

**SNOHOMISH COUNTY JOB DESCRIPTION  
WINDOW WASHER**

Spec No. 8060

**BASIC FUNCTION**

To clean and wash windows and exterior building surfaces, usually working from ladders, scaffolding or staging.

**STATEMENT OF ESSENTIAL JOB DUTIES**

1. Cleans and washes exterior windows and building surfaces, working from ladders, scaffolding or staging as necessary.
2. Checks scaffold, staging, and safety belts for proper working condition and makes necessary adjustments.
3. Cleans and washes interior windows, glass partitions, and other surfaces as required.
4. Repairs and/or replaces Venetian blinds as required.

**STATEMENT OF OTHER JOB DUTIES**

5. Performs related duties as required.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS**

One (1) year of experience washing windows on large, multi storied buildings; OR, any equivalent combination of training and/or experience that provides the required knowledge and abilities. Must pass job related tests.

**KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES**

Knowledge of:

- window washing tools, materials, and methods;
- the use and care of scaffolds, staging, and other rigging used in washing exterior windows and building surfaces;
- the preparation of cleaning solutions;
- safety rules and regulations, and the hazards associated with the work.

Ability to:

- work safely and efficiently at considerable heights above the ground;
- set up, check and adjust scaffolds, staging and other rigging used in the work;
- use window washing tools and cleaning solutions skillfully and safely
- establish and maintain effective working relationships with other county employees, representatives of other agencies and with the general public;
- communicate effectively both orally and in writing.

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**SUPERVISION**

Employee reports to an administrative superior as assigned.

**WORKING CONDITIONS**

Snohomish County is an Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) employer.  
Accommodations for individuals with disabilities are provided upon request.

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Class Established: June 1997

Previous Spec No. 913

Revised: November 1983

EEO Category: 8 – Service and Maintenance Workers

Pay Grade: 230 – Classified Pay Plan