DOURO-DUMMER JOB DESCRIPTION MANUAL

POSITION: Labourer		PAGE: 1 of 2
REPORTS TO: Manager of Public Works		DATE: September, 2019
THIS JOB DESCRIPTION IS:	_ NEW EXISTING <u>X</u>	_REVISED RESCINDED

Job Summary:

To provide a variety of maintenance and construction services to Township roads, closed waste sites, parks, transfer station and municipal facilities.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Performs the tasks of cutting grass, roadside brushing, grass mowing, patching roads, sign repair, sweeping sidewalks, roads and intersections and other maintenance duties as may be assigned;
- Loads and unloads supplies and materials to be used at job locations;
- Fells trees ensuring employee and public safety, utilizing chain saw and other equipment;
- Assists in cleaning and general maintenance of municipal equipment and facilities, and reports any malfunctions or deficiencies;
- Removes bottles, refuse, dead animals and other debris from roads;
- Clears debris from beaver dams blocking culverts to prevent potential flooding;
- Acts as traffic control person, directing traffic through job sites;
- Operates pickup truck with snowplow and sander performing snow removal at various municipal properties;
- Operates trucks and other municipal equipment to assist in various road maintenance and construction activities;
- Assists with general maintenance of municipal facilities, closed landfill sites, parks, and transfer station;
- Responsible to adhere to the Occupational Health and Safety Act and the Township Health and Safety Policy;
- Maintains good road conditions during winter months by sanding and salting of roads or sidewalks, snow plowing and shoveling as required;
- Will be required to respond to emergency situations as they arise;
- May be required to carry out waste management duties as required;
- Other duties as assigned.

Supervision:

This position does not require the incumbent to supervise or direct the work of others.

Contacts:

<u>Internal:</u> With the Manager of Public Works, Lead Hand and co-workers for the purpose of obtaining and sharing information to complete work assignments.

External: With the general public to provide information, ensuring polite and tactful relations.

Working Condition:

- Exposure to normal equipment depot environment;
- Exposure to hazards and inclement weather conditions;
- The incumbent may be required to work unusual hours in order to handle emergency and poor weather conditions;
- Appropriate personal protective equipment required;
- Labour intensive and physically demanding; lifting, carrying, kneeling, climbing, balancing.

Job Knowledge:

- Grade 12 education or equivalent;
- 1-year previous experience in a construction or Labourer position;
- A knowledge of road construction, maintenance activities and safety procedures;
- Valid Class "D" driver's license with "Z" endorsement with a clean driver's abstract;
- Understanding of Ontario Traffic Manual Book 7 Traffic Protection;
- Ability to use tablets, mobile devices;
- Ability to complete Load securement training;
- Understanding of MTO/CVOR legislation and requirements;
- Ability to obtain Chainsaw Operator Safety Certificate and Propane Safety Certificate;
- Ability to complete flagman training;
- Ability to lift up to 22 kg/50 lbs.;
- Experience in the operation and maintenance of heavy equipment and machinery safely and efficiently;
- Ability to complete WHMIS and Accessible Customer Service Training;
- Current First Aid Certification;
- Ability to obtain Surface Minor Common Core certificate;
- Successful Criminal Record Check.

Key Competencies:

- Good communication skills, proven ability to listen and correspond with the public and effectively communicate with supervisor and co-workers with tact and courtesy;
- Demonstrate excellent customer service skills, including the ability to remain calm in encountering minor conflicts or complaints professionally and respectfully;
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with the public and other Municipal employees;
- Expected to use a high level of initiative and judgment and to work with limited supervision once tasks have been defined;
- Ability to work extended hours as required.

Employee	Chief Administrative Officer