

MOTOR EQUIPMENT OPERATOR

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: The work involves performing duties in connection with the safe and efficient operation of various construction vehicles, snowplows, sanders and other public works maintenance equipment. The incumbent also performs manual duties related to street and highway maintenance, as well as other public works activities. The work is performed under general supervision. Does related work as required.

TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:

Operates motor equipment such as: double axle dump trucks (may have snow removal equipment attached), tractors (may have rotary mower attached), high pressure street flusher, tilt trailer and other types of motor equipment used in the construction and maintenance of streets, highways and other public works projects;

Performs routine motor equipment maintenance such as checking automotive fluids, tires, lights, etc. on assigned equipment;

Performs manual road patching, sets guard rails and posts cuts/trimms trees, bushes and weeds as well as flags traffic in connection with street and highway maintenance;

Performs a variety of manual tasks;

May, on assignment, operate other types of automotive equipment.

FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:

Good knowledge of the safe and efficient operation of assigned construction vehicles, snow removal equipment and other public works maintenance equipment;

Ability to understand and follow oral and written directions;

Willingness to respond to emergencies and perform overtime work;

Willingness to work in adverse weather conditions;

Mechanical aptitude;

Dependability;

Physical condition commensurate with the demands of the position.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: One year of experience in the operation of road maintenance equipment.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT AT TIME OF APPOINTMENT: Possession of the appropriate level Commercial Driver's License (CDL).

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT WHEN EMPLOYED AT THE TOWN OF WINDSOR: Possession of a valid New York State driver's license appropriate to the vehicles operated.

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