

Heavy Equipment Operator

Reports to: Assistant Manager of Operations

Full-time Permanent Position: Monday – Friday 7:30 am – 4:00 pm

Description:

Reporting to the Assistant Manager of Operations, the Heavy Equipment Operator is responsible for tasks relating to water distribution and sanitary sewer collection systems, road and drainage maintenance, snow clearing, parks maintenance and assistance with capital projects. Activities related to this position are often strenuous in nature and require an individual who is physically fit and safety conscious.

Primary Duties:

- Operation of company vehicles including dump truck, loader, excavator, tractor and Bobcat
- Snow-clearing on Village streets and sidewalks
- Perform preventative maintenance and repairs for the following Village assets:
 - Municipal buildings and facilities
 - Village streets, roads, lanes and sidewalks
 - Municipal equipment and vehicles
 - Water distribution, water treatment, sewage collection and drainage infrastructure
- Assist with completion of capital projects
- Assist Water Operator and Wastewater Treatment Operator, including coverage during absences
- Assist in the construction and maintenance of parks, trails and public spaces
- Maintain courteous and positive public relations with the community and co-workers
- Identify hazards and perform corrective measures, and/or report hazards to Supervisor
- Perform other duties as assigned.

Skills and Requirements:

- Ability to work both independently and as a member of team
- Minimum 3 years' experience as a Heavy Equipment Operator or related role
- Experience working for a municipality an asset
- Training and experience working in confined spaces and working at heights an asset
- Training and experience in Wastewater Treatment, Water Supply or Water Distribution an asset
- Physical requirements include: working outdoors, lifting up to 50 pounds, moving or carrying objects of various weight and dimension, climbing stairs, using a step ladder, standing for long periods, walking on uneven surfaces
- Strong knowledge of the Pemberton area preferred
- Valid Class 5 B.C. Driver's License with Air Endorsement and satisfactory Driver's Abstract.

The Heavy Equipment Operator position is part of the Collective Agreement between the Village of Pemberton and Canadian Union of Public Employees, Local 2010.