



CITY OF HAWTHORNE
HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
GRAFFITI WORKER
Classification Specification
(Part-Time)

JOB SUMMARY

The Graffiti Worker works under the supervision of the Graffiti Lead Worker. Under supervision, the Graffiti Worker performs graffiti removal and repair on City, residential and commercial properties.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The following is a list of typical duties assigned to the Graffiti Worker. The duties included on this list are examples and are not intended to be all-inclusive or restrictive:

1. Remove graffiti using solvents from sites either requested by the public or City, including City property, private and commercial property.
2. Paint over graffiti using appropriate paint.
3. Responds to resident and service requests.
4. May select and purchase painting supplies and equipment.
5. Operates paint brushes, rollers, and spray guns.
6. Paints walls, curbs, courts, and playground equipment.
7. Maintains paint brushes, paint pots, spray guns, compressors, and related equipment.
8. Operates sand and water blasters.
9. Remove signs and posters from City property.
10. Distribute and retrieve waivers from members of the community who wish to have graffiti removed from their property.
11. Provide information to the public regarding graffiti removal services offered by the City.
12. Work with community service workers and student workers who assist in removing graffiti; provide technical supervision for these workers.
13. Performs other related duties as assigned.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Education, Training, & Experience:

Graduation from high school or GED equivalent.

Necessary Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

- Ability to follow regulations and standards set forth by the South Coast Air Quality Management District regarding the use of solvents for removing graffiti.
- Ability to follow written and oral instructions.

- Ability to apply various types of paints using a variety of tools and equipment.
- Ability to work independently or with a crew.
- Ability to deal tactfully and effectively with the general public and other employees.

LICENSING

Possession of or ability to obtain a Class “C” California Driver’s License prior to appointment

WORKING CONDITIONS

Work is regularly performed outdoors in seasonal climate and weather conditions. Dust, dirt, paint fumes, chemicals and oily conditions, odors and explosive or combustible substances are encountered on a regular basis. Slippery surfaces, high elevations, cramped positions, noise and vibrations are frequent factors. Moving objects, potential burns, and irregular work hours are occasional factors. Meeting deadlines is frequently encountered. Physical demands include continuous arm movements, standing, bending and reaching.