



Umpqua Indian Utility Cooperative

Truck Driver/ Equipment Operator

Job Code: 4450
Department: UIUC
Location: Canyonville
Minimum: \$23.99

POSITION PURPOSE:

Responsible for operating a variety of equipment and driving tractor-trailers utilized in the construction, maintenance and repair of job sites, loading heavy equipment, transporting materials and making minor equipment repairs or adjustments. Performs technical and non-technical routine maintenance duties on a wide variety of building/facility equipment fixtures and systems. May assist with maintenance duties such as repairing a variety of equipment, machines and systems that include heating, cooling, plumbing, and electrical items used in the daily operations of the property.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

- Operate a variety of vehicles and heavy equipment including but not limited to trucks, bulldozers, backhoes, loaders and trailers.
- Driving tractor-pumper trailers utilized in the utility sewage operations.
- Drive and operate tractor-trailer trucks within the guidelines of company policies and procedures and in compliance with federal motor carrier safety regulations.
- Maintain daily driver/equipment log reports.
- Participate in Department of Transportation approved random drug testing program.
- Perform pre-trip equipment safety inspections.
- Maintain roads and transportation systems in order to ensure safe roadways.
- Perform pre-winter, winter, spring and summer maintenance on roads.
- Use equipment to level roads and ensure proper drainage.
- Load heavy equipment and transport materials using lowboys or trailers. Make minor repairs or adjustments to equipment in the field.
- Properly follow company safety procedures. Bring problems to the attention of supervisor.
- Follow daily procedures and protocols as set forth in job orientations and trainings.

- Perform routine inspection and preventive maintenance on assigned equipment and refer defects or needed repairs to supervisor; clean equipment.
- Assist in training of co-workers performing the maintenance and repair duties, as required or assigned.
- Depending on area and level of expertise will perform a variety of tasks including: carpentry, electrical maintenance, pipefitting and plumbing tasks; scrape, putty, and paint walls, woodwork and fixtures; replace light bulbs, covers, and filters or other tasks as assigned.
- Operation of a wide variety of shop and portable power tools.
- Other duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- High School Diploma or GED Certificate; or five years of experience in operating heavy equipment, two of which must have been related to heavy/highway construction; or equivalent combination of education and experience.
- Must have valid Oregon driver's license with CDL (Class A) endorsement and Minimum of one year experience with CDL Manual transmission.
- Three years truck driving experience preferred (with no active violations within the previous three years). Ability to obtain CDL tanker endorsement within 90 days of hire.
- Considerable knowledge of heavy equipment operating principles. Ability to drive and operate the equipment under varying working conditions.
- Working knowledge of methods, materials and tools used in street and road construction work.
- Working knowledge of hazards and safety precautions common to heavy equipment operations.
- Ability to perform manual work requiring periods of extensive physical exertion and potential exposure to adverse weather conditions.
- Able to work from construction specifications or blueprints.
- Ability to understand and carry out written and oral instructions.
- Ability to handle multiple priorities and tasks.
- Must possess organizational, verbal, interpersonal and customer relation skills.