

Madison County Weed Department is accepting applications for the 2021 spraying season. This position is part-time Mon-Fri. The applicant must have a current driver's license and a good driving record. The applicant must have a Nebraska Department of Agriculture Commercial Pesticide Applicator License. Contact the Madison County Weed Department at 402-370-3577 or 402-992-5598 for more information. Applications can be obtained at 1112 Bonita Drive, Norfolk Nebraska.

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## County Sprayer Job Qualifications:

Have a current Nebraska Driver's license with a good driving record.

Have a have a Nebraska Department of Agriculture Commercial Pesticide Applicator License with the right of way pest control category.

## County Sprayer Job Description:

Read chemical labels before beginning of spraying season.

### Get equipment ready for use and general maintenance

- Get gas for vehicle and sprayer motor

- Change engine oil in vehicles and sprayer motor

- Clean air filters in vehicles and sprayer motor

- Check tire air pressure in vehicle

- Check oil level in vehicle and sprayer motor

- Check windshield washer fluid, radiator coolant level and transmission fluid levels

- Repair equipment

- Wash equipment

- Clean inside of truck

- Put chemicals into storage tanks on south side of building

- Calibrate spray equipment and chemical storage tanks

- Check water level in emergency wash tank

- Make sure dual steering wheel, dual gas pedal and dual brake pedal work

- Inform Weed Superintendent if shop supplies are needed

- Be able to lift 50 lbs.

### Spraying of the Right of Ways, County Yards, Enforcement Areas

- Wear correct PPE (long sleeved shirts, long pants, gloves, see label)

- Keep spray records for each sprayer tank load of chemicals

- Map noxious weed locations on map in spray truck

- Rinse truck off after every spraying use

- Do not drive on the left side of the road when spraying

- Do not spray, if the wind speed is greater than described on the label

### Clean in shop and office

- Triple rinse out chemical jugs

- Take 2 ½ gallon jugs to recycling center in West Point

- Sweep or wash floors

- Clean sinks, toilet, and shower

- Take trash to City dump

- Clean out loadout pit

### Other functions

- Perform other duties as assigned to assist the County Spray program