

Position Description

POSITION DETAILS	
Date of PD	July 2022
Position Title	Team Member, Parks
Position Grade	2
Directorate Business Unit	City Assets & Operations Parks & Open Spaces
Reports to	Team Leader Parks
Physical Requirements Category	Category 2- Field Role with considerable Physical
	Requirements

POSITION OVERVIEW

This role reports to a team leader and is responsible for delivering horticultural services that ensures Parramatta's parks and open spaces are maintained and improved to enhance the appearance of the city and to promote Parramatta as Australia's next great city.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

Operational (core)

- Assist the Team Leader to deliver all works; programs/schedules to the agreed standards.
- Undertake inspections of parks and other facilities to ensure that Council's exposure to liability is minimised.
- Make decisions and implement work practices in line with acceptable practices of the Horticulture/Arboriculture/Green keeping, trade and industry.
- Undertake a variety of tasks required for the successful completion of the functions of the Parks Services Team, to ensure the long-term management, condition and usability of assets and facilities under the care of the team.
- Adapt to changing priorities and undertake other tasks as directed, to assist other teams and
 operational areas, particularly in wet weather or other emergencies to meet community needs.
- Display an awareness of costs and ensure operations are undertaken efficiently with minimal waste.
- Carry out an agreed program of works to ensure the timely and effective completion of all objectives.
- Provide feedback and input on improvements in operating procedures, programs and work schedules, including upgrading or improvements to plant, equipment, materials and tools used by the team or unit.
- Ensure correct completion of all necessary administrative functions (electronic or paper based) associated with the department.
- Have a good knowledge of Council's software and technology as it applies to the position (Worx online (iPad)) and troubleshooting capabilities.

- Ensure a safe workplace for all works undertaken by;
 - Taking reasonable care for your own health and safety and the health and safety of others.
 - Complying with any reasonable instructions, policies, and procedures of Council.

Corporate (core)

- Ensure EEO, the principles for a culturally diverse society, and Council's policies, procedures and Code of Conduct are complied with at all times.
- Contribute to improved customer service and organisational effectiveness, by acting ethically, honestly, and with fairness.
- Contribute to Council's sustainability objectives by reducing waste and litter, minimising
 consumption of fuel, energy and water while delivering services. Identify and report areas for
 potential improvement.

Knowledge

Qualifications (Level)

- Hold a current NSW Driver's Licence (C Class, MR desirable).
- Possession of a construction industry certificate ("White Card").
- Chemical application ChemUse AQF3
- Asbestos Awareness
- Traffic control Licence TCR, IMP desirable

Experience

Relevant experience in the area of specialisation in maintenance of parks and open spaces

Skills

• The capacity to undertake the physical requirements of the role and area of specialisation