The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission

TITLE: Data Entry Specialist GRADE: C04 CODE: 2205

SERIES: Information Technology DATE: 7/24/01 FLSA: Non-Exempt

Class Definition

Under general supervision, performs responsible and varied data entry work involving some responsibility, complexity, and variety. Performs related routine clerical and/or technical work as required. Performs other related duties as assigned.

Examples of Important Duties

- 1. Performs direct data entry through the operation of a computer terminal and/or keypunch machine.
- 2. Operates a variety of equipment used in the preparation of data to be entered into the computer such as electronic digitizer/planimeter, graphics plotter, etc.
- 3. Codes and verifies information from maps and other sources to be entered into computer or computer terminals.
- 4. Answers routine questions related to systems or programs assigned.
- 5. Provides work direction and assistance to other staff involved in the performance of routine data coding work.
- 6. Keeps track of supplies used in work of unit assigned and initiates purchase requisitions to maintain supplies.
- 7. May perform routine drafting work as necessary.
- 8. May perform daily and weekly disk to tape computer backup.

Important Worker Characteristics

Knowledge of: (1) Commission organization, policies and procedures;* (2) methods and equipment used in data entry; (3) office practices and procedures; and (4) methods and procedures related to drafting.*

Skill in operation of: (1) computer terminal/keypunch machine.

Ability to: (1) read maps, aerial photographs, or graphic representations of same; (2) perform routine maintenance on equipment used in the data entry process (e.g., graphics plotter, keypunch machine); (3) follow moderately complex oral and written instructions; (4) write legibly; (5) work cooperatively with others both inside and outside the organizational unit; and (6) keep, file, and maintain office records.

^{*} Developed primarily after employment in this job class.

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Minimum Qualifications

1. High School Diploma or GED.

Working Conditions

Works in noisy office. Considerable pressure to meet deadlines. May be required to work long hours including evenings and/or weekends.