JOB DESCRIPTION

| **TITLE** | ARBORIST (GROUND WORKER) |
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| **Reports To**  | [Insert Title] |

**Job Purpose**

The Arborist Ground Worker supports tree care operations by maintaining worksite safety, assisting climbers, and handling ground-level tasks. This role ensures efficient cleanup, equipment organization, and overall site maintenance.

An effective Arborist Ground Worker works well in a team, follows safety protocols, and efficiently manages debris and equipment. This person is proactive, safety-conscious, and detail-oriented.

**Duties and Responsibilities**

Overall Responsibilities:

* Assist climbers by managing ropes, tools, and equipment.
* Ensure the worksite remains clean, organized, and hazard-free.
* Load, unload, and operate chainsaws, chippers, and other tools.
* Collect and process tree limbs, branches, and debris.
* Follow all safety protocols, including wearing protective gear.
* Perform basic maintenance on tools and equipment.
* Monitor surroundings for potential hazards.
* Support emergency tree removal operations.
* Perform additional related duties as assigned.

**Key Qualifications**

* X years of experience in tree care, landscaping, or outdoor labour.
* Familiarity with tree care tools and machinery.
* Knowledge of workplace safety standards.
* High school diploma or equivalent required; arboriculture training is a plus.
* First aid and CPR certification is an asset.

**Core Competencies**

* Teamwork and communication skills.
* Attention to detail and safety awareness.
* Ability to follow instructions and adapt to changing tasks.

**Working Conditions**

* Schedule is [Insert schedule, e.g., 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday].
* Work is performed outdoors in various weather conditions.
* Exposure to loud noise, dust, and heavy machinery.
* Requires regular lifting up to XX pounds, bending, and standing for extended periods.
* May involve overtime and emergency call-outs.
* Personal protective equipment must be worn at all times.