

Position Title	Crew Leader Gardens
Department	City Assets
Unit	Parks
Team	Parks & Gardens
Supervises	Up to 5 staff as required
Reports To	Team Leader
Grade Range	Е
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# **Primary purpose of position**

To work on the maintenance and improvement of Council's Parks, Gardens, and other landscaped areas. To lead a small team of staff in these maintenance duties.

#### **Accountabilities**

- Ensure gardens including annuals, native & non-native, high profile, traffic facilities and other landscaped areas are maintained in accordance with service requirements, service agreements, rosters and programs.
- Provide recommendations for the mulching, watering, maintenance, embelishment and improvement and implement as required.
- Identify, report and where possible rectify landscape deficiencies especially in the area of gardens
   & landscape area maintenance.
- Undertake risk and hazard assessments of areas under their control and where necessary take corrective action.
- Ensure all works under the position holder's control are completed within timeframes.
- · Finalise completion of works requests as allocated.
- Ensure all jobs comply with relevant acts and standards.
- Operate plant & equipment including hedgers, brush cutters, mowers and other related plant as required.
- Operate minor plant items/hand tools as required.
- · Collect litter and clean park amenities as required.
- · Report equipment faults and failures.
- Attend meetings as required through performance of duties.
- Assist the Team Leader Parks & Gardens to provide on the job skills development and training to staff.
- Provide assistance and advice to Council, management, staff, customers and the community when necessary.
- Maintain information on the status of all projects under the position holder's control.
- Promote and mentor a positive culture and contribute to a positive image of Council.
- Operate hand held electronic devices for the collection and processing of information.



- Control traffic through worksite as required.
- Lead a small team of staff at an operational level.
- Undertake "On the Job" Tool Box Talks prior to the commencement of daily activities as required.
- Undertake regular WHS inspections as required.
- · Requisition stores and supplies as required.
- Assist the Team Leader Parks & Gardens to plan and organise day to day activities of the crew members, ensuring the crew is adequately resourced to undertake their duties.
- Finalise the completion of their crews' timesheets as required.
- Other duties as required from time to time, as directed, within the skills and competencies obtained.



# Position capabilities and level

Below is the full list of capabilities and the level required for this position. The capabilities in bold are the focus capabilities for this position. Refer to the next section for further information about the focus capabilities.

Capability Profile – Supervisor				
Capability Group	Capability Name	Level		
	Lead Self	Adept		
	Display Resilience	Intermediate		
	Act with Integrity	Adept		
Personal Character	Safety and Accountability	Adept		
Relationships	Communicate and Engage	Intermediate		
	Customer and Community Focus	Intermediate		
	Work Collaboratively	Intermediate		
	Influence and Negotiate	Intermediate		
Results	Plan and Prioritise	Intermediate		
	Think and Solve Problems	Intermediate		
	Innovate and Improve	Intermediate		
	Deliver Results	Adept		
	Finance	Foundational		
	Assets and Tools	Intermediate		
	Technology and Information	Intermediate		
Resources	Procurement and Contracts	Foundational		
	Manage and Develop People	Foundational		
	Inspire Direction and Purpose	Intermediate		
	Optimise Workforce Contribution	Foundational		
People Leadership	Lead and Manage Change	Intermediate		

# **Focus Capabilities**

The focus capabilities for the position are those judged to be most important at the time of recruiting to the position. That is, the ones that must be met at least satisfactory level for a candidate to be suitable for appointment.

**CBCity Capability Framework - Focus Capabilities** 

Group & Capability	Level	Behavioural Indicators
Personal Character		
Safety and Accountability	Adept	<ul> <li>Is prepared to make decisions within own level of authority</li> <li>Takes an active role in managing issues in the team</li> <li>Coaches team members to take responsibility and follow through</li> <li>Implements safe work practices and manages work health and safety risks</li> <li>Identifies and manages other risks in the workplace</li> </ul>
Relationships		
Work Collaboratively	Intermediate	<ul> <li>Encourages an inclusive, supportive and cooperative team environment</li> <li>Shares information and learning within and across teams</li> <li>Works well with other teams on shared problems and initiatives</li> <li>Looks out for the wellbeing of team members and other colleagues</li> <li>Encourages input from people with different experiences, perspectives and beliefs</li> <li>Shows sensitivity to others' workloads and challenges when asking for input and</li> </ul>
Results		
Deliver Results	Adept	<ul> <li>Takes responsibility for the quality and timeliness of the team's work products</li> <li>Ensures team understands goals and expectations</li> <li>Shares the broader context for projects and tasks with the team</li> <li>Identifies resource needs, including team, budget, information and tools</li> <li>Allocates responsibilities and resources appropriately</li> </ul>



		Gives team members appropriate flexibility to decide how to get the job done
Resources		
Assets and Tools	Intermediate	<ul> <li>Uses a variety of work tools and resources to enhance work products and expand own skill</li> <li>Ensures others understand their obligations to use and maintain work tools and equipment appropriately</li> <li>Contributes to the allocation of work tools and resources to optimise team outcomes</li> </ul>
People Leadership		
Optimise Workforce Contribution	Foundational	<ul> <li>Allocates work tasks appropriately to make the best use of the skills and strengths of people in the team</li> <li>Identifies current and potential resource/capability gaps in the team and seeks advice on how to manage them</li> <li>Ensures that team members make effective use of time and resources</li> </ul>

<sup>\*</sup> Focus Capabilities are those judged to be the most important at the time of recruiting to the position. The mix of "focus" capabilities can change over time, reflecting changing work priorities and current team strengths.

## **Delegations**

Decisions associated with this position are to be made in accordance with the Delegations of Authority (Policy186) approved by the General Manager.

### **Code of Conduct**

All staff are required to adhere to the Code of Conduct (CP25).

### **Work Health & Safety**

All staff are required to adhere to Council's WHS&E Responsibilities and Authorities document (REF229) and associated policies and procedures.

#### **Records Management**

All staff are required to comply with Council's Records and Information Management policies, procedures and guidelines.

### **Qualifications and Experience**

#### **Essential Qualifications**

• Relevant Tertiary qualifications in Horticulture, Lanscaping or a similar relevant field



- Chemical Users Accreditation Certificate or equivalent
- Chainsaw Certificate Level 1 (Basic) or equivalent
- Current Class C Drivers Licence.
- RMS Traffic Control Certificate 'Traffic Controller', or equivalent

#### **Essential Experience**

- Experience in Gardens & landscape maintenance.
- Experience in leading a small team of staff at an operational level.
- Skills & experience necessary to fulfil the role, responsibilities, duties and competency requirements of the position.

#### **Desirable Qualifications and or Experience**

- First Aid Certificate
- MR Drivers Licence
- RMS Traffic Control Certificate 'Implement Traffic Control Plans', or equivalent
- Chainsaw Certificate Level 2 (trim and cross cut felled trees) or equivalent
- Experience in working in a local government environment
- High level customer service skills

HUMAN RESOURCES USE (SELECT YES OR NO)	YES	NO
Does this position fall under the definition of child related employment?		7
Does this position require incumbent to undergo criminal reference check?		V
Does this position require incumbent to demonstrate good driving Licence class required: C Class Drivers Licence	<b>y</b>	
Will incumbent need to make disclosure of pecuniary interest?		V
Could there be a conflict of interest with secondary employment?		V