

THE PERSONNEL BOARD FOR MOBILE COUNTY, ALABAMA
announces an OPEN COMPETITIVE examination for

11560 - PESTICIDE TECHNICIAN

JURISDICTION	S A L A R Y	
	MONTHLY RATE	YEARLY RATE
01 - MOBILE COUNTY	\$2,328 - \$3,723	\$27,946 - \$44,676
02 - CITY OF MOBILE	\$2,328 - \$3,723	\$27,946 - \$44,676

EXAMINATION: IMPORTANT NOTICE TO APPLICANTS. READ CAREFULLY. No written or oral examination will be required. Applicants will be scored on the basis of an evaluation of their education, training, experience and personal qualifications as outlined by the candidates' sworn statements in their application, upon corroborative evidence obtained by investigation and the applicants' responses to the Supplemental Questionnaire Form. Applicants must provide all background information and supportive documents as requested on the application form and job announcement.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS: Graduation from a standard senior high school or the successful completion of the General Educational Development (GED) test, or a combination of education and experience equivalent to these requirements.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: Depending upon area of assignment, must be certified as a pesticide applicator for the category of Right of Way (R.O.W) or Ornamental and Turf Pest Control by the State of Alabama Department of Agriculture and Industries. Must possess a valid driver's license from state of residence and may be required to possess a valid Commercial Driver's License with necessary endorsements.

KIND OF WORK: This is technical work in developing and conducting a pesticide program in the management of vegetation and animal pests and disease control.

ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS OF THE WORK: Good knowledge of the chemicals used in the control of roadside vegetation and current weed, insect and/or disease chemical control recommendations; good knowledge of chemicals to include herbicides, insecticides, and fungicides as needed to control weeds, insects and diseases; good knowledge of pre-emergent and post-emergent herbicides; good knowledge of selective and non-selective herbicides; good knowledge of contact and systemic pesticides; good knowledge of the occupational hazards and necessary safety precautions in working with pesticides; good knowledge of traffic rules and regulations, particularly with regard to roadside spraying; ability to operate tank mix and/or injection system herbicide sprayers, backpack sprayers or rotary spreaders; ability to organize and supervise the work of others; ability to maintain records and make reports, both orally and in writing; ability to develop and maintain effective working relationships with other employees and the general public.

RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS: There are NO residence requirements in order to apply. Applicants must bear all expenses incurred in reporting for testing or appointment. Upon appointment, the law gives the right to each Appointing Authority (Employer) to fix any further legal requirements regarding residence.

NOTE: THIS EXAMINATION ANNOUNCEMENT AUTOMATICALLY CANCELS EXAMINATION NO. 12348 ISSUED 07-07-08.

FINAL DATE FOR FILING APPLICATION: Applications should be returned as soon as possible. In the event of tied scores, Rule 8.1 dictates that ties will be broken by the order in which applications are filed. There is NO predetermined final closing date. Applications will be received until further notice.

DONALD DEES, DIRECTOR

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