



Operator II City of Mebane

To Apply

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The City of Mebane is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

General Statement of Duties

Performs semi-skilled and skilled work in the operation of motorized equipment for the repair and maintenance of the city's streets, water and wastewater pipes, or other city structures, facilities, and grounds. Positions may be assigned to the Public Works or Public Utilities Departments depending on duties and responsibilities

Distinguishing Features of the Class

An employee in this class performs skilled equipment operations work as part of maintaining and repairing safe and attractive structures, facilities, streets, and grounds for use by city residents. Equipment may include sewer jet truck, rodding machine, winch and safety harness, pickup truck and trailer, tractor, mower, loader, forklift, backhoe, dump truck, and/or other motorized equipment. Work also includes flushing water and wastewater lines, digging, equipment maintenance, resurfacing cuts in streets, manhole repair, ditch maintenance, and other tasks as assigned. The employee must exercise some independence of action and judgment when traveling between assigned worksites and completing assignments. Work is distinguished from the Equipment Operator I level by the type and complexity of work assignments, the knowledge of or license to operate certain equipment, and degree of supervision required. This classification is non-supervisory, and work is performed under the direction of a utilities crew leader or public works maintenance supervisor. Work is evaluated by visual inspection, review of reports, and periodic discussions with employee. Work is evaluated for compliance with safety procedures and overall appearance of city structures and is checked daily by visual inspection.

Illustrative Examples of Work

- Operates asphalt rollers, gasoline powered tamp, street sweeper, air compressor, and other street maintenance equipment such as winch and safety harness, pickup truck and trailer, tractors, mowers, loaders, forklift, backhoe, dump trucks, and/or other motorized equipment.
- Operates sewer jet truck and rodding machine to clear stoppages
- Cleans and lubricates truck reels, nozzles, hoses, blades, and other preventive parts; informs supervisor of equipment repair needs

- Hauls asphalt, stone, and muck to and from worksites using dump truck; mixes small batches of concrete required for work site
- Performs general cleanup of facilities such as emptying garbage, picking up litter, and discarding yard waste
- Serves as lead worker on a crew or team to complete assignments.
- Responds to calls by city residents regarding water and wastewater problems
- Performs other equipment operation and general labor duties as assigned

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities

- Knowledge of various motorized equipment operation and general maintenance work performed by a municipality in street maintenance and water and sewer line maintenance
- General knowledge of motorized equipment maintenance and safety procedures
- Demonstrated skill in the operation of a backhoe, forklift, loader, dump truck, tamp, jackhammer, and other maintenance equipment
- Ability to receive and carry out instructions provided by a supervisor
- Ability to identify and report maintenance needs of various structures, grounds, and facilities
- Ability to serve as lead worker on a crew or team operating skilled motorized equipment to accomplish projects and assignments.

Physical Requirements

Work in this position is heavy work exerting up to 100 pounds of force occasionally, and/or up to 20 pounds of force constantly to move objects. Employees must have the visual acuity to determine the accuracy, neatness, and thoroughness of the work assigned as well as recognize and apply safety standards to work performed.

Working Conditions

Employees are subject to outside environmental conditions, including extreme cold and heat as well as noise levels requiring workers requiring the wearing of protective gear. Employees are subject to physical workplace hazards including proximity to moving mechanical parts or vehicles, electrical current, working on scaffolding and high places, exposure to extremes of heat and cold, rain and snow, and potential exposure to chemicals. Employees are subject to atmospheric conditions including fumes, odors, dusts, dirt, mists, gases, or poor ventilation. This employee may work in close quarters, crawl space, shafts, manholes, small enclosures, small sewage and water line pipes, and other areas which could cause claustrophobia.

Education and Experience

Completion of high school or GED equivalency and 3-5 years of experience in equipment operation and maintenance work.

Special Requirement

Valid North Carolina Driver's License; NC Driver's License Class B
Some positions may require a NC Commercial Driver's License (Class A)

FLSA Status: Nonexempt

Compensation

\$34,100.00-\$52,857.00

Disclaimer

This classification specification has been designed to indicate the general nature and level of work performed by employees within this classification. It is not designed to contain or be interpreted as a comprehensive inventory of all duties, responsibilities, and qualifications required of employees to perform the job. The Physical Requirements and Working Conditions section of this classification may vary from position to position, and a more thorough description of these elements can be found in the employee's Position Description Questionnaire (PDQ). The City reserves the right to assign or otherwise modify the duties assigned to this classification.