TITLE:	**Parks Maintenance Worker**	**JOB CODE:**	1222
PREPARED:	6/30/03	**FLSA:**	Non-Exempt
UPDATED:		**REVISION #:**	

Summary: Under close supervision, performs a variety of grounds maintenance at County facilities.

Distinguishing Characteristics: None.

Essential Job Functions: *Essential functions, as defined under the Americans with Disabilities Act, may include any of the following tasks, knowledges, skills and other characteristics. The list that follows is not intended as a comprehensive list; it is intended to provide a representative summary of the major duties and responsibilities. Incumbent(s) may not be required to perform all duties listed, and may be required to perform additional, position-specific tasks.*

- Inspects, maintains and cleans County-owned Parks equipment, including playground equipment, ball fields, and restrooms.
- Inspects and maintains sprinkler systems to ensure proper coverage and running times.
- Performs weed control, including spraying pesticides and herbicides, hoeing and weed pulling.
- Applies fertilizer to ball fields and lawns.
- Mows lawns and trims trees and shrubs.
- Works with cemetery customers to respond to questions and to locate grave sites, dig and refill graves.
- Provides limited work direction to seasonal employees.
- Perform routine maintenance on vehicles and equipment.
- Performs related work as assigned.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Required Knowledge and Skills:

- Knowledge of the principles, practices, procedures, methods and materials of groundskeeping.
- Knowledge of County policies, procedures, rules and regulations.
- Skill in operating hand tools, power tools and motorized equipment.
- Skill in following and effectively communicating verbal and written instructions.
- Skill in working independently or as a team member.

Education, Experience, Certifications and Licenses:

- High School diploma or equivalent GED certificate.
- Two years of experience in groundskeeping or landscaping.
- Restricted use pesticide license.

- Possession of a valid State of Nevada Driver's license.

Environmental Factors and Conditions/Physical Requirements:

- Work is performed primarily in external environments with exposure to inclement weather, and varying temperatures.
- May be exposed to hazardous chemicals.
- Subject to standing, walking, sitting, bending, reaching, kneeling, and lifting heavy objects up to 75 pounds.

Equipment and Tools Utilized:

- Special Equipment includes hand and power tools, power and push mowers, sprayer, leaf blower, trencher, welder, cutting torch, compressor, meters, grinders, chain saw and various motorized equipment and vehicles.