



Sanitation Technician I

Employer

Cowley County
311 E 9th
Winfield, KS 67156

JOB TITLE: Sanitation Technician I
DEPARTMENT: Public Works- Landfill
REPORTS TO: Sanitation Foreman
STARTING PAY:
STATUS: Full-time

Position Summary:

Under direct supervision, performs work in the operation of a solid waste transfer station, construction-demolition landfill, and care of an old landfill site; operates heavy equipment.

Essential duties and responsibilities:

- Operates the transfer station and construction demolition pit.
- Operates equipment to push unloaded trash into the transfer truck trailers.
- Covers materials in the C&D pit.
- Sorts, loads, and hauls soils, waste, and other materials.
- Monitors trash for unacceptable and hazardous wastes and provides special handling of same.
- Operates heavy equipment including front-end loader, backhoe, self-propelled scraper, compactors, semi-trailer trucks and similar equipment.
- Maintains and repairs equipment.
- Monitors water wells for underground water pollution and gas wells for methane leakage.
- Maintains fuel and other operating logs.

- Cleans the scale and the scale pit.

Marginal Duties:

- Collects trash on-site and on roadways around the site
- Fills in for other employees in the scale house
- Handles and accounts for funds collected
- Performs other duties as assigned

Position Requirements:**Experience:**

Experience in operation of trucks and heavy equipment. Must possess a valid driver's license.

Education:

- High school diploma or equivalent is required.

Accountability:

Knowledge of and the skill to operate large equipment in a safe manner.

Working Conditions:

Extreme weather conditions, handling of chemicals and toxic fumes are factors in this position. Must have the ability to perform heavy physical labor under a variety of weather conditions.


Physical requirements:

- Ability to perform moderate and some heavy physical work and to lift and carry up to 75 pounds and occasionally 100 pounds.
- To stand, walk, sit, ride, climb, bend, kneel, twist, reach, grasp, push, pull and perform similar body movements.
- Possesses hand/eye/foot coordination adequate to operate office equipment, including a computer, a vehicle and heavy equipment.
- Ability to talk and hear in person, by telephone and two-way radio; ability to hear malfunction of equipment.
- Ability to see and read instructions, gauges, to detect unacceptable waste and to see characters on a computer screen.

Application Instructions:

Please e-mail all applications to: adminoffice@cowleycountyks.gov

You can mail or drop off an application to:
Human Resources Coordinator
Ryan Van Fleet



311 E. 9th Winfield
Kansas 67156.

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