

**State of Michigan  
Civil Service Commission**  
Capitol Commons Center, P.O. Box 30002  
Lansing, MI 48909

<b>Position Code</b> 1. STATEWKRH29R
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## POSITION DESCRIPTION

This position description serves as the official classification document of record for this position. Please complete the information as accurately as you can as the position description is used to determine the proper classification of the position.	
<b>2. Employee's Name (Last, First, M.I.)</b>	<b>8. Department/Agency</b> TRANSPORTATION CENTRAL OFFICE
<b>3. Employee Identification Number</b>	<b>9. Bureau (Institution, Board, or Commission)</b> Highways
<b>4. Civil Service Position Code Description</b> STATE WORKER	<b>10. Division</b> Southwest Region
<b>5. Working Title (What the agency calls the position)</b> State Worker – Travel Counselor	<b>11. Section</b> Coloma Business Office
<b>6. Name and Position Code Description of Direct Supervisor</b> BIPPLEY, MICHAEL J; ENGINEER MANAGER LICENSED-3	<b>12. Unit</b> New Buffalo Welcome Center
<b>7. Name and Position Code Description of Second Level Supervisor</b> DENBRABER, KERRY A; ENGINEER MANAGER LICENSED-4	<b>13. Work Location (City and Address)/Hours of Work</b> 11630 Wilson Road, New Buffalo, MI 49117 / Days, shifts, and hours will vary
<b>14. General Summary of Function/Purpose of Position</b> This position functions as a travel counselor and is responsible for providing and distributing literature, information, and guidance on travel and vacation activities within the state; assisting in preparing literature displays in the center; and performing emergency janitorial duties when needed to resolve specific facility concerns.	

**15. Please describe the assigned duties, percent of time spent performing each duty, and what is done to complete each duty.**

List the duties from most important to least important. The total percentage of all duties performed must equal 100 percent.

**Duty 1**

**General Summary:**

**Percentage: 80**

Assist visitors at the welcome center by providing travel related information incorporating the highest level of customer service standards.

**Individual tasks related to the duty:**

- Welcome and provide face-to-face assistance to tourists traveling throughout our state.
- Suggest routing plans, tourist attractions, and any other facilities whether it be recreational, business, or emergency in nature with the express purpose of maximizing tourist expenditures.
- Perform necessary clerical work.

**Duty 2**

**General Summary:**

**Percentage: 15**

Assist in receiving and stocking literature to the display racks and the center stockroom.

**Individual tasks related to the duty:**

- Maintain an inventory of all literature to assure proper materials are on hand as needed.
- Identify and recommend improvements in the work methods and materials used.
- Prepare displays of travel information.
- Receive and retrieve literature orders and transport materials to stock room.

**Duty 3**

**General Summary:**

**Percentage: 4**

Perform emergency maintenance or janitorial duties.

**Individual tasks related to the duty:**

- Perform emergency maintenance or janitorial duties if the circumstances could impact the health and safety of visitors to the welcome center and if the normally assigned employees who perform these duties are not available. Examples of such emergency duties could include picking up trash on sidewalks and floors where visitors might slip, replenishing toilet tissue in rest rooms, or cleaning small areas that become soiled.

**Duty 4**

**General Summary:**

**Percentage: 1**

Perform other related work as assigned by the supervisor, lead worker, or other permanent welcome center/MDOT staff.

**Individual tasks related to the duty:**

- Other duties as assigned.

**16. Describe the types of decisions made independently in this position and tell who or what is affected by those decisions.**

Decisions made while assisting travelers to find appropriate literature, directions, and reservations. Decisions that need to be made to assist travelers who have an emergency if a supervisor is not available. Help full-time staff in identifying, recommending, and implementing improvements in work methods.

**17. Describe the types of decisions that require the supervisor's review.**

When instructions need clarification or if unable to answer a traveler's question, meet their request, or in the handling of an irate visitor.

**18. What kind of physical effort is used to perform this job? What environmental conditions in this position physically exposed to on the job? Indicate the amount of time and intensity of each activity and condition. Refer to instructions.**

Ability to use a personal computer; ability to move/transport up to 40 pounds; Ability to move/transport boxes, bundles of literature, un-boxing literature, and filling literature racks. Position requires remaining in a stationary position for extended periods of time while performing duties. Work may include being in confined areas while performing some duties. May use commercial modes of transportation for travel. Position may require availability outside normal working hours based on

operational needs. The work schedule includes nights/afternoons, weekends, and holidays.

19. List the names and position code descriptions of each classified employee whom this position immediately supervises or oversees on a full-time, on-going basis.

Additional Subordinates

20. This position's responsibilities for the above-listed employees includes the following (check as many as apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Complete and sign service ratings. | <input type="checkbox"/> Assign work.                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Provide formal written counseling. | <input type="checkbox"/> Approve work.                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Approve leave requests.            | <input type="checkbox"/> Review work.                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Approve time and attendance.       | <input type="checkbox"/> Provide guidance on work methods. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Orally reprimand.                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Train employees in the work.      |

22. Do you agree with the responses for items 1 through 20? If not, which items do you disagree with and why?

Yes.

23. What are the essential functions of this position?

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24. Indicate specifically how the position's duties and responsibilities have changed since the position was last reviewed.

25. What is the function of the work area and how does this position fit into that function?

The work area functions as a rest stop for travelers. This position provides travelers assistance with choosing tourist destinations, directions, reservations, securing emergency help, and helping to maintain a clean and safer facility.

26. What are the minimum education and experience qualifications needed to perform the essential functions of this position.

**EDUCATION:**

No specific type or amount is required.

**EXPERIENCE:**

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No specific type or amount is required.

**KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES:**

Ability and willingness to:

- Work nights/afternoons, weekends, and holidays as required.
- Follow directions.
- Use a personal computer.

**CERTIFICATES, LICENSES,  
REGISTRATIONS:**

N/A

**NOTE: Civil Service approval does not constitute agreement with or acceptance of the desired qualifications of this position.**

***I certify that the information presented in this position description provides a complete and accurate depiction of the duties and responsibilities assigned to this position.***

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Supervisor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**TO BE FILLED OUT BY APPOINTING AUTHORITY**

Indicate any exceptions or additions to the statements of employee or supervisors.

N/A

***I certify that the entries on these pages are accurate and complete.***

LOGAN BRISTOL

4/1/2025

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Appointing Authority

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Date

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Employee

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Date