

Truck Driver



Department: Environmental Services (Collection)

GENERAL STATEMENT OF JOB

Under general supervision, performs utility work in the collection and disposal of refuse and debris at the Environmental Services shop. Work involves driving and maintaining county owned trucks and operating various landscape maintenance equipment. Employee is also responsible for performing grounds and custodial maintenance work. Employee must exercise independent judgment and initiative in completing assigned tasks. Employee is subject to the usual hazards involved in and around the use of sanitation equipment in varying weather conditions. Reports to the Environmental Services Director.

SPECIFIC DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Operates pickup trucks, front loader, and roll-off trucks as necessary.
- Polices around garage, solid waste green boxes, and around the Environmental Services shop as necessary; mows or trims grass and/or weeds around shop and parking lot area.
- Polices and cleans floors and equipment in the shop facility.
- Cleans and disinfects restrooms and locker areas.
- Works on trucks when needed.
- Performs other related work as required.

REQUIRED EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

High School Diploma or GED and 1 to 2 years of experience operating trucks and light equipment; or any equivalent combination of training and experience which provides the required skills, knowledge, and abilities.

Licenses and Certificates:

- Possession of a valid Class B North Carolina Driver's License.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

The following generally describes the knowledge and abilities required to perform the job or which must be learned within a short period of time to successfully perform the assigned duties.

- Considerable knowledge of the operation and maintenance of motorized equipment used at the County Environmental Services shop.

- Working knowledge of the occupational hazards and the proper safety precautions involved in operating landscape maintenance equipment.
- General knowledge of cleaning procedures and the use of cleaning materials.
- Skilled in the use and operation of various motorized equipment.
- Ability to follow oral instructions.
- Ability to work effectively in an unpleasant working environment.
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships as necessitated by work assignments.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS AND WORKING ENVIRONMENT

The conditions herein are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodation may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential job functions.

- Must be physically able to operate a variety of machinery and equipment including garbage compactors, loaders, dump trucks, mowers, string trimmers, etc. Must be able to exert up to 50 pounds of force occasionally, and/or up to 20 pounds of force frequently, and up to 10 pounds of force constantly to move objects. Physical demand requirements are for Medium Work.
- Requires the ability to compare and/or judge the readily observable, functional, structural, or composite characteristics (whether similar or divergent from obvious standards) of data, people, or things.
- Requires the ability of speaking and/or signaling people to convey or exchange information. Includes receiving instructions, assignments, or directions from superiors.
- Requires the ability to read a variety of maintenance reports and invoices.
- Requires the ability to apply common sense understanding to carry out detailed but uninvolved written oral instructions; to deal with problems involving a few concrete variables in or from standardized situations.
- Requires the ability to record and deliver information, to explain procedures, to follow oral and written instructions. Must be able to communicate effectively and efficiently in standard English, and in mechanical terminology.
- Requires the ability to utilize mathematical formulas; to add and subtract; multiply and divide.
- Requires the ability to inspect items for proper length, width, and shape
- Requires the ability coordinate hands and eyes rapidly and accurately in using heavy motorized equipment.
- Requires the ability to handle a variety of items such as heavy motorized equipment. Must have minimal levels of eye/hand/foot coordination.
- Requires the ability to differentiate between colors and shades of color.
- Requires the ability to deal with people beyond giving and receiving instructions. Must be adaptable to performing under stress and when confronted stressful situations.

- Requires the ability to talk and hear. (Talking: expressing or exchanging ideas by means of spoken words. Hearing: perceiving nature of sounds by ear.)

FLSA Status: Non-Exempt

Disclaimer

This classification specification has been designed to indicate the general nature and level of work performed by employees within this classification. It is not designed to contain or be interpreted as a comprehensive inventory of all duties, responsibilities, and qualifications required of employees to perform the job. The County of Ashe reserves the right to assign or otherwise modify the duties assigned to this classification.