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Abrahamson Nurseries is a full service landscape and design company, a garden center, and a greenhouse grower. Since we began in 1928, we have been passionate about great landscape design and quality installation. This part of our business has changed and grown dramatically over the years, but the one constant is our desire to please each customer. Today, our team specializes in both residential and commercial landscaping and can tackle any challenge that arises in the landscape.

Position Overview

The **Landscape Foreman** supervises and coordinates the work of a crew on a specific project. The Foreman works alongside their crew to ensure that everyone is working skillfully and efficiently so that each assigned job progresses per schedule. Foremen must be proficient in all kinds of landscape projects, including but not limited to, patios, retaining walls and water features.

Main Responsibilities

- Proactively organize job sites with material, equipment and crew members; manage crews and projects with respect and authority
- Job layout and installation utilizing approved design plans from Landscape Designers
- Move soil, equipment, materials, dig holes for plants, trees, dig/backfill trenches, install landscape material, weed, spread mulch, clean up, lay sod, water, build retaining walls.
- Utilize knowledge of landscaping and irrigation systems to install and maintain trees, shrubs, vines, groundcover, flowers and hardscapes
- Supervise job site and crew
- Operate equipment including, but not limited to, driving a truck and trailer, skid steer loader, backpack blower, hedge trimmer, chain saw, etc.
- Ensure a safe working environment for employees, customers and the general public
- Ensure that customers are completely satisfied through effective communication throughout each project
- Complete final inspection and sign-off of each property before leaving the site each day
- Responsible for ensuring end of day clean up, maintenance, and inspection of all assigned vehicles and equipment is complete
- Conditions may vary depending upon the time of the year and the location of the project; however, Foremen will work in and manage projects out-of-doors, through all seasons. This is physically demanding, outdoor work.

Basic Qualifications

- 3-5 years proven leadership experience running a crew
- MNLA or equivalent certification, or commit to achieving the MNLA certification within 24 months of date of hire
- Ability to lift, pull and push up to 50-80 lbs., carry materials, bend, twist, kneel, climb, and balance. Ability to walk at a brisk pace and work in a kneeling position for extended periods of time.
- Commercial Driver's License with Airbrake Endorsement, or valid driver's license with ability to get a Commercial Driver's license within 3 months of hire
- Ability to work in the rain and in extreme temperatures
- Ability to work weekends during the months of April, May and June

Preferred Qualifications

- Experience operating and maintaining heavy machinery and equipment
- Experience reading and implementing landscape design plans
- Strong interpersonal skills and ability to establish rapport with other employees and customers and consistently represents the company in a professional and positive manner
- Self-motivated and ability to work and accomplish tasks with minimal supervision

How to Apply

To apply, please submit a resume to andrea@abrahamsonnurseries.com or visit our website at www.abrahamsonnurseries.com for more information.