



## JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Title: Seasonal Weed Sprayer	Safety Sensitive
Department: Weed	FLSA Status: Non-Exempt
Effective Date: February 2017	Salary: \$18.98/Per Hour
Revision Date: April 2023	

### **GENERAL PURPOSE:**

Ability to work with chemical herbicides, be familiar with and identify weeds in the Utah noxious weed list. Follows Utah State Noxious Weed Laws (**Title 4, Chapter 17, Paragraphs 1 - 11**) including becoming a licensed applicator.

### **SUPERVISION RECEIVED:**

Works under the direct supervision of the Weed Supervisor.

### **EXAMPLE OF DUTIES:**

- Sprays areas with herbicides assuring control of noxious weeds without harm or destruction to adjacent vegetation on public lands, road sites, canal banks and private fields.
- Mixes various herbicides to the correct proportions for the job, assess wind direction and speed, possibility of chemicals leaching and other conditions which may result in improper and hazardous applications of herbicide.
- Records location of problem weed areas, areas that have been sprayed and areas of future needs on the appropriate maps of San Juan County. Assists in recording services rendered to property owners noting extent of spraying operations and fees to be charged.
- May be required to work unconventional work hours and be subject to call-back or stand-by status due to weather conditions.
- Performs any and all duties as required or assigned.

### **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Ability to work effectively with assigned personnel, other departments, agencies and the public; ability to communicate effectively verbally and in writing.
- Must be able to walk, bend, reach, push, pull, stoop, lift, sit and squat with approximately forty (40) pounds for a minimum of six (6) hours per day, sometimes in rough terrain.
- Must have full range of movement in hands, arms and legs.

- Must be able to endure all types of climatic conditions for a minimum of eight (8) hours per day.
- Must have a valid Utah Driver's License.
- High school Diploma or Equivalent.
- Must be at least 18 years of age.

**WORKING CONDITIONS:**

Strenuous physical work. Continuous work with medium to heavy weights with frequent pushing, pulling, stooping, sitting, squatting or lifting of heavy weights for extended periods of the day. Continuous or intense exposure to dust, fumes, dampness, cold, heat, chemicals, oils and grease, pollens and organic materials. Exposure to all types of outside weather conditions.

The San Juan County Weed Sprayer will be expected to adhere to the following criteria:

1. Be familiar with the San Juan County Personnel Policy and Procedures.
2. Perform any and all duties as required or assigned.

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_