JOB APPLICATIONS WANTED

TITLE: Housing Inspector

LOCATION: City of Ithaca

SALARY: $47,233 with subsequent step increases to $59,042

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: The work involves responsibility for the inspections of dwellings and housing facilities to determine whether they are maintained in a safe and habitable condition in accordance with the provisions of the City Housing Code, Multiple Residence Law, and other codes and ordinances concerning health and safety of dwellings. This class differs from a Code Inspector in that duties involve inspecting buildings and dwellings for compliance with health and safety standards as required by the City Housing Code, Multiple Residence Law and other laws, codes and ordinances. Activities are conducted both in the office and at inspection sites and can involve exposure to unsanitary housing conditions. The work is performed under the general supervision of departmental superiors with leeway allowed for the exercise of independent judgment in carrying out the details of the work. Does related work as required. Must be proficient in data input and possess strong computer skills.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

A. Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered college or university or one accredited by the New York State Board of Regents to grant degrees with an Associate’s degree in mechanical or construction technology or closely related field and two (2) years of experience as a building contractor, or journey level trades worker, or in the design of buildings or in the inspection of buildings or dwellings for health, safety and compliance with codes; or

B. Graduation from high school or possession of a high school equivalency diploma and four (4) years of experience as defined in (A); or

C. An equivalent combination of training and experience as defined by the limits of (A) and (B).

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

1. Candidates must obtain certification as a Code Enforcement Official from the New York State Department of State, as required by Title 19, Part 1208 of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York (NYCRR), within eighteen months of permanent appointment, and must maintain said certification for the duration of employment.

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SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (Continued):

2. 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.

RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS: Applicants must be legal residents of either Tompkins County or one of its six (6) contiguous counties (Cayuga, Chemung, Cortland, Schuyler, Seneca, or Tioga).

EXAM REQUIREMENTS: A civil service exam will be given at a later date.

APPLICATION MATERIALS REQUIRED:

- City of Ithaca Application
- Copy of high school and college transcripts
- Copy of driver license

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

Submit required application materials by February 27, 2019 to:

City of Ithaca
Human Resources Department
108 East Green Street
Ithaca, NY  14850
(607) 274-6539
Web site: https://ithaca-portal.mycivilservice.com

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