



**Title: Police Guard**

FLSA Status: Non-Exempt

**BRIEF DESCRIPTION:**

The purpose of this position is to oversee all trustees performing work assigned by the Lieutenant of the Police Support Division. This position will report to the Lieutenant and in his/her absence the Captain.

**DUTIES and RESPONSIBILITIES:**

Primary duties and responsibilities are to supervise the work being performed by trustees. This is accomplished by ensuring trustees do not make physical contact with the public while trustees are performing the following work: painting curbs; setting up and taking down barricades; washing police vehicles; cleaning litter off the sides of city streets; and assembling city tents. Police Guards will also assist the shift as needed with traffic control and working details.

**ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:**

Note: This information is intended to be descriptive of the key responsibilities of the position. The list of essential functions below does not identify all duties performed by any single incumbent in this position. Additionally, please be aware of the legend below when referring to the physical demands of each essential function.

<b>(S) Sedentary</b>	<b>(L) Light</b>	<b>(M) Medium</b>	<b>(H) Heavy</b>	<b>(V) Very Heavy</b>
Exerting up to 10 lbs. occasionally or negligible weights frequently; sitting most of the time.	Exerting up to 20 lbs. occasionally; 10 lbs. frequently; or negligible amounts constantly; OR requires walking or standing to a significant degree.	Exerting 20-50 lbs. occasionally; 10-25 lbs. frequently; or up to 10 lbs. constantly.	Exerting 50-100 lbs. occasionally; 10-25 lbs. frequently; or up to 10-20 lbs. constantly.	Exerting over 100 lbs. occasionally; 50-100 lbs. frequently; or up to 20-50 lbs. constantly.

#	Code	Essential Functions	% of Time
1	M	Provide police support by supervising work being performed by trustees. This is accomplish by ensuring trustees do not make physical contact with the public while performing work. Placing speed monitor trailers out where needed; putting out and picking up barricades; assisting patrol with traffic control; and assisting in transporting prisoners.	60%
2	L	Performs general City maintenance functions by supervising trustees while the following work is being performed: painting curbs and cross walks; painting stop marks on roads next to stop signs; putting up street signs; washing police vehicles; and picking up litter.	30%
3	L	Provides other police support functions as needed by supervising trustees when setting up city tents; cleaning up after parades and other events; and assist in the passing out of commodities.	10%



**JOB REQUIREMENTS:**

-Description of Minimum Job Requirements-	
Formal Education	Work requires knowledge necessary to understand basic operational, technical and office processes. Level of knowledge equivalent to four years of high school or equivalency.
Experience	No experience required.
Supervision	Job has the responsibility of supervision of Trustees.
Human Collaboration Skills	Decisions regarding implementation of policies may be made. Contact may involve support of controversial positions or the negotiation of sensitive issues or important presentations. Contacts may involve stressful, negative interactions with the public requiring high levels of tact and the ability to respond to aggressive interpersonal interactions.
Freedom to Act	Receives Direction: The employee normally performs the duty assignment after receiving general instructions as to methods, procedures, and the desired end results. There is some opportunity for discretion when making selections among a few, easily identifiable choices. The assignment is usually reviewed upon completion.
Technical Skills	Basic: Work requires the use of standard technical skills appropriate to the work environment of the organization.
Reading	Basic - Ability to read papers, journals, manuals, dictionaries, thesauruses, etc. Ordinarily, such education is obtained in elementary school up to high school. However, it may be obtained from experience and self-study.
Math	Basic - Ability to perform the four basic arithmetic operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division). Ordinarily, such education is obtained in elementary school up to high school. However, it may be obtained from experience and self-study.
Writing	Basic - Ability to write simple sentences containing subject, verb, and object, and/or series of numbers, names, and addresses. Ordinarily, such education is obtained in elementary school up to high school. However, it may be obtained from experience and self-study.
Certification & Other Requirements	Must be 21 years of age; pass the required Civil Service Examination and be in a selectable position; Must possess a valid Louisiana Driver's license; must pass a criminal background; pass a psychological test; and complete and maintain the Peace Officer's Standardize Training. (P.O.S.T.)



