

CITY OF MADISONVILLE, KENTUCKY CLASSIFICATION DESCRIPTION

CLASSIFICATION TITLE: EQUIPMENT OPERATOR

PURPOSE OF CLASSIFICATION

The purpose of this classification is to operate heavy motorized equipment in the construction and maintenance of the City's infrastructure and the collection and disposal of the City's solid waste.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

The following duties are normal for this position. The omission of specific statements of the duties does not exclude them from the classification if the work is similar, related, or a logical assignment for this classification. Other duties may be required and assigned.

Operates a variety of heavy equipment in the installation and repair of the City's roads and water/wastewater utilities, and in the collection and disposal of refuse.

Performs preventive maintenance work on equipment and vehicles; services and makes minor repairs to equipment and vehicles; cleans and properly stores equipment and tools after use.

Inspects equipment prior to operation; fuels equipment as needed.

Ensures cleanliness and safety of work area.

Delivers equipment to and from outside repair facilities.

Maintains logs of work completed, work orders, fuel used, and equipment and supplies used.

Assists with snow removal as needed.

Flags traffic at work site; sets up barricades.

Performs crew worker duties when not operating equipment.

Operates dumpster truck, dump truck, snow removal equipment, chipper, leaf vacuum, log splitter, garbage truck, chain saw, shovel, rake, weed eater, jet rodder, easement machine, electric eel, electric saw, backhoe, ventilator, tripod, roller, sheeps foot machine, air compressor, radio or other equipment as necessary to complete essential functions.

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Equipment Operators assigned to Sanitation perform the following additional duties:

Drives truck on assigned route; loads refuse from street curb into truck; picks up limbs and other debris; reports any violations of refuse ordinances to supervisor.

Loads and hauls debris and white goods.

Unloads refuse at disposal site; cleans vehicle after unloading.

Delivers and picks up commercial-type dumpsters.

Separates debris at recycling center.

Splits tires and logs.

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Equipment Operators assigned to Wastewater Collection perform the following additional duties:

Installs new taps.

Cleans main sewer lines; cleans inside manholes and wet wells.

Installs new sewer lines; digs up, repairs, and replaces sewer lines; cuts roots from main sewer lines.

Raises manholes; installs new manholes.

Repairs roads with blacktop.

Spreads gravel; repairs landscapes.

Assists with camera operations.

Cleans roads for other departments.

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Equipment Operators assigned to Wastewater Construction perform the following additional duties:

Installs new sewer lines; measures and finds buried sewer lines for repairs; repairs existing lines.

Finds and raises manholes; sprays waterproofing and epoxy liners inside of manholes; manually cuts roots for inside of manholes; fills cracks inside manholes.

Sets up safety shields inside of trenches.

Repairs service taps.

Hauls dirt and rock to work site.

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Equipment Operators assigned to Transportation perform the following additional duties:

Loads, hauls, and unloads pipes and other construction and maintenance supplies.

Digs out driveways to install drain pipes; lays drain tile.

Sets up water pump.

Hauls rock and dirt to job when needed.

Repairs sidewalks; forms, pours and finishes concrete.

Paints traffic lines on roadways.

ADDITIONAL FUNCTIONS

Assists in maintaining and repairing equipment.

Performs general building and landscape cleaning and maintenance.

Performs other related duties as required.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

High school diploma or GED; or any equivalent combination of education, training, and experience which provides the requisite knowledge, skills, and abilities for this job. Must possess and maintain a valid Kentucky Commercial Driver's License (CDL) including appropriate endorsement(s).

PERFORMANCE APTITUDES

Data Utilization: Requires the ability to calculate and/or tabulate data. Includes performing subsequent actions in relation to these computational operations.

Human Interaction: Requires the ability to exchange information for the purpose of clarifying details within well established policies, procedures and standards.

Equipment, Machinery, Tools, and Materials Utilization: Requires the ability to overhaul, restore, renovate, construct, and/or rebuild equipment, machinery, or objects, requiring adherence to prescribed standards and specifications. Requires the ability to operate and control the actions of the same equipment, machinery, and/or objects.

Verbal Aptitude: Requires the ability to utilize a wide variety of reference and descriptive data and information.

Mathematical Aptitude: Requires the ability to perform addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division.

Functional Reasoning: Requires the ability to carry out instructions furnished in written, oral, or diagrammatic form. Involves semi-routine standardized work with some latitude for independent judgment concerning choices of action.

Situational Reasoning: Requires the ability to exercise judgment, decisiveness and creativity in situations involving a variety of generally pre-defined duties which are often characterized by frequent change.

ADA COMPLIANCE

Physical Ability: Tasks require the regular and, at times, sustained performance of moderately physically demanding work, typically involving some combination of climbing and balancing, stooping, kneeling, crouching, and crawling, and that may involve the lifting, carrying, pushing, and/or pulling of moderately heavy objects and materials (20-50 pounds).

Sensory Requirements: Some tasks require the ability to perceive and discriminate colors or shades of colors, sounds, depth, and visual cues or signals. Some tasks require the ability to communicate orally.

Environmental Factors: Performance of essential functions may require exposure to adverse environmental conditions, such as dirt, dust, pollen, odors, wetness, humidity, rain, fumes, temperature and noise extremes, machinery, vibrations, electric currents, traffic hazards, toxic agents, disease, or pathogenic substances.

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