## **Newcastle City Council**



## **Job Description**

Post Title: Pest Control Technician EE372

**Evaluation:** 450 Points **Grade:** N5

**Responsible to:** Operations Manager

Responsible for: N/A

**Job Purpose:** The provision of a comprehensive pest control service.

Main Duties: The following is typical of the duties the postholder will be

expected to perform. It is not necessarily exhaustive and other duties of a similar nature and level may be required from time to

time.

- To follow all Health and Safety instructions relating to the safe handling, use and security of poisons, insecticides and other materials, reporting any accidents, spillage or loss immediately.
- To undertake the various tasks associated with the eradication of rats, mice, vermin and insects etc, from premises, land, drains and sewers as instructed. Assisting where appropriate with the tracing of nuisances, infestations of rats, mice vermin etc. and undertaking the lifting and manual aspects of sewer/commercial work to gain access.
- To undertake the disinfection of premises and articles in accordance with the work schedule
- To carry out a comprehensive range of pest control services to include feral cat and bird control, pest proofing and the provision and maintenance of control equipment (insecticides, etc.).
- 5 To keep and maintain such records as may be required.
- To co-operate and assist with the introduction of new methods and materials, in order to provide the most efficient and cost-effective service, including operating with the Division's aims in qualifying for the British Pest Control Association (BPCA).
- 7 To inform members of the public and others on the action being taken and any restrictions surrounding the use of poisons etc
- To be responsible for the safety and general day to day maintenance of the vehicle provided and immediately report all accidents to the Supervisor or Operations Manager.
- 9 To promote and implement the Council's Equality Policy in all aspects of employment and service delivery.