

BOATING TECHNICIAN II

DESCRIPTION OF WORK

Work in this class involves the construction and maintenance of the Wildlife Resources Commission's boating access areas and waterways improvement program. Employees are assigned to a district and supervise the construction of boating access areas on inland and coastal waters and are responsible for the continuing maintenance of completed areas. Work also includes supervising the activities in navigable waterways improvement. Associated responsibilities include investigation and feasibility reports on access areas proposed by the public and the hiring of local contractors to do construction or maintenance work when Commission equipment is being utilized in another area. Work is performed under the general supervision of a Boating Supervisor and is evaluated by conference and field evaluation of work completed.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES PERFORMED

Receives general instruction and working sketches concerning the construction of a new access area; determines equipment and materials which will be necessary and coordinates with supervisor in obtaining equipment. When equipment is in use in another area contacts local contractors regarding construction or maintenance work, discusses work to be done and estimated cost, hires the one who can do the best job at the least cost, and monitors work in progress. Supervises a team of Boating Technicians and/or temporary workers in routine maintenance of access sites such as trash clean-up, mowing, and sign renovation; corrects problems such as erosion, incorrect ramp slope, and poor drainage. Surveys job site and stream conditions prior to stream clearance operations to decide on a specific plan of work; decides what should be removed from the stream and where it should be placed; determines the best methods of removing obstructions in the more difficult circumstances. Supervises and participates in the setting and anchoring of "danger", "no wake", and channel marking buoys and other navigational aids and a planned schedule of maintenance surveillance. Performs related duties as required.

RECRUITMENT STANDARDS

Knowledges, Skills, and Abilities

General knowledge of construction methods and practices as applied to the construction of boating access areas.
Skill in the operation of heavy equipment such as drag-line, motor-grader, bulldozer, front-end loader, and outboard powered craft.
Ability to plan, schedule, and effect the economical construction and maintenance of boating access areas in an assigned region of the State.
Ability to supervise the work related to construction and maintenance of access sites and waterways improvement.

Minimum Education and Experience

High school or General Educational Development diploma and three years of construction experience which has included heavy equipment operation or an equivalent combination of education and experience.

Special Note –

This is a generalized representation of positions in this class and is not intended to identify essential functions per ADA. Examples of work are primarily essential functions of the majority of positions in this class, but may not be applicable to all positions.