

TRANSIT SUPERVISOR

Definition:

Under the administrative direction of the Assistant City Manager, manages the transit function and staff in order to provide transportation services to the community of Duarte.

Essential Job Duties:

The following tasks are essential for this position. Incumbents in this classification may not perform all of these tasks, or may perform similar related tasks not listed here.

- 1. Supervises the day-to-day operations of the City's fixed route transit system and serves as a backup bus driver.
- 2. Plans transit services including the design of routes and schedules, ordering equipment, writing specifications for new vehicles, ensuring compliance with federal, state and local requirements, and adherence to budgetary constraints.
- 3. Supervises bus drivers, conducts or provides safety and other training programs, hires, trains, and evaluates personnel, takes disciplinary action when necessary, and prepares performance evaluations.
- 4. Writes reports on transportation program activities including maintenance records on vehicles, expenditure summaries, accident investigations, and activity reports.
- 5. Oversees the maintenance program for all city vehicles, supervises safety and maintenance inspections, maintains records, and arranges for procurement, service, and repair of vehicles.
- 6. Investigates complaints and accidents, determines appropriate course of action, and resolves problems.
- 7. Attends a variety of meetings related to transportation programs and coordinates activities with a variety of county, state, and federal agencies.
- 8. Performs other related duties as required.

Minimum Knowledge, Skill and Ability:

Knowledge of:

- Planning and management of transit systems operations and vehicle fleet maintenance.
- The requirements and limitations of county, state, and federal funding sources.
- Two-way radio systems, including installation, operation, and maintenance.
- Methods, techniques, industry standard practices, and City procedures governing municipal transit practices.
- Principles of report preparation.
- Relevant mathematical principles and functions and professional writing techniques.
- Office procedures, methods, and equipment, including computers and applicable software applications, such as word processing, spreadsheets, and databases.
- Functions, policies, and procedures of relevant departments and/or operations.
- English usage, spelling, grammar, and punctuation.

Skill and Ability to:

- Plan, organize, prioritize, and perform duties as assigned with minimal supervision.
- Operate standard office equipment, a personal computer, and relevant software in a Mac environment.
- Interpret and apply department policies and procedures.
- Communicate clearly and concisely, both orally and in writing.
- Research and compile information.
- Maintain extensive records.
- Establish and maintain effective working relationships with the public and all levels of staff and management.
- Successfully adapt in a high-volume, fast-paced working atmosphere with multiple activities.

Training and Experience:

Any equivalent combination of training and experience that provides the required knowledge, skills, and abilities could be considered qualifying. A typical way to obtain the knowledge, skills, and abilities would be an excellent driving record (current H-6 DMV printout required with application), graduation from high school, and two years supervisory experience with transit system operations. One year of experience with fleet vehicle maintenance.

Licenses and Certificates:

Must be in possession of and submit photocopies with application for:

A valid California Class A or B (unrestricted) Drivers License, with an unrestricted passenger endorsement, and a current valid California Medical Examiners Certificate.

Physical Requirements and Working Conditions:

- Requires vision (which may be corrected) to read small print.
- Requires mobility of arms to reach and dexterity of hands to grasp and manipulate small objects.
- Performs lifting, pushing, and/or pulling which does not exceed 75 pounds and is an infrequent aspect of the job.
- Subject to inside environmental conditions.
- May be required to work at a computer for prolonged periods.
- May be required to use personal vehicle in the course of employment.
- May be required to work evenings and on weekends.