

MOTOR EQUIPMENT OPERATOR II AND ASSISTANT MAINTENANCE MECHANIC

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: This is a combination of skilled work in the operation of motorized equipment including trucks over 26,000 lbs. GVWR (Gross Vehicle Weight Rating) and semi-skilled mechanical work involving the repair and maintenance of building components, machinery and equipment including automotive equipment. Supervision is received from a higher level position within the service in which the position exists. Does related work as required.

TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:

Operates trucks, including those over 26,000 lbs. (GVWR), such as vacuum trucks for septic cleaning and flushing trucks for sewer line cleaning, etc.;

Operates smaller trucks for plowing, salting, debris removal, TV inspection of sewer lines and hauling of maintenance equipment such as cranes and pipe cleaning machinery, etc.;

Maintains wet wells by scraping and cleaning;

Performs light masonry work in the repair of manholes, pump stations, etc.;

Performs routine vehicle and equipment maintenance and makes minor repairs as necessary.

FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:

Good knowledge of the operation of trucks including those of the heavyweight classes; good knowledge of the tools, terminology and practices of the trade or trades in which employed; working knowledge of the tools, terminology and practices used in repair and maintenance generally; skill in the use of a variety of hand and power tools; ability to understand and follow oral and written directions; mechanical aptitude.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Three (3) years of motor vehicle driving experience, six (6) months of which must have included training and/or experience in the operation of trucks over 26,000 lbs. (GVWR) and two (2) years of experience in construction, building maintenance or mechanical work.

NOTE: High school vocational, technical school or formal apprenticeship training in a trade skill may be substituted for the work experience on a year-for-year basis.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT: Possession of a driver's license appropriate for the kind and size of vehicle to be operated.