



IRRIGATION TECHNICIAN LEVEL 1

General Position Summary:

Lead Irrigation tech provides initial troubleshooting of commercial and residential irrigation systems. They have the special skills needed to solve irrigation problems. Performs in field repairs, provides written estimates, schedules work, and ensures completion to best GTLS standards.

Irrigation Repair:

- Ensure the GT Landscape Solution experience for all clients
- Troubleshoot irrigation pipe and fittings, sprinklers heads, electrical components.
- Perform general and seasonal system maintenance.
- System start-ups, evaluation, and winterization.
- Perform backflow tests; Test irrigation systems for proper functioning of valves and timers; Record detailed inspections.
- Read diagrams and blueprints to layout and locate irrigation valves, timers, and wiring.
- Locate, excavate, and repair or replace damaged or malfunctioning equipment.
- Think critically to solve problems and complete repairs with minimal impact to lawn or landscape.
- Effectively assess water efficiency and adjust quickly correct over or under watering.
- Be proactive with diagnosing and repairing any irrigation issues.
- Manages upkeep of irrigation systems in designated area.
- Perform such other activities as may be temporarily or permanently assigned.

Sales:

- Prepare estimates and written directions in a manner other technician can perform the repairs as appropriate.
- Ensure full work schedule by providing repair estimates.
- Foresee potential irrigation issues that will impact the quality of the grounds provide proactive maintenance and repair estimates.
- Visits properties to evaluate all revenue generating opportunities and design enhancement/irrigation proposals based on findings.
- Increases market share by achieving enhancement sales goals, and proposal goals.

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Operational:

- Responsible for the purchasing of repair parts, keeping accurate inventory.
- Complete daily paperwork as required by each job.
- Perform accurate and timely recordkeeping.
- Keep work vehicle and equipment clean and organized
- Ensures irrigation jobs are managed within budget to meet or exceed all required financial performance metrics.
- Adjusts irrigation schedules to maximize capacity and efficiency of workflow.
- Analyzes and resolves work problems or assists in solving work problems.
- Partners with and directs crew members where needed on irrigation projects/jobs.

Disclaimer

The noted responsibilities are not an all-inclusive list. Additional duties may be required with changes in overall staffing levels. All duties performed are expected to be performed as if they are subject to your job measurement.

Relationships and Roles – Internal / External:

- The Irrigation Technician will work closely with the scheduling coordinator, Account Manager(s), other Irrigation Technicians, Operations Manager, Maintenance & Landscape Crew Members, Vendors, Property Managers and Clients.
- Must have can-do attitude.

Accountabilities:

- The position involves a high degree of complexity because of the need to manage the diversity of properties, operating styles of staff, and the need to adjust to the seasonality of the business.
- The position operates from established operational procedures but is expected to innovate to enhance the overall success of the company's employees. The position operates with a minimal amount of supervision.

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

- Possess and maintain a valid US Driver License.
- Extensive knowledge in irrigation system installation, maintenance, and repair.
- Valve and electrical troubleshooting, 2 wire path systems, clock programming, and central control systems.
- Layout of irrigation systems using best industry practices
- Extensive knowledge of irrigation parts and products.
- Ability to interact professionally with all customers, employees and those from external organizations.
- Ability to work efficiently with minimal supervision.

Language Skills:

- Bi-lingual English/Spanish. (preferred)
- Ability to read, write and comprehend English.
- Ability to speak effectively before employees and customers individually or in a group setting.

Physical Requirements:

- Ability to lift 50lbs or more and excavating/back filling necessary holes and trenches in a safe manner.

Education/Experience:

- +3yrs professional experience working with irrigation system installation, maintenance, and repair.
- Proficient in Web based tablet and phone applications

Environment:

- This position requires physical abilities such as strength, manual dexterity, and must be able to perform all required functions of this position.
- While performing the duties of this job, the Irrigation Technician is regularly required to stand, walk, bend, lift, crouch, reach, stoop or kneel.
- The position is regularly exposed to outdoor environmental conditions including hot and cold conditions.
- Additional working conditions may include inadequate lighting, restricted movement, and dirty/wet worksites.
- This position may be required to work on weekends, holidays and in emergency situations (“on-call” responsibilities). Due to seasonal nature of work, some peak load situations may arise.



GTLS Witness

Date: _____



Employee Acceptance

Date: _____