Missouri Department of Transportation Job Description

Job Title: District Safety and Health Manager

Title Code: R04051

Salary Grade: 10

Exemption Status: Exempt

Supervisory Responsibilities: Full Supervision

District/Division: District Offices – Safety and Emergency Management

Effective Date: 10-01-2025

Replaces (Effective Date): 02-01-2025

General Summary

The district safety and health manager coordinates district safety, health, environmental, and risk management programs. Responsibilities are performed under general supervision.

Minimum/Required Qualifications

- Bachelor's Degree: Criminal Justice, Risk Management, Safety Management, or related field, AND six years of experience in risk management, safety management, or security management, OR
- Ten years of experience in risk management, safety management, or security management.
- Must obtain OSHA construction outreach trainer authorization within six (6) months of start date.

Special Working Conditions/Job Characteristics

- Job requires frequent district-wide and occasional statewide travel.
- Job requires exposure to moderately adverse and undesirable environmental conditions.

Examples of Work

- 1. Directs and manages all phases of the district's occupational safety, workplace security, health, environmental, loss control, and loss prevention programs.
- 2. Coordinates, develops, and provides training regarding safety, security, and health to district employees.

- 3. Investigates loss or exposure for fleet vehicle, general liability, and property damage; may negotiate settlement of claims for fleet vehicle and general liability following statewide guidelines.
- **4.** Coordinates filing and administration of workers' compensation claims with the Risk Management Division, including initial reporting and follow-up; investigates claims to assist in the determination of causation and the eligibility of benefits information to the assigned claims specialist.
- **5.** Conducts or directs the investigation of incidents involving department employees to determine cause and makes recommendations for prevention in the future.
- **6.** Maintains district safety records and publishes and reviews reports with district managers and supervisors.
- **7.** Consults and advises district management and supervisors on matters related to the administration of the department's risk management policies.
- 8. Serves as a resource for security issues and emergencies such as hazardous spills, radiation contaminations, post-accident drug/alcohol testing, and disasters; completes hazardous materials reports, assists with district spill plans, and coordinates burn permits.
- **9.** Inspects workplace to identify fire/safety hazards, unsafe practices, exposures to occupational disease, or workplace security risks.
- **10.** Promotes general safe work habits; administers the safety recognition program; coordinates and organizes the district safety committee following statewide guidelines; coordinates employee facility access.
- 11. Assists district management with the implementation and coordination of department processes involving employee occupational health programs; oversees the Safety Quality Assurance programs such as hazard assessments, work zone audits, and safety training program consistency and quality.
- 12. Prepares annual budget for risk management activities and staff.
- **13**. Manages environmental compliance programs per applicable federal, state and local laws.
- **14.** Performs supervisory responsibilities.
- **15.** Performs other duties as required or assigned.