

**CINCINNATI PARK BOARD  
2012 SEASONAL POSITION  
HORTICULTURAL TECHNICIAN**

Assists Horticulturist with all maintenance and planting tasks including: bed preparation, mulching, weeding, pruning, planting of various plant material and plant removal; deadheading, trash pickup in beds, raking up debris, fertilizing and other chemical applications, and watering. Will be exposed to weather and various horticultural chemicals. Bending, stretching, heavy lifting, and some strenuous labor may be required. Work performed on or around the City's public greenspace, facilities, and park areas. Work may include working in/on community gateways, parkways, traffic islands, parks, downtown Cincinnati, community business districts, major arteries through the city, and Krohn Conservatory.

Work under close supervision assisting the Horticulturist, or alone under general or specific instruction. May work with volunteers and answer general gardening questions from the public. Operates mechanized equipment and hand tools with or without supervision. Some knowledge of plants, gardening practices and techniques is required. Specific skills or the operation of certain pieces of equipment may be learned on the job.

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Must be at least 18 years of age with a high school diploma or GED
- College-level coursework in horticulture (or related field) and/or horticultural work experience preferred
- Must be physically able to perform moderate to heavy labor work
- Provide own transportation to and from work
- Must be a State of Ohio resident
- Requires valid Ohio driver's license
- Drug screen required

**PAY/HOURS:**

\$10 per hour; flexible starting time March/April through fall, 2012

Up to 40 hours per week, occasional evening or Saturdays will be required

Enrolled in City Retirement System, no benefits

**APPLY IN PERSON OR SEND RESUME TO:**

Cincinnati Parks, Operations Division

421 Oak St Cincinnati, OH 45229

Phone: 513-861-8970; Fax: 513-861-8669

-Applicants Must complete a **City of Cincinnati Open to the Public job application**

-Applicants Must provide with their application:

**A valid Ohio drivers license**

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