

JOB INFORMATION	
Job Code	NA38
Job Description Title	Pesticide Applicator
Pay Grade	FM10
Range Minimum	\$37,240
33rd %	\$43,450
Range Midpoint	\$46,550
67th %	\$49,650
Range Maximum	\$55,860
Exemption Status	Non-Exempt
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### JOB FAMILY AND FUNCTION

Job Family: Facilities, Maintenance, & Operations

Job Function: Grounds

#### JOB SUMMARY

Under general supervision, applies pesticides, fertilizers, and other chemicals throughout University properties and grounds.

#### **RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Determines and applies appropriate pesticides, fertilizers, colorant, and/or cultural control methods according to label recommendations.
- Oversees calibration of equipment, sprayers, and fertilizer spreaders; reads and interprets pesticide labels.
- Maintains state-required records pertaining to pesticide application and usage.
- Inspects grounds including turf, trees, and shrub beds for weeds, insects, and/or disease.
- Conducts soil tests and interprets the results to identify the proper levels and rates of chemical application.
- Cleans and maintains pesticide and fertilizer application equipment.
- Orders and purchases pesticides as needed.
- Assists with university landscape projects as needed.
- May be responsible for meeting and maintaining training and certification requirements as outlined by the applicable department's training and credentialing requirements.
- May perform other related duties as assigned.

## SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES

Supervisory Responsibility

May be responsible for training, assisting or assigning tasks to others. May provide input to performance reviews of other employees.

## MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

To be eligible, an individual must meet all minimum requirements which are representative of the knowledge, skills, and abilities typically expected to be successful in the role. For education and experience, minimum requirements are listed on the top row below. If substitutions are available, they will be listed on subsequent rows and may only to be utilized when the candidate does not meet the minimum requirements.

MINIMUM EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE							
Education Level	Focus of Education		Years of Experience	Focus of Experience			
High School	High School Diploma or equivalent	And	4 years of	Experience in pesticide application.			

# MINIMUM KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, & ABILITIES

Knowledge of terminology, use, and application methods of pesticides and fertilizers.

Knowledge of safety regulations related to pesticides/fertilizers and their applications.

General knowledge of plants, shrubs, trees, turf types, and weeds.

MINIMUM LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS						
Licenses/Certifications	Licenses/Certification Details	Time Frame	Required/ Desired			
DL NUMBER - Driver License, Valid and in State	Any State	Upon Hire	Required	And		
	OTPC	within 180 Days	Required	And		
	OTPS	within 180 Days	Required			

# PHYSICAL DEMANDS & WORKING CONDITIONS

Physical Demands Category: Other

PHYSICAL DEMANDS							
Physical Demand	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Constantly	Weight	
Standing					X		
Walking					X		
Sitting			X				
Lifting	X						
Climbing			X				
Stooping/ Kneeling/ Crouching			X				
Reaching			X				
Talking			X				
Hearing			X				
Repetitive Motions					X		
Eye/Hand/Foot Coordination					X		

WORKING ENVIRONMENT							
Working Condition	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Constantly		
Extreme cold				Χ			
Extreme heat				X			
Humidity				X			
Wet				X			
Noise				X			
Hazards				X			
Temperature Change				X			

WORKING ENVIRONMENT							
Working Condition	Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Constantly		
Atmospheric Conditions				X			
Vibration				X			

# **Vision Requirements:**

Ability to see information in print and/or electronically.