



PUBLIC WORKS SUPERVISOR

RESOURCE CATEGORY	Public Works
RESOURCE KIND	Personnel
OVERALL FUNCTION	The Public Works Supervisor leads a group of Equipment Operators or similar field or operations staff.
COMPOSITION AND ORDERING SPECIFICATIONS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. This position can be ordered as a single resource or in conjunction with a NIMS typed team (Public Works Support Team). 2. Discuss logistics for deploying this position, such as working conditions, length of deployment, security, lodging, transportation and meals, prior to deployment. 3. Requestor specifies any specialized licenses or endorsements necessary, such as a Class A commercial driver's license (CDL), based on incident needs.

Each type of resource builds on the qualifications of the type below it. For example, Type 1 qualifications include the qualifications in Type 2, plus an increase in capability. Type 1 is the highest qualification level.

COMPONENT	SINGLE TYPE	NOTES
DESCRIPTION	The Public Works Supervisor: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Supports overall public works response and recovery activities in a field or office setting 2. Provides direct supervision of public works field staff or Equipment Operators 3. Collaborates with other agencies and utilities to ensure a coordinated project site or operation 4. Is responsible for basic documentation of activities 	Not Specified
EDUCATION	Not Specified	Not Specified
TRAINING	Completion of the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. IS-100: Introduction to the Incident Command System, ICS-100 2. IS-200: Basic Incident Command System for Initial Response, ICS-200 3. IS-700: National Incident Management System, An Introduction 4. IS-800: National Response Framework, An Introduction 	Not Specified
EXPERIENCE	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Five years of experience in the public works field 2. Two years of recent supervisory experience in the public works field 3. Experience with public works activities in a community comparable in scope and complexity to the affected jurisdiction 	Not Specified
PHYSICAL/MEDICAL FITNESS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Moderate 2. Is able to work while wearing appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The NIMS Guideline for the National Qualification System (NQS) defines physical/medical fitness levels for NIMS positions. 2. PPE is mission specific and may vary by work environment; it includes hard hats, safety-toe boots, reflective vests, eye and ear protection, respirators, gloves and masks.
CURRENCY	Currently works in this position in a municipal, county, state, tribal or territorial public works department	Not Specified



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PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS	License or certification in accordance with applicable regulations, based on incident needs	Not Specified



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NOTES

Nationally typed resources represent the minimum criteria for the associated component and capability.

REFERENCES

1. FEMA, NIMS 508: Public Works Support Team
2. FEMA, NIMS 509: Equipment Operator
3. FEMA, National Incident Management System (NIMS), October 2017
4. FEMA, NIMS Guideline for the National Qualification System (NQS), November 2017
5. FEMA, National Response Framework, October 2019