

Title: Painter

Department: Buckingham Services Reports to: Trades Supervisor

Status: Full-Time, Hourly, Non-Exempt

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### **General Description**

Responsible for mixing, matching, and applying paint to various surfaces, completing touchups, and coordinating large painting projects.

# **Essential Duties and Responsibilities** include the following. Other duties may be assigned.

- Applies paint to surfaces including canvas, walls, floors, doors (wood and metal), and cabinets
- Mixes, matches, and applies paint, varnish, shellac, enamel, and other finishes
- Scrapes, sandpapers, primes, or seals surfaces prior to painting
- Cleans walls to ensure proper adherence
- Covers surfaces with cloth or plastic to ensure protection
- Calculates amounts of required materials and estimate costs
- Fills cracks, holes, and joints with caulk, putty, plaster, or other fillers, using caulking guns or putty knives
- Performs light drywall repair to prep for painting
- Erects scaffolding, movable, and immovable staging and various rigging to gain access to difficult areas; moves furniture and equipment as necessary
- Removes fixtures such as pictures, doorknobs, lamps, and electric switch covers prior to painting
- Selects and buys paint from vendors
- Purchases quality brushes
- Applies several coats according to paint directions
- Tapes off areas when needed
- Applies touchups or second coats
- Removes paint splatters when finished
- Cleans up all equipment, including brushes and spray guns
- Utilizes spray guns for large jobs
- Works on ladders to reach high ceilings or walls
- Works on scissor lifts as needed

### **Minimum Qualifications**

- 1-3 years' experience as a commercial painter
- Valid NYS Driver's License
- High School Diploma or equivalent
- Own Transportation
- OSHA 10 hour course and lead certified, preferred.

## **Physical Demands**

The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions. Must be able to lift 50 pounds and sit for long periods of time.

While performing the duties of this job, the employee is regularly required to sit and talk or hear. The employee is frequently required to use hands to handle or feel items such as documents. The team member is occasionally required to stand; walk and reach with hands and arms. Specific vision abilities required by this job include close vision, color vision and ability to adjust focus.

### **Work Environment**

The work environment characteristics described here are representative of those a team member encounters while performing the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

The noise level in the work environment is usually moderate.

Note: The above description is illustrative of tasks and responsibilities. It is not meant to be all inclusive. Employees will follow other instructions and perform other related duties as required.