

Job Description and Person Specification

Roadworker – Level 3

Job Details		
Grade	6	
Service	Highways Operations & Development	
Location	Whitley Depot	
Job Evaluation Code	A5803	

Coventry City Council Values

We expect everyone who works for us to be committed to our One Coventry values and to share our commitment to becoming a more diverse and inclusive organisation:

Open and fair: We are open, fair and transparent.

Nurture and develop: We encourage a culture where everyone is supported to do and be the best they can be.

Engage and empower: We engage with our residents and empower our employees to enable them to do the right thing.

Create and innovate: We embrace new ways of working to continuously improve the services we offer.

Own and be accountable: We work together to make the right decisions and deliver the best services for our residents.

Value and respect: We put diversity and inclusion at the heart of all we do.

Job Purpose

As part of a team, carry out the maintenance and construction of roads, pavements and sewers.



Main Duties & Key Accountabilities

Erect and Move Signs and Barriers in accordance with Chapter 8 of the Traffic Signs Manual

Removes, prepares, applies and compacts soils, rocks, coated and other materials to Highway, playgrounds, car parks and other associated areas.

Drive vehicles such as tandem rollers, dumper trucks, loading shovels and other vehicles associated with routine Highway maintenance including fitting and utilising simple attachments.

Use powered hand tools, plant and machinery as necessary

Erect, fix and dismantle street furniture

Clear snow and grit footways and pedestrian areas as directed

To work independently in construction work including laying and raking tarmac and other flexible surfacing, lay high quality kerbing and paving such as natural stone/granite paving, setts and associated materials, laying deep drainage including pipe runs and connections, trench shoring, deep manhole construction, steel fixing, reinforced concreting, fencing and bricklaying associated with Highway work to precise levels, tolerances and exacting standards.

Setting out work with reference to datum points supplied on drawings or by Supervisors

Proficient in the use of recognised setting out techniques and equipment such as string lines, spirit levels, offsets and dips interpreting information supplied on drawings or from Supervisor.

Effectively lead, supervise and motivate Roadworkers Level 1's, 2's and Apprentices in the safe delivery of high-quality services within agreed timescales, setting targets and offering guidance and support as required

Assisting Supervisor in the cost-efficient delivery of schemes, including providing accurate data for material ordering and positive engagement with problem solving to avoid delays.

Operation of heavy plant or complex plant and equipment requiring specialist skills

Ensure the delivery of service is carried out in accordance with service specifications and customer requirements, including pro-active engagement with Supervisors and Clients to resolve construction queries and complaints

Deploy resources in team effectively to ensure priorities are met on a daily basis to ensure value for money and contribute experience and advice to customers and clients for the efficient delivery of schemes

Engage with Supervisors and Clients in the programming of works to minimise environmental impact and maximise value for money.



Assist Supervisors in the identification and implementation of best practise to ensure continuous improvement and innovation in service delivery.

Deputise for Supervisors as required, including the management of material orders and client / customer liaison.

Train and mentor junior Roadworkers and Apprentices as required, including carrying out assessments of skills progression for promotion purposes

Actively monitor Health and Safety compliance by others on site and contribute towards the development and monitoring of Risk Assessments, Safe Systems of Work and Incident investigations.

Any other duties and responsibilities within the range of the salary grade.

Key Relationships			
External:	 Contractors Clients Local business Members of the public 	Internal:	 Staff and managers from all Council Departments

Standard Information

Post holders will be accountable for carrying out all duties and responsibilities with due regard to Code of Conduct, Safeguarding, Health & Safety and the City Council's Workforce Diversity and Inclusion Policies.

Duties which include processing of any personal data must be undertaken within the corporate data protection guidelines.

Training

The postholder must attend any training and undertake any development activities that are identified as mandatory/beneficial to their role.

Responsible for

Apprentice, Roadworker Level 1 & Roadworker Level 2



Person Specification				
Requirements				
Knowledge	Detailed understanding in the correct use of materials and hand tools used in civil engineering, i.e. shovels, picks, etc.			
Knowledge	Detailed understanding in the correct use of powered tools and plant, i.e. compressors, vib rollers, sit-on small rollers, etc.			
Knowledge	Good understanding of Health & Safety processes and procedures, risk assessments, safe systems of work etc			
Knowledge	Knowledge of HR and Supervisory processes and procedures			
Knowledge	Awareness of Equal Opportunities issues in the workplace and in service provision			
Knowledge	Understanding of the principles of customer care			
Skills And Ability	Able to work to precise levels and requirements in construction work.			
Skills And Ability	To work in a team environment.			
Skills And Ability	Able to adjust iron works, boxes, etc. within highways.			
Skills And Ability	Able to lift kerbs, slabs and cement to and from ground level.			
Skills And Ability	Able to excavate, with the use of hand tools/heavy compressors/hydraulic excavating, kerbs/concrete granite/flags and various tarmacadams.			
Skills And Ability	Able to supervise a team of operatives ensuring delivery of high-quality services			
Skills And Ability	Able to plan, organise and prioritise			
Skills And Ability	Able to problem solve and find innovative solutions			
Skills And Ability	Effective interpersonal, verbal and written communication skills			
Skills And Ability	Able to work to precise levels and requirements in construction work.			
Experience	Proven experience in the construction and maintenance of highways.			



Experience	Proven experience of Paving repairs or machine lay work	
Experience	Experience of supervising small teams	
Special Requirements	Full UK Driving licence	

Declaration					
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