

TRUCK DRIVER

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: Work involves responsibility for the safe and efficient operation of a variety of single axle and/or tandem axle trucks in the performance of assigned tasks. An employee in this class is also required to perform recurring manual tasks in the operation of the equipment assigned. Repetitive and routine duties requiring the use of clearly defined procedures are performed under direct supervision. Employees in this class may be subject to considerable physical effort. Does related work as required.

TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:

Operates a truck in connection with delivering various materials and supplies;
Performs minor mechanical repair on automotive equipment;
Services assigned vehicle and maintains it in clean condition;
Loads and unloads trucks;
Performs a variety of simple manual tasks involved with the operation of a truck.

FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS: Good knowledge of the operation of trucks; ability to understand and carry out simple oral and written instructions; mechanical aptitude; industry and dependability; physical condition commensurate with the demands of the position.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

(Chautauqua County) - Six (6) months of experience in the operation of dump trucks, semis, construction or farm equipment, excluding pick-up trucks.

(Towns, Schools, Villages and Cities) – None.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

- A. When Assigned to Cities, Towns, Schools, or Villages - Possession, at time of application, appointment and during service in this classification, of a valid Motor Vehicle Operator's license appropriate for the type of vehicles which the employee may from time to time operate.
- B. When Assigned to County of Chautauqua Highway Division - Possession, at time of application, appointment and during service in this class, of a valid Class B, or higher, CDL with air brakes certification. License must have any "E" Restrictions, limited to Automatic Transmissions, removed from their CDL license within six (6) months of date of hire.
- C. When Assigned to County of Chautauqua Landfill Division - Possession, at time of application, appointment and during service in this class, of a valid Class A CDL with "X" endorsement and air brakes certification. License must have any "E" Restrictions, limited to Automatic Transmissions, removed from their CDL license within six (6) months of date of hire.

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