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*CHARACTERISTICS OF WORK**APPLICABLE TO SURVEYS FIELD POSITION:*

Under the direction of the surveys staff, this position is responsible for the supervision of the survey crew in conducting all phases of surveys for highway locations, bridge, land, and control surveys. The Crew Chief is responsible for training survey crew personnel to ensure complete and accurate surveys. Work requires contact with the public.

*APPLICABLE TO SURVEYS OFFICE POSITION:*

Under limited supervision, this position is responsible for assisting in the coordination and implementation of the electronic survey data collection system and for correlating the information with the various computer and computer-aided design and drafting (CADD) processing systems. This position works with the Surveys Division supervisory staff and survey crews to properly receive, edit, and transmit data to the office.

*EXAMPLES OF WORK*

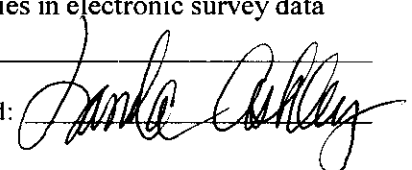
The following examples are intended only as illustrations of various types of work performed. No attempt is made to be exhaustive. Related, similar, or other logical duties are performed as assigned. The Department may require employees to perform functions beyond those contained in job descriptions. The Department may modify job descriptions based on Department needs. The Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department is an "at will" employer.

*APPLICABLE TO SURVEYS FIELD POSITION:*

- Supervise and conduct, depending on the specialty (location, land, or geodetic) roadway, bridge, parcel, photogrammetric, and geodetic control surveys.
- Use computer for data processing, coordinate geometry computations, and computer-aided design and drafting (CADD).
- Obtain hydraulic information.
- Locate and reference existing land and property corners.
- Stake and monument highway rights of way.
- Train and maintain a survey crew.
- Perform public relations.
- Prepare and maintain payroll, expense, vehicle and equipment reports.

*APPLICABLE TO SURVEYS OFFICE POSITION:*

- Operate computer, electronic data collector, and computer-aided drafting and design (CADD) workstation.
- Assist in coordinating and implementing the advanced survey data management system.
- Assist Surveys Division staff supervisory personnel and survey parties in electronic survey data collector field techniques and the methods to be used.



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*EXAMPLES OF WORK - SURVEYS OFFICE POSITION - CONT'D.*

- Answer technical questions regarding problems, performance, and procedures for user and support personnel.
- Supervise the activities of the Surveys Office Technicians.

*MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS*

The educational equivalent to a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university in surveying or related field, OR the educational equivalent to a diploma from an accredited high school and:

(A) Survey Intern (SI) certification with six or more years experience, of which at least two years are at a Surveys Technician II level or above, in highway route surveying and/or land surveying of a character indicating to the Division Head of Surveys that the applicant may be competent at this position. The Division Head of Surveys may grant an applicant with educational courses in engineering or surveying up to four years experience for his/her education as outlined in the current "Rules of the Board" published by the Arkansas State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors; or,

(B) Eight or more years experience, of which at least two years are at a Surveys Technician II level or above, in highway route surveying and/or land surveying of a character indicating to the Division Head of Surveys that the applicant may be competent at this position. The Division Head of Surveys may grant an applicant with educational courses in engineering or surveying up to four years experience for his/her education as outlined in the current "Rules of the Board" published by the Arkansas State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors.

Certification in Roadway Construction Control by the Technician Program at the Mack-Blackwell Rural Transportation Study Center, or equivalent certification. Extensive knowledge of survey principles and practices, and proficiency in computations for highway route locations and parcel surveys. Extensive knowledge of the functions of a survey crew. Proficiency in the use, care and operation of high-tech survey equipment, calculators, automated data collection system, coordinate geometry computations, and CADD as utilized by the AHTD Surveys Division. Proficiency in reading, understanding, and plotting land descriptions. Mathematical skills through trigonometry. Valid driver's license.

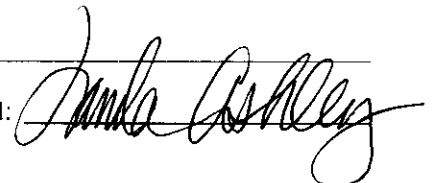
Ability to interpret and apply AHTD Survey policies and procedures as outlined in the AHTD Surveys Manual, AHTD Personnel Manual, and AHTD Safety Manual. These manuals are available for download from the internet at [www.arkansashighways.com/manuals/manuals.aspx](http://www.arkansashighways.com/manuals/manuals.aspx).

*APPLICABLE TO CREW CHIEF OF LAND SURVEYS:*

Possession of a current *Arkansas* license to practice professional land surveying.

*APPLICABLE TO SURVEYS FIELD POSITION:*

Constant statewide travel. Constant statewide travel for this position means overnight travel three or four nights per week, 52 weeks per year with reimbursement for expenses.



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*MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS - CONT'D.*

*APPLICABLE TO SURVEYS OFFICE POSITION:*

Extensive knowledge of the operation of computers, electronic data collectors, CADD workstations and software, survey data collection and processing software, GPS data processing software, least-squares analysis and adjustment of survey data, and current LiDAR point cloud software.

*("Accredited" means the educational institution or program is accredited by an accrediting organization recognized either by the United States Department of Education or by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation.)*

