



MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PERSONNEL POLICY MANUAL

POLICY TITLE: Permanent Part-Time and Job Share Employment
NUMBER: 0515
CHAPTER TITLE: Employment

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POLICY STATEMENT

It is the department's intent to provide permanent part-time, and job share employment options in which employees will be eligible to earn benefits, if approved by the district engineer or division leader/state engineer.

DEFINITIONS

Permanent Part-time: A position considered to be needed on an ongoing basis (well over one year). It is not seasonal, summer, or emergency.

Job Sharing: Two or more part-time employees doing the work of one full-time salaried position by sharing hours.

PROVISIONS / REQUIREMENTS

1. It is the responsibility of the immediate supervisor to ensure work assigned to a permanent part-time or shared position is completed satisfactorily and that the work schedule ensures coverage during normal working hours. Flextime may be used when considered appropriate by the immediate supervisor.
2. If the department determines any form of permanent part-time and/or job share employment is not cost effective or the arrangement established (number of hours worked or job shared) does not meet work demands, the arrangement can be altered or terminated.
3. Employees affected by the elimination of such positions may apply for other job vacancies as they become available, and their qualifications will be considered as with all other applicants.
4. Employees are eligible for a combination of full-time and part-time employment. With approval of the immediate supervisor, full-time employees may use a permanent part-time schedule for periods of one month or longer. Leave balances will be maintained (not paid out) for employees who change from a full-time to a part-time schedule.
5. Benefits will be provided as follows:
 - a. Paid leave such as sick leave, annual leave, and holidays will be provided if the permanent part-time or job share employee is expected to work in excess of 1,040

hours annually. Refer to Personnel Policy 3001, "Annual Leave," and Personnel Policy 3500, "Sick Leave," to determine the accrual rates and maximum permissible accumulations for annual leave and sick leave.

- b. Other paid leave will be granted as shown in the chart below. Other paid leave includes holidays, jury duty, funeral leave, and military leave with pay. With the exception of holidays, this leave will be provided only if leave is necessary when the employee is normally scheduled to work. Holiday pay will normally be recorded as shown in the chart. Exceptions will occur when an employee is in pay status more or fewer hours than normal during a particular pay period.

Hours in Pay Status During Pay Period	Earnings Rate During Pay Period	Hours Allowed Per Holiday in Pay Period
40.0 to 59.75	50%	4.0
60.0 to 79.75	75%	6.0
80.0 or higher	100%	8.0

- c. The following benefits will also be provided if the employee is expected to work in excess of 1,040 hours annually:
 - Retirement
 - Health Insurance
 - Life Insurance
 - Cafeteria Plan
 - Deferred Compensation
 - Dental and Vision Insurance (MCHCP)



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CROSS REFERENCES

[Personnel Policy 3001, "Annual Leave"](#)

[Personnel Policy 3500, "Sick Leave"](#)