# **Position Description**



POSITION TITLE		Skid Steer Operator			
REFERENCE/POSITION NUMBER		MTE0081			
DEPARTMENT		Engineering and Works			
ACCOUNTABLE TO		Manager Operations and Maintenance			
SUPERVISOR		Maintenance Coordinator			
DIRECTLY SUPERVISES		None			
INDIRECTLY SUPERVISES		None			
VOLUNTEERS SUPERVISED		None			
GRADE	5	STATUS	Permanent	TYPE	Full time
HOURS	38		LOCATION	Works Depot	
MOBILE PHONE	No		LAPTOP	No	
VEHICLE		No vehicle			
LAST UPDATED		18/04/2018			



## RESPECT

We treat others as we expect to be treated - in a fair and professional manner.



## INNOVATION

We champion change in order to provide superior services to our community.



## **INTEGRITY**

We are open, honest and ethical in our behaviours - at all times.



## **TEAMWORK**

We are one team working together with trust and commitment to achieve shared goals.



## **EXCELLENCE**

We aspire to be the best - in everything we do.

## **OBJECTIVES**

- To operate the skid steer loader in an effective and efficient manner for the tasks at hand
- To liaise with Council's Coordinators to obtain clear job instructions.
- To convey the image of Council as being both courteous and efficient in all activities.

## **SELECTION CRITERIA**

#### **ESSENTIAL**

- MR Driver's Licence.
- RMS Traffic Controllers Certificate yellow and blue.
- Chainsaw Operators Certificate (cross cut only).
- Certification or experience in operating a Skid Steer Loader with regards to trenching, roadworks and earthworks.
- Experience in operating a 5 tonne truck and plant trailer.
- Literacy skills to understand detailed instructions and read engineering plans.

### **DESIRABLE**

- General civil labouring experience including working with concrete or parks and gardens works.
- Knowledge of the principles of soil and water management.
- Skills in setting our construction levels using string line, spirit levels and tape.

# **DUTIES**

- Assist in planning and co-ordinating the work activities,
- Undertake traffic control to RTA requirements.
- Operate the skid steer loader to manufacturer's instructions.
- Undertake minor maintenance on the skid steer loader.
- Load, transport and unload the skid steer loader as required driving the 5 tonne truck.
- Undertake tree pruning and removal.
- Undertake general labouring tasks as required.
- Work in accordance with relevant SWMS.

### **CORPORATE RESPONSIBILITIES**

# **RESPECT AND DIGNITY**

All employees are required to:

- Promote respect for others and fairness and equity, acting in accordance with principles of EEO and Anti-Discrimination
- Demonstrate respect for others and contribute to a positive work environment
- Take appropriate action to prevent bullying, harassment and discrimination of others
- Identify and minimise exposure to risk for self and others

### **INTEGRITY**

All employees are required to:

- Comply with the Code of Conduct and all relevant legislative requirements, Council plans, protocols, policies and procedures
- Work within budget and time constraints to optimise outcomes while balancing resource requirements
- Apply policies, protocols and guidelines equitably and without personal bias
- Model Council's Values
- Use and protect Council's information, resources, equipment and systems in accordance with relevant protocols, policies and legislation

## **INNOVATION**

All employees are required to:

- Identify and, in consultation with their supervisor, initiate opportunities for improvements in processes and service and waste minimisation
- Seek to understand and embrace relevant best practice and industry trends relevant to own work area
- Participate in ongoing learning and embrace relevant technology and change

## **TEAMWORK**

All employees are required to:

- Actively share information, knowledge and skills with others to optimise organisational performance
- Take interest in and provide feedback on corporate initiatives
- Work positively and proactively with others, and to the best of your ability, to deliver organisational outcomes
- Provide support and advice, to others, in own area of expertise

### **EXCELLENCE**

All employees are required to:

- Meet or exceed functional responsibilities and service level agreements described in position description and operational plans
- Support and use contemporary frameworks designed to optimise systems and processes
- Demonstrate an understanding of the needs of internal and external customers, as relevant to the role, anticipating and meeting their needs with the parameters of Council requirements
- Ensure current competence and relevant accreditation/licencing
- Follow safe and ethical practices to minimise risk to self and others
- Actively participate in relevant training and seek opportunities for ongoing learning as applicable
- Report incidents, illnesses and injuries immediately and take appropriate follow-up action if required

# WORK, HEALTH AND SAFETY AND EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY RESPONSIBILITIES

In addition to the overall corporate responsibilities listed above and the statements below, you are required to perform your duties in accordance with this Position Description, Council's Code of Conduct, policies, protocols and procedures.

