

**PLEASE POST – AMENDED (1 vacancy instead of 2)**

**#2022-01**

**JOB OPENING**

**TITLE:** MOTOR EQUIPMENT OPERATOR – B (1 Vacancy)  
(Non-Competitive/Permanent)

**DEPARTMENT:** Highway

**SALARY:** Pursuant to TCEA Bargaining Agreement

**SHIFT:** Monday through Friday, 7:00 am – 2:00 pm  
\*Must be available Saturdays, Sundays and holidays for emergency snow removal during the winter months

**DATE:** April 28, 2022

**DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS**

Incumbents of this class operate a variety of self-propelled equipment in the construction, repair and maintenance of highways and bridges, and maintain their equipment by performing specific routine maintenance tasks. MEO's, as members of a work crew, are characterized by both the performance of laboring tasks and the operation of self-propelled equipment such as all trucks, front end pulvmixers, eductors, catch basin cleaners, gunite equipment, self-propelled plows, self-propelled sweepers, bulldozers, trench fillers, bituminous pavers, pavement breakers and pavement striper and widener. Incumbents may act as a lead worker in a small crew providing advice and assistance to crew members. Incumbents are supervised by a Crew Chief or similar level supervisor. Does related work as required.

**TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES**

Operates one or more of the machines mentioned above for highway and bridge construction, repair and maintenance projects;  
Performs tasks indigenous to assigned machine according to instructions received from supervisor;  
Operates a bituminous paver, rollers, self-propelled sweepers, and front-end loaders;  
Operates all trucks to transport material crew, or equipment;  
Operates maintaniner to push ridges of dirt from under side guardrails out onto the slope side of the road;  
Operates educator truck to remove dirt and debris from catch basins and drop inlets;  
Maintains daily record of work performed and materials used;  
Performs routine maintenance and repairs on machines to insure safe and efficient operations including washing, adding or changing fluids, changing sparks plugs, filters, tires and other minor equipment;  
Assists mechanic and blacksmith in equipment repair;  
May operate the lo-boy tractor-trailer unit;  
Performs tasks and activities listed for Laborer class;  
Picks up and delivers tools, requisitions, vouchers, parts, purchase orders, payrolls, etc., as required.

**FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGES, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Good knowledge of the operation of a variety of self-propelled equipment; good knowledge of the Vehicle and Traffic Law as it applies to the safe and legal operation of the assigned equipment; good knowledge of the routine repair and maintenance work needed by equipment; ability to operate assigned machine in safe and effective manner; ability to understand and follow simple oral and written instructions; ability to perform routine repair and maintenance on equipment; ability to perform medium to heavy physical labor; physical condition commensurate with the demands of the position.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS**

One (1) year of work experience in the operation of self-propelled highway maintenance equipment noted above.

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENT**

Possession of a valid New York State Commercial Driver's License (CDL) appropriate for class of vehicle operated.

NOTE: Verifiable part-time and/or volunteer experience will be pro-rated toward meeting full-time experience requirements.

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