

**CLASS SPECIFICATION**  
**SAN DIEGO CITY CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION**  
**SENIOR STRUCTURAL INSPECTOR - 1179**

**DEFINITION:**

Under direction, to train and supervise a group of structural building inspectors; to perform the more difficult or problem structural inspections; and to perform related work.

**\* EXAMPLES OF DUTIES:**

- Plans, assigns, and supervises the work of structural inspectors who inspect commercial and residential structures for compliance with building, land development, and stormwater codes and regulations;
- Consults and gives technical assistance to subordinates on complex problems;
- Investigates, reviews, and resolves inspection complaints;
- Performs the most difficult or problem inspections for compliance with applicable structural codes and regulations;
- Confers with and gives information to architects, contractors, builders, engineers, and the public;
- Prepares reports and correspondence;
- Evaluates work of subordinates and prepares performance reports;
- Recommends discipline in cases of employee misconduct or poor performance;
- Interviews and recommends selection of building inspection employees;
- Trains subordinates.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

Please note: the minimum qualifications stated below are a guide for determining the education, training, experience, special skills, and/or license which may be required for employment in the class. These are re-evaluated each time the position is opened for recruitment. Please refer to the most recent Job Description for updated minimum qualifications: <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/sandiego/classspecs>.

One year of full-time journey-level experience as a Building Inspector for a governmental jurisdiction at a level equivalent to the City of San Diego's classification of Structural Inspector II or Combination Inspector II; **AND** a valid International Code Council (ICC) Certificate as a Building Inspector is required within one year from date of hire.

- \* EXAMPLES OF DUTIES** performed by employees in this class. The list may not include all required duties, nor are all listed tasks necessarily performed by everyone in this class.