

Washington State Department of Personnel  
Class Specification

**MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR, BRIDGE**

5971

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**Definition:**

Supervises bridge crews engaged in maintenance, repair and reconstruction bridge work.

**Typical Work:**

Inspects and directly supervises the maintenance and repair of major highway bridges including such components as special electrical and mechanical units; and lift, pull-down, and counterweight cables on lift and swing span structures; assigns work to Bridge Maintenance Lead Technicians and crews and allocates equipment and materials as required; determines the priority of tasks and skills and provides schedules and assignments on short- and long-term basis; determines the type and quantity of supplies and equipment such as welders, compressors, cranes, generators, and gas, electric, and air power tools;

Inspects contract work such as bridge painting, repair or other services to ensure performance as set forth by State standards and specifications; recommends approval or disapproval of such work;

Supervises construction or repair of buildings and other structures;

Investigates complaints of local citizens and the traveling public; takes corrective action as appropriate;

Trains lower classified bridge maintenance personnel in assigned bridge maintenance work;

Performs all phases of bridge maintenance work;

Supervises and administers the schedules and activities of bridge tenders; daily logs and accident reports;

Coordinates support activities by Area road crews and other bridge crews; ensures that safety precautions and good public relation practices are adhered to by his assigned crews;

Prepares and maintains records and reports pertaining to assignments, crews, equipment, and expenditures as assigned;

Personally inspects and reviews the work of subordinates as crew assignments may dictate;

Perform other related work as required.

**Legal Requirement(s):**

There may be instances where individual positions must have additional licenses or certification. It is the employer's responsibility to ensure the appropriate licenses/certifications are obtained for each position.

**Desirable Qualifications:**

Two years of experience as a Maintenance Lead Technician, Bridge, Maintenance Lead Technician, Maintenance Technician 3, or four years of experience as a Maintenance Technician 2, Bridge.

A Commercial Driver's License (CDL) Class A with endorsement N and without air brakes restriction is required. Some positions may require the H endorsement which must be attained within 60 days.

Equivalent education/experience.

Note: Must be capable of working at heights exceeding 100 feet and inside a confined space environment.

**Class Specification History:**

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