



MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION JOB OPPORTUNITY ANNOUNCEMENT

Statewide

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Railroad Safety Inspector - Track

Job Title

R01005

Job Title Code

Central Office / Multimodal Operations Division

District/Division/Office

2217 St. Marys Blvd

Location of Vacancy

13

Salary Grade

\$3,285.00

Min. Monthly Salary

Matt Cowell

Supervisor/Team Leader

Donielle Lawson

Contact Person (Name)

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(USERID)

573-526-1047

(Area Code/Telephone No.)

SAFETY-SENSITIVE JOB:

YES

NO

PHYSICALLY DEMANDING JOB:

YES

NO

Note: Refer to personnel policies 0600 "Medical Examination Program" and 2508 "Drug Testing Program" for testing requirements.

Job Summary:

The railroad safety inspector conducts grade crossing and signal and/or track safety inspections. Responsibilities are performed under general supervision.

Minimum/Required Qualifications:

High School Diploma or GED

Federal Railroad Administration Certification as a track inspector, operating practices inspector, or grade-crossing signal inspector is preferred.

Four years of professional or technical experience in railroad construction, maintenance or operating practices; or highway-rail grade-crossing signal construction or maintenance; or regulatory compliance or enforcement; or related areas.

Supervisory Responsibilities:

None

Special Working Conditions/Job Characteristics:

Job requires regular, statewide, overnight travel.

Job requires heavy physical exertion and effort.

Job requires exposure to physical hazards, health and safety risks, and/or adverse or otherwise undesirable characteristics in the environment.

Examples of Work:

- Conducts accident/incident investigations to determine root cause; works independently or as a team member to conduct unassisted or joint investigations with law enforcement, federal investigators or carrier officials to determine causal factors and prepares written report of findings.
- Works with state, federal and local law enforcement officials and carriers to support the secure movement of people and goods by establishing best practices process to identify threats and vulnerabilities to the carrier and entire transportation system.
- Conducts complaint investigations; obtains data from carriers, conducts interviews, on-site inspections, reviews records and other agency reports; develops a resolution process and prepares a close-out report; works with carriers, citizens, legislative, union representatives and other state and federal and other government agencies to resolve issues.
- Conducts compliance or diagnostic reviews of railroad crossing to ensure compliance with Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Issues, Federal Railroad Administration and state requirements; conducts final inspections and completes proper paperwork.
- Conducts compliance inspections to ensure that carriers operate and maintain safe operations under federal and state regulations.
- Conducts safety inspections to reduce or eliminate injuries or deaths associated to with working on and adjacent to railroad property; inspections include carrier facilities, rolling stock and equipment used by carriers.
- Performs duty officer responsibilities on a rotating basis for accidents/incidents that occur after normal work hours; receives preliminary incident information and conducts follow-up telephone calls to the reporting carrier and to federal and state agencies to initiate investigation procedures.
- Conducts safety training and investigations on federal and state regulations for carrier employees, shipping groups, labor unions and the general public.
- Performs other responsibilities as required or assigned.

How to apply: In order to be considered for this vacancy you will need to complete the MoDOT internal Job Opportunity Application. Please submit the application and transcripts on or before the application deadline to the HR contact person by e-mail or mail to the address listed below.

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