer 2019.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Facilitates the maintenance of all pump and filtration systems.
- Performs preventative maintenance and assist with repairs on pump and filtration systems. (Ex. cleaning of strainer baskets, back washing, lubes and grease.)
- Ensures proper care in the use and maintenance of equipment, supplies related to pump filtration and safety procedures.
- Lubricate all moving parts and bearings pertaining to equipment related to pump filtration system.
- Receives and complete work orders from the Facilities Manager and/or the Deputy Director of Operations pertaining to the scheduled maintenance of all pump and filtration system.
- Perform other job-related tasks as directed by the Facilities Manager and/or the Deputy Director of Operations.
- Participate in snow and ice removal according to the Snow and Ice Removal policy.
- The individual in this position is considered essential personnel should there be severe weather conditions or any zoo related emergency and is expected to respond accordingly.
- Assist in other areas of the organization including but not limited to, crowd control and evacuation.
- Implement and understand the proper and safe usage of all hand and power tools.
- Follow all Zoo procedures in regards to driving and maintaining Zoo vehicles and motorized equipment.
- Understand and follow all Zoo policies and procedures as described in the Team Handbook and in posted policies.
- Perform other duties as assigned or directed in order to meet the mission and objective of the Zoo.
- Assist other members of the Operations department with various tasks or projects.
- Back-up for HVAC/Plumber Technician.

QUALIFICATIONS:

High school diploma or GED. Minimum of one year experience in a pool technician role is required or equivalent combination of education and/or experience. Demonstrated knowledge of pool filtration maintenance, plumbing, reading and comprehending maintenance manuals, as well as prior light construction experience preferred.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Successful completion of a background check.
- Valid state driver's license.
- Ability to:
 - be on call for Zoo emergencies including severe weather conditions,
 - work outdoors under various weather conditions,
 - work flexible work schedule, including occasional weekends and holidays,
 - lift up to 50 pounds.

For immediate consideration, interested candidates are encouraged to send a cover letter, resume, and salary requirements to:

Roger Williams Park Zoo
Attn: General Technician
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Providence, RI 02907
-or-
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