CITY OF LONG BEACH
CLASSIFICATION SPECIFICATION

TITLE: STREET LANDSCAPING SUPERVISOR I - II

DEFINITION: Under direction, supervises landscape maintenance, tree maintenance, irrigation systems maintenance, and pest control on public streets and grounds.

DISTINGUISHING CHARACTERISTICS:

Street Landscaping Supervisor II is distinguished from the I Grade Level by having responsibility for administrative, technical and operational aspects of the Street Landscaping Division.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES:

- Plans, lays out, assigns, and supervises the work of employees engaged in trimming, pruning, spraying, maintaining equipment, planting, and removing trees and landscape plantings;
- Instructs employees in proper use and application of pesticides, fungicides, fertilizers, tools, and related landscape and tree maintenance equipment;
- Establishes operating procedures and work standards;
- Develops and maintains safe working practices and enforces safety rules and regulations including traffic control measures;
- Evaluates and estimated job requirements, labor and material needs;
- Insures that employees are properly supplied with materials, tools and equipment;
- Interviews, selects, trains, evaluates, and disciplines subordinates;
- Maintains records;
- Prepares reports;
- Performs other related duties as required.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

Open to Classified City employees who have a total of three (3) or more years seniority in any of the following classifications: Equipment Operator, Gardener, Greenskeeper, Park District Supervisor, Park Crew Supervisor, Pesticide Crew Supervisor, Power Equipment Repair Mechanic, and/or Tree Trimmer; a minimum of one year in a lead or supervisory capacity; and good working knowledge of ornamental horticulture, arboriculture, pest control, and safety practices.

Willingness to work irregular hours, including evenings, weekends, holidays, and respond to emergency call backs.

Possession of a valid Qualified Applicator's Certificate for pesticides is desirable.

STREET LANDSCAPING SUPERVISOR I – II (continued)

HISTORY:

Position title established 07/01/86

Approval/Adoption Dates: 09/16/86 - Human Resources Department
10/22/86 - Civil Service Commission