

NOW HIRING:

Seasonal Laborer

Multiple Positions at Cass Park



The City of Ithaca is now accepting applications for the position of Seasonal Laborer at Cass Park.

Location: City of Ithaca, NY
Department: Ithaca Youth Bureau – Cass Park
Classification: Non-Competitive
FLSA Status: Non-Exempt
Bargaining Unit: None
Salary: \$18.25/Hour – Minimum

Cass Park is a vibrant, scenic public park located along the southwestern shore of Cayuga Lake in Ithaca, New York. Known for its wide range of recreational facilities and beautiful waterfront views, Cass Park offers something for everyone—from sports fields and trails to a public pool and skating rink. The park's well-maintained grounds and family-friendly atmosphere make it a popular destination for both residents and visitors year-round.

In the summer months, Cass Park is bustling with activity: guests come to swim in the Olympic-sized pool, jog or bike along the picturesque Cayuga Waterfront Trail, and enjoy picnics and outdoor sports on the spacious lawns. When the seasons change, the indoor rink and other amenities provide opportunities for ice skating and winter recreation, ensuring Cass Park remains a hub for community activities throughout the year.

Employees at Cass Park have the chance to support and enhance this important community gathering space. Working at Cass Park is a unique opportunity to be part of a team committed to preserving Ithaca's natural beauty and providing high-quality recreational options for local residents and tourists alike.

Position Description: Seasonal laborers play a vital role by helping maintain the park's facilities, assisting with daily operations, and ensuring visitors have a safe, welcoming experience. Typical work duties include cleaning restrooms, string trimming, trash collection, mowing, general landscaping, painting and small repairs, and other related activities. The work is performed under the direction of a higher-level department employee.

Qualifications:

- Must be at least 18 years old.
- Possession of a valid New York State Class D driver license or a valid driver license equivalent to a New York State Class D driver license at the time of appointment and maintenance of said license for the duration of employment.

- Must be capable of performing moderate to heavy physical labor, which can include lifting, bending, walking, or standing for extended periods. Basic stamina is essential for tasks like mowing, raking, cleaning, and grounds maintenance.
- Willingness to work flexible hours, which may include weekends and holidays, as park usage often increases during peak seasons. Seasonal roles can last from early spring through late fall, and schedules may adjust based on operational needs and weather.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Ability to follow instructions and adhere to safety protocols.
- Dependability and a positive attitude toward teamwork and public service.

Residency Requirements: There are no residency requirements for this position.

Supplemental Information:

- Computers are available for use by appointment. To schedule an appointment, contact the Department of Human Resources/Civil Service at (607) 274-6539 or by email to hrdept@cityofithaca.org.
- The City of Ithaca values diverse perspectives and life experiences. We encourage people of all backgrounds to apply, including people of color, women, LGBTQ+, veterans, people with disabilities, and those with lived experiences.
- The City of Ithaca is committed to the full inclusion of all qualified individuals. Consistent with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and the NYS Division of Human Rights (NYS DHR) it is the policy of the City to provide reasonable accommodation when requested without causing an undue hardship. If accommodation is needed, please call (607) 274 6539 or by email to hrdept@cityofithaca.org.

Application Materials Required:

- City of Ithaca application

Applications will be accepted until position is filled. Submit required application materials to:

Web site: <https://ithaca-portal.mycivilservice.com>

Attn: City of Ithaca

Human Resources Department

All applications must be submitted electronically through our online application program. We do not accept paper applications, faxed applications, e-mailed applications or photocopies of applications.

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