# **Work Health and Safety (WHS)**

- Follow safe practices/procedures to perform your duties in a manner, so as not to put yourself or others at risk of harm
- Participate in development of safe work methods and risk assessments with your supervisor when required
- Actively participate in WHS inductions and training when required
- Wear personal protective equipment (PPE) in the prescribed manner and when specified
- Participate in workplace inspections if required
- Take care of any plant or equipment of any kind, including computer and other telecommunication devices
- Participate in emergency preparedness training, including any required knowledge for business continuity plans
- Report all hazards, near misses and damage to Council's property to the responsible Manager

# **Certificates of Competency / Licences**

 Where required for the position, either by legislation or through Council's policies, protocols and procedures, maintain all certificates, licences, operative training etc for the group, and advise the responsible Manager of any change to these, including vehicle licences.

## **Injury Management**

- Report all injuries/illnesses to the responsible Manager immediately
- If injured at work, actively cooperate and participate to comply with obligations imposed under injury management and return-to-work plans where applicable

# **Risk Management**

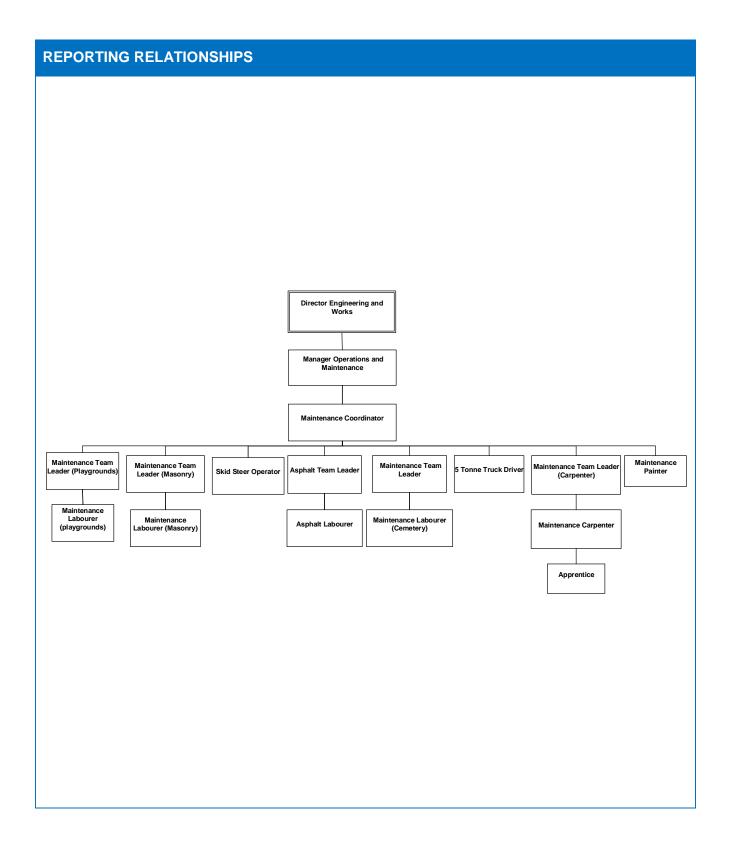
 Report any potential public liability and professional indemnity exposures in your workplace to the responsible Manager

## **Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO)**

- Work to the best of your ability and provide quality service to customers
- Recognise the skills and talent of other staff members
- Act to prevent bullying, harassment and discrimination against others in your workplace
- Respect differences among your colleagues and customers such as cultural and social diversity
- Treat people fairly don't discriminate against, bully or harass them
- Work in keeping with the Kiama Municipal Council's EEO management plan and other EEO policies

DELEGATIONS				
FINANCIAL DELEGATION:	Nil			
RESPONSIBILITY DELEGATION:	Act in Accordance with Instrument of Delegation			
NO OF CONTRACTS MANAGED:	None			
ANNUAL VALUE OF CONTRACTS MANAGED:	None			
CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT OF EXPENDITURE PER ANNUM:	No reponsibility			
BUDGET DEVELOPMENT:	None			

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT				
AWARD/AGREEMENT	Local Government (State) Award			
PROTOCOLS:	Employees are to comply with Council's Code of Conduct and Council protocols at all times.			
PRE-EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS:	Physical and mental capability to perform the inherent requirements of the position			
	Proof of ability to legally work in Australia			
	<ul> <li>Pre-employment screening to Australian Standards in Employment Screening.</li> </ul>			
	Criminal record check	No		
	Pre-employment medical	Yes		
	Working with children check	No		



I have read the above position description for my role; I accept the responsibility for achieving the above duties and understand that I am accountable for their achievement.

Employee Signature:	Date: Drop down for date
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