**OVERALL PHYSICAL STRENGTH DEMANDS:**

-Physical strength for this position is indicated below with "X"-					
Sedentary	Light	X	Medium	Heavy	Very Heavy
Exerting up to 10 lbs. occasionally or negligible weights frequently; sitting most of the time.	Exerting up to 20 lbs. occasionally, 10 lbs. frequently, or negligible amounts constantly OR requires walking or standing to a significant degree.	X	Exerting 20-50 lbs. occasionally, 10-25 lbs. frequently, or up to 10 lbs. constantly.	Exerting 50-100 lbs. occasionally, 10-25 lbs. frequently, or up to 10-20 lbs. constantly.	Exerting over 100 lbs. occasionally, 50-100 lbs. frequently, or up to 20-50 lbs. constantly.

**PHYSICAL DEMANDS:**

C Continuously <small>2/3 or more of the time.</small>	F Frequently <small>From 1/3 to 2/3 of the time.</small>	O Occasionally <small>Up to 1/3 of the time.</small>	R Rarely <small>Less than 1 hour per week.</small>	N Never <small>Never occurs.</small>
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Note: This is intended as a description of the way the job is currently performed. It does not address the potential for accommodation.

-Physical Demand-	-Frequency-	-Brief Description-
Standing	F	communicating with co-workers, observing work duties, observing work site
Sitting	F	driving
Walking	F	around work site
Lifting	O	equipment, supplies
Carrying	O	equipment, supplies
Pushing/Pulling	O	tables and chairs
Reaching	O	Equipment
Handling	O	paperwork
Fine Dexterity	R	computer keyboard
Kneeling	O	
Crouching	O	
Crawling	R	
Bending	F	retrieving items from lower shelves/ground
Twisting	F	getting inside vehicle
Climbing	N	
Balancing	N	
Vision	C	driving, observing work site
Hearing	C	communicating with co-workers and public and on telephone
Talking	C	communicating with co-workers and public and on telephone
Foot Controls	F	driving
Other (specified if applicable)		



**MACHINES, TOOLS, EQUIPMENT, SOFTWARE, AND HARDWARE:**

Paint equipment, wash buckets, and trash pickers.

**ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS:**

<b>C</b> Continuously	<b>F</b> Frequently	<b>O</b> Occasionally	<b>R</b> Rarely	<b>N</b> Never
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<b>D</b> Daily	<b>W</b> Several Times Per Week	<b>M</b> Several Times Per Month	<b>S</b> Seasonally	<b>N</b> Never
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<b>-Health and Safety Factors-</b>	
Mechanical Hazards	O
Chemical Hazards	N
Electrical Hazards	N
Fire Hazards	N
Explosives	N
Communicable Diseases	O
Physical Danger or Abuse	R
Other (see 1 below)	N

<b>-Environmental Factors-</b>	
Respiratory Hazards	S
Extreme Temperatures	S
Noise and Vibration	N
Wetness/Humidity	M
Physical Hazards	N

(1) N/A

**PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

Safety glasses and gloves.

**NON-PHYSICAL DEMANDS:**

<b>F</b> Frequently From 1/3 to 2/3 of the time	<b>O</b> Occasionally Up to 1/3 of the time	<b>R</b> Rarely Less than 1 hour per week	<b>N</b> Never Never occurs
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<b>-Description of Non-Physical Demands-</b>	<b>-Frequency-</b>
Time Pressure	O
Emergency Situation	R
Frequent Change of Tasks	F
Irregular Work Schedule/Overtime	R
Performing Multiple Tasks Simultaneously	O
Working Closely with Others as Part of a Team	F
Tedious or Exacting Work	O
Noisy/Distracting Environment	F
Other (see 2 below)	N

(2) N/A

**PRIMARY WORK LOCATION:**

Office Environment		Vehicle	
Warehouse		Outdoors	X
Shop		Other (see 3 below)	
Recreation/Neighborhood Center			

(3)N/A



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**SIGNATURE – REVIEW AND COMMENTS:**

I have reviewed this description and understand the requirements and responsibilities of the position.

	_____ Signature of Employee	_____ Date
_____ Job Title of Supervisor	_____ Signature of Supervisor	_____ Date
_____ Job Title of Department Head	_____ Signature of Department Head	_____ Date

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
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The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by individuals assigned to this position. They are not intended to be an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties, and skills required. This description is subject to modification as the needs and requirements of the position change.