



Full Time Custodian

The Fresno Chaffee Zoo inspires wonder of our natural world, provides an engaging learning environment, and instills a passion for conservation. Serving the central San Joaquin Valley, the Zoo is committed to sustaining professional active participation in wildlife conservation, research and education. A proud recipient of the AZA Top Honor Exhibit Award, the Zoo is committed to providing our local communities and the AZA community exhibits and programs both can be proud of.

November 4th, 2014 marked an important day for Fresno County as its residents voted to continue to financially support the Zoo through the approval of Measure Z. This measure provides Fresno Chaffee Zoo with financial security that empowers it to continue to offer incredible experiences for guests while providing excellent animal care, and a challenging yet fulfilling working environment.

Our newest exhibit, African Adventure, has resulted in over 1,000,000 visitors since opening in October of 2015. This spectacular mixed species exhibit allows our guests to experience the savannahs of Africa including a panoramic view of multiple savannahs and a beautiful African Lodge.

Fresno Chaffee Zoo is searching for a knowledgeable, outgoing and guest-oriented Custodian. This position is full-time, regular, and benefited. The Custodian must be able to work evenings, weekends, and holidays. At Fresno Chaffee Zoo, it is critical to have a strong focus on guest service. Our employees' positive interactions with guests create the unforgettable guest experiences that keep patrons coming back.

Responsibilities:

Custodians will have the opportunity to work across a variety of locations, both indoors and outdoors, and interact with Guests daily answering questions, supplying directions and providing exceptional Guest service. This position works independently and as part of a crew to maintain Zoo grounds and buildings in an attractive, healthy, and safe manner. Daily responsibilities include general cleaning, emptying trashcans, cleaning restrooms, sweeping and general area cleaning. Must be able to competently perform all tasks associate with janitorial work. Required to be familiar with and use all hand tools and cleaning chemicals. Adequately read and interpret protocols, sketches, and specifications. Must be comfortable interacting and serving the general public. Must be comfortable working in a team environment consisting of management, staff and outside contractors. Required to use considerable judgment when performing and planning to perform his/her tasks.

Requirements:

Worker must have knowledge of safety rules, regulations and precautions in the janitorial trades. Worker will have the ability to perform heavy manual labor. Demonstrated experience in construction related professions. Position requires possession of a California Drivers license at time of appointment and a clean driving record. Ability to lift and carry in excess of 50 lbs. often and up to 75 lbs. occasionally. Ability to stand, stoop, squat and walk for long periods of time. Ability to work in dusty, dirty and hot conditions. Ability to work outside in all weather conditions.

If you have the desire and skills needed to help create an excellent customer experience at Fresno Chaffee Zoo, apply by **May 7th, 2017** as directed below.

Please submit resume to careers@fresnochaffeezoo.org or mail to:
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