

**Town of Yucca Valley**  
**Job Announcement**  
**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**  
**KENNEL TECHNICIAN**  
**Part-time Position**

**Salary:** \$12.7408/hr. - \$18.4525/hr.  
**Hours/Days:** Varied days and hours, including weekends  
**Benefitted:** No  
**Closing Date:** **Thursday, February 11, 2016 at 5:00pm**

**The Position:** Under general direction, performs a variety of duties involved in maintaining the Animal Shelter areas in a clean and sanitary condition; care for, feed and exercise impounded animals; provide customer service in the shelter during afternoon office hours; assist in placement or disposal of animals; and assist w/euthanizing animals when necessary.

**Qualifications:**

**Knowledge and Abilities**

A working knowledge of the handling and routine care of domestic and wild animals; methods and techniques of animal capture and impoundment; animal types/breeds and behavior patterns; symptoms of animal illness and disease. Ability to communicate clearly and concisely, both orally and in writing; customer service; operate a personal computer to enter data and maintain records; learn State laws; County and Town ordinances relating to the care, impounding, and disposal of animals; assist with euthanasia; lift animals weighing up to 100 pounds; perform work that requires moderate physical activity; and work outdoors in all types of weather conditions.

**Minimum Qualifications:**

High school diploma or equivalent with six (6) months of work experience in the care and handling of animals or equivalent related field. Graduation from an accredited Veterinarian Technician program may be substituted for the required experience. The position requires the successful candidate have the ability to pass a pre-employment criminal background screening, medical exam, tuberculosis and drug screen, and possess a California driver's license with a satisfactory driving record.

Applications available at Town Hall/Yucca Valley or visit the website at [www.yucca-valley.org](http://www.yucca-valley.org) for application, job announcement and job description. Faxed or e-mailed applications will not be accepted.

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