

JOB POSTING
TOWN GROUNDS & HIGHWAY CREW

31 May 2024

The TOWN OF BRANDON seeks a qualified candidate to fill a full-time Public Works position. This position is in the Buildings & Grounds Department as a member of the Town Crew. This interdepartmental position will also secondarily provide coverage within the Highway Department.

A successful applicant must be able to operate groundskeeping equipment, conduct preventative maintenance and repairs on grounds and groundskeeping equipment, and during snowplowing season respond on a 24-hour basis to clear roads (using the Town's ¾ ton truck and plow). The successful applicant will be required to conduct routine groundskeeping operations (ongoing mowing and trimming of Town parks, recreation fields, playground, and cemeteries). Sidewalk receptacle trash collection and tree trimming work are regular parts of this position. Some general carpentry skills for minor repairs to Town buildings would be a useful skill.

The successful applicant must function well as part of a team and within an established chain of authority. Reliability is a must. The employee will work independently much of the time and must be self-directed and diligent in their work ethic. Direction will be provided orally from the Highway Division Chief and the town management team. Candidates must have a high school diploma or equivalent and be experienced in landscaping skills. Pre-employment drug testing and intermittent unannounced testing is required. Knowledge of occupational hazards and safety precautions is imperative. The employee must be in good physical condition to avoid injury to themselves and others. The employee will be required to lift, carry, dig, climb, bend, and move objects. The employee will be exposed to adverse elements of weather in performing job duties.

The Town of Brandon offers competitive pay and a generous benefits package. The Town of Brandon is an equal opportunity employer. Reply to Seth Hopkins, town manager, at the Brandon Town Office, 49 Center Street, Brandon VT 05733 or by email to shopkins@townofbrandon.com. This position is open until filled.

The Town of Brandon is committed to providing equal employment and volunteer opportunities without regard to race, color, sex, religion, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, genetic information, pregnancy, disability, or any other protected characteristic as outlined by federal, state, or local laws.