

Ouachita Parish Police Jury

JOB OPPORTUNITY ANNOUNCEMENT

POSITION: Equipment Operator I	OPENING DATE: July 14, 2023
SALARY: Mower - \$11.00 - \$12.04/hour CDL "A" - \$13.50 - \$15.53/hour CDL "B" - \$12.50 - \$14.56/hour	CLOSING DATE: Until Filled

DUTIES:

This work is of routine difficulty. This is semi-skilled work with a primary responsibility for the safe and efficient operation of assigned equipment. Definite assignments are given by a supervisor and the work is checked frequently for satisfactory progress. Work involves exposure to dirt, fumes, inclement weather and safety hazards. Work routinely requires the need to perform manual labor and occasionally lead lower level laborers on the job. This is an entry-level position. May be required to work unscheduled overtime.

EXAMPLES OF WORK

Performing road and ditch maintenance and associated work may be required to operate such equipment as a single axle dump truck, flatbed truck, self-propelled rollers, forklifts, farm type tractors with bush hog or boom mower attachments. Performs routine maintenance on equipment. May be required to drive personal vehicle to work site. Services, cleans machine including tracks, and makes minor adjustments and repairs to the assigned equipment. Recognizes equipment malfunctions early on and reports same to the supervisor.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Training and Experience: Three months experience in the operation of one or more types of equipment similar to those listed above.

Knowledge, Abilities, and Skills: Some knowledge of the operation and maintenance of assigned equipment. Some knowledge of the occupational hazards of the work and of necessary safety precautions required for the safe operation of assigned equipment. Ability to understand and follow simple oral and written instructions. Ability to keep records and complete daily activity reports.

LICENSES AND CERTIFICATES

Possession of a Class "B" Commercial Driver's License with airbrake endorsement.

BENEFITS:

The Parish offers liberal benefits, including an excellent retirement system, vacations, sick leave and health and life insurance. Employees may advance to higher positions, based on his/her abilities and interests, and on the needs of the Parish.

HOW TO APPLY:

Applications must be submitted either online at www.oppj.org/hr or on the OFFICIAL FORM that is available from and may be returned to:

Ouachita Parish Police Jury, HR Department
Ouachita Parish Courthouse, 301 South Grand, Suite 201
Telephone: 318-327-1340

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