HIGHWAY SIGN WORKER I

NATURE OF WORK IN THIS CLASS:

Performs semi-skilled work in the fabrication, installation and repair of highway signs, striping of highways and painting of highway related structures.

ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES OF WORK: (These examples do not list all the duties which may be assigned; any one position may not include all the duties listed).

Paints, installs, maintains and repairs highway signs.

Erects and assembles highway signs at designated locations; replaces worn and damaged signs; applies reflectors on highways.

Assists in the preparation and operation of equipment and tools utilized for highway striping work and the painting of bridges, guardrails and related structures.

Assists in the fabrication of highway signs, construction signs and related signs.

 Prepares surfaces for painting by use of burners, scrapers, sandpapers, or sanding machines, dusters, paint remover solution, putty and tape.

Lays out and cuts stencils for traffic and construction signs.

 Maintains and cleans tools, equipment and work areas.

 Applies safe work practices on the job.

 May act as a flagman.

 Performs related duties as required.

MINIMUM KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES AND SKILLS:

Knowledge of the methods, practices, techniques, tools and equipment used in the fabrication and installation of traffic signs and painting of highway and related structures.

Ability to erect, assemble and repair highway signs.
Ability to learn traffic codes, rules and regulations pertaining to traffic signs.

Ability to understand and follow oral and written instructions.

Ability to apply safe work practices on the job.

Ability to work effectively with the public and employees.

MINIMUM EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING:

(a) One year of experience involved in the fabrication and installation of highway signs and painting of guardrails, bridges and related highway structures; or

(b) Any equivalent combination of experience and training which provides the minimum knowledge, abilities and skills.

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