Nature of Work
Under general direction performs full performance level work administering highway maintenance programs of advanced technical complexity for a district of the Division of Highways. Work is accomplished in accordance with established procedures and policies of the Division of Highways, national highway standards and legal requirements set forth by regulatory agencies such as the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency, the West Virginia Division of Natural Resources, the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers and the West Virginia Departments of Environmental Protection and Agriculture. Performs related work as required.

Distinguishing Characteristics
The Highway Administrator 3 is responsible for a district-wide maintenance function requiring expert knowledge and skill or supervises lower level Highway Administrators, while the Highway Administrator 4 may serve as an assistant to the Assistant District Engineer for Maintenance, supervising the work of lower level Highway Administrators and generally implementing all or part of the maintenance program for an entire district and its counties.

Examples of Work
Plans, directs and implements a specialized district-wide highway maintenance program within operating annual budget, including the security of materials and equipment.
Ensures maximum utilization of equipment, personnel and materials.
Schedules or approves weekly maintenance activities, work crew assignments, equipment and materials.
Ensures compliance with Division of Highways established schedules, procedures and policies as well as any Federal regulations applied.
Responds to and resolves citizen or employee complaints.
Serves as a member of a District Equipment Review Board.
Attends safety meetings and management conferences.
Plans Snow Removal Ice Control (SRIC) program for a district.
Performs field inspections of bridges, roads and crews.
May estimate requirements of paving projects in assigned area.
May supervise subordinate staff.
May conduct performance reviews of subordinate staff.
May appear as a witness for the Division of Highways in legal actions.
May prepare projected budget and expenditure schedule.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities
Knowledge of project planning methodologies such as critical path planning.
Knowledge of the maintenance standards and procedures of the Division of Highways.
Knowledge of highway equipment and its capabilities and the materials and parts used in roadway maintenance.
Knowledge of standard safety procedures and internal operating policies and procedures of the Division of Highways.
Knowledge of OSHA and EEO regulations.
Ability to review and complete detail oriented information and projects.
Ability to conceptualize and organize project planning process.
Knowledge, Skills and Abilities (cont’d)
Ability to schedule, organize and supervise maintenance crews and personnel.
Ability to estimate labor, materials and equipment to complete a scheduled maintenance activity.
Ability to read blueprints.
Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships.
Ability to communicate effectively, both orally and in writing.

Minimum Qualifications
Training: Bachelor’s degree from a regionally accredited college or university.
Substitution: Experience as described below may be substituted for the required training on a year-for-year basis.
Experience: Five years of full-time or equivalent part-time paid professional experience in business administration, public administration, transportation, construction, manufacturing, mining or the armed services or five years of full-time or equivalent part-time paid experience serving in the capacity of a project coordinator.
Special Requirement: A valid driver’s license is required.

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