

POSITION AVAILABLE ANNOUNCEMENT

CITY OF PARKERSBURG

Medium Equipment Operator

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

DIVISION: Sanitation

GRADE: H-6 \$13.03/hr

GENERAL STATEMENT OF DUTIES: Operates a solid waste collection vehicle, in a safe and efficient manner, to collect refuse and recycling throughout the City. Sorts and packages recycling. Duties include, but are not limited to the following:

- 1) Operates solid waste collection truck with recyclable materials on assigned routes, in a safe and effective manner, collecting refuse and recycling.
- 2) Picks up, carries and empties trash cans; carries and tosses waste bags; picks up debris and litter.
- 3) Operates mechanisms for loading and dumping refuse.
- 4) Collects and empties recycle bins.
- 5) Sorts and packages recycled materials for sale.
- 6) Performs routine inspection and preventative maintenance on assigned equipment.
- 7) Maintains equipment in a clean and orderly manner.
- 8) Performs minor maintenance and repair work on equipment as an aid to operations.
- 9) Performs general laborer duties as required.
- 10) Performs related work as required.

Reports directly to the Foreman or Supervisor.

ACCEPTABLE EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING: Considerable experience operating equipment of a lesser complexity; possession of a high school diploma or GED equivalency supplemented by training in the safe and effective maintenance and repair of equipment; or an equivalent combination of experience and training. Must be able to carry out physical activities commensurate with the duties of the position in adverse environmental conditions and meet the required work schedule.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS: Possession of a valid Commercial Driver's License (Class B).

PHYSICAL DEMANDS: Ability to write, speak, hear and read. This position requires extensive walking, lifting, reaching, carrying, stooping, bending, squatting; climbing; balancing; handling; physical coordination, receiving instructions and performing a variety of duties. While performing the duties of this job, the employee is frequently exposed to fumes, dust, odors and equipment with moving parts and vibration. The employee is also exposed to a variety of extreme weather conditions.

PHYSICAL DEMAND LEVEL: Heavy

FLSA CLASSIFICATION: Non-exempt