Summit Metro Parks

Position Vacancy:	Internal/External
Position:	Mechanic - Small Engine
Salary/Classification:	\$26.97 start, \$27.62 after six months/ Full-Time, Hourly
Benefits:	Ohio Public Employees Retirement, Administrative Benefits Package
Profile:	Under the direction of the Fleet Manager, Mechanic - Small Engine performs diagnostics, service repairs and maintenance work on fleet and equipment. Duties are diversified and require an extensive knowledge of mechanical/ electrical repair procedures, and good judgment when analyzing facts and diagnosing problems. Responsible for providing consistent quality diagnostics, inspections, repairs, warranty/non-warranty evaluations, documentation, training of staff and communication with staff and vendors.
Qualifications:	High School graduate or GED required. Specialized training and certifications in 2-cycle, 4-cycle, electric/battery powered outdoor equipment and/or ASE automotive mechanic preferred. Minimum of three years experience performing electrical and mechanical repairs with electric/battery powered equipment. Experience operating various trucks with or without air brakes and equipment trailers, tractors, mowers, various tools, equipment and machinery. Ability to diagnose electrical and mechanical issues with 2-cycle, 4-cycle and electric/battery powered equipment/vehicles. Ability to read and interpret technical manuals. Competent mechanical aptitude and thorough understanding of automotive/equipment repair. Ability to perform a wide range of maintenance tasks, including heavy manual labor outdoors in all weather conditions. Knowledge of and ability to use shop tools and machinery typical in automotive repair. Knowledge of hazards and safety precautions in loading, hauling, and unloading. Ability to work from heights. Basic computer skills. Ability to work as a team with varying skill levels and make timely effective decisions with initiative, creativity and good judgment. Licenses/certifications: State of Ohio Commercial Driver's License, Class A, or ability to obtain within twelve months (driving record in compliance with Park policy); first aid and CPR certification required within one-year of employment; Load Securement training within one-year.
Condition of employment:	Must successfully complete a 180-day probationary period, per Article 3, Section 3 of the 2022 - 2025 agreement between Summit Metro Parks and Ohio Council 8 & Local 1229 of the AFSCME, AFL-CIO. Promoted employees must successfully complete probation as per collective bargaining agreement. Favorable screening results for drugs, THC and alcohol required.
Contact:	Send letter of interest & resume in PDF or WORD format to employment@summitmetroparks.org.
Posting Date:	March 18, 2025 Open to internal candidates until March 28, 2025 as described in Article 17, Section 1, of the 2022-2025 agreement between Summit Metro Parks and Ohio Council 8 & Local 1229 of the AFSCME, AFL-CIO.
Closing Date:	April 13, 2025