



Charlotte County, VA

JOB DESCRIPTION

Solid Waste Collection Truck Driver

Department: Solid Waste Collections

Pay Grade:

FLSA Status: Non-Exempt

JOB SUMMARY

Performs semi-skilled work in the operation of automotive and large equipment at refuse sites throughout the County; and does related work as required. Work is performed under regular supervision of the Director of Public Works.

ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS

- Operates and maintains automotive and occasionally heavy equipment housed at the County's closed landfill; and makes minor repairs to equipment;
- Clears refuse sites of trash outside of the receptacles during pick-up of containers;
- Observes all health and safety regulations;
- Operates and maintains equipment and vehicles used in cleaning refuse sites;
- Disposes of collected refuse at the landfill;
- Follows schedule to dump collection site boxes;
- Transports recyclables to vendors;
- Follows all disposal regulations and rules of the landfill;
- Implements preventative maintenance on equipment; and cleans and services equipment;
- May be asked to work at the various refuse sites when needed;
- Performs other related duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS

Education and Experience:

Graduation from high school or GED; and two years of experience in the operation of motorized equipment. Experience in operating a roll off truck preferred.

Special Requirements/ Licenses or Certifications:

Possession of an appropriate CDL license valid in the Commonwealth of Virginia. Must be at least 21 years of age.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

- Thorough knowledge of the principles and practices of operating medium to heavy sized trucks and equipment.
- Thorough knowledge of the traffic laws and regulations governing equipment operation.
- General knowledge of the occupational hazards involved and the safety precautions necessary for the proper operation of equipment.
- Skill and care in the operation of the equipment.
- Ability to understand and follow oral and written directions.
- Mechanical aptitude.
- Ability to make minor repairs and adjustments to equipment.
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with associates.

DEMANDS

This is heavy work requiring the exertion of 50 pounds of force occasionally, up to 20 pounds of force frequently, and up to ten (10) pounds of force constantly to move objects. Work requires stooping, kneeling, crouching, crawling, reaching, standing, walking, pushing, pulling, lifting, grasping, feeling, and repetitive motions. Vocal communication is required for expressing or exchanging ideas by means of the spoken word. Hearing is required to perceive information at normal spoken word levels. Visual acuity is required for: depth perception; peripheral vision; assembly or fabrication of parts at or within arm's length; determining the accuracy and thoroughness of work; and observing general surrounding and activities.

WORK ENVIRONMENT

The worker is subject to inside and outside environmental conditions, extreme cold, extreme heat, noise, vibration, hazards, atmospheric conditions, and oils.

Charlotte County has the right to revise this job description at any time. This description does not represent in any way a contract of employment.

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