

**SOLID WASTE**

**SOLID WASTE EQUIPMENT OPERATOR/DRIVER I  
\$1,920.29 - \$2,334.12**

**OR**

**SOLID WASTE EQUIPMENT OPERATOR/DRIVER II  
\$2,100.22 - \$2,552.84**

**An Eligibility List will be formed for Extra Help, On-Call, and Permanent Vacancies  
Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., December 9, 2009**

**Solid Waste Equipment Operator/Driver I:**

**DEFINITION:**

Under supervision, to learn procedures and operations for the collection of solid waste and the maintenance of the County's Solid Waste sites; to safely operate motorized refuse collection equipment in providing effective, efficient collection of solid waste; to learn to drive an assigned service route maintaining quality service standards; to perform a variety of equipment operation and maintenance functions at the County's Solid Waste sites; and to do related work as required.

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

**Knowledge of:**

Basic knowledge of tools and equipment used in a Solid Waste Collection Program and Site operations and maintenance.

Basic knowledge of practices and procedures of solid waste collection services and landfill site operations and services.

Work safety practices.

Safe driving practices, rules and requirements.

**Ability to:**

Learn to safely operate motorized solid waste collection and landfill site operation and maintenance in accordance with applicable Vehicle Code requirements.

Maintain proper quality and quantity of services.

Learn to skillfully use and operate a variety of equipment utilized in refuse collection services and landfill site operations and maintenance.

Perform heavy physical labor.

Follow oral and written directions.

Maintain and make basic repairs to equipment.

Maintain accurate daily records and reports.

Establish and maintain cooperative working relationships.

Deal tactfully and courteously with the public.

**Training and Experience:**

Any combination of training and experience which would likely provide the required knowledge and abilities is qualifying. A typical way to obtain the required knowledge and abilities would be:

Some previous work experience in maintenance and operating of light and heavy equipment is highly desirable.

**Special Requirements:**

Possession of, or ability to obtain, a valid, current and appropriate class of California Driver's License required to perform the majority of regular job assignments.

## **Solid Waste Equipment Operator/Driver II:**

### **DEFINITION:**

Under general supervision, to skillfully operate motorized refuse collection equipment in providing effective, efficient collection of solid waste; to drive an assigned service route maintaining quality service standards; to operate heavy equipment and perform a variety of maintenance functions at County Solid Waste sites and transfer stations; and to do related work as required.

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

#### **Knowledge of:**

Tools and equipment used in a Solid Waste Collection Program.  
Practices, tools, equipment, and materials used in solid waste collection and services.  
Laws, rules, and regulations applicable to operation of motorized solid waste collection equipment on public roads.  
Basic principles and methods of equipment inspection and prevention maintenance.  
Proper procedures for handling hazardous materials.  
Maintain proper quality and quantity of services.  
Skillfully use and operate a variety of equipment utilized in refuse collection and services.  
Equipment operation and maintenance functions at Solid Waste sites and transfer stations.  
Work safety practices.

#### **Ability to:**

Safely operate motorized solid waste collection equipment in accordance with applicable Vehicle Code requirements.  
Maintain proper quality and quantity of services.  
Perform equipment operation and maintenance functions at Solid Waste sites and transfer stations.  
Skillfully use and operate a variety of equipment utilized in refuse collection and services.  
Perform heavy physical labor.  
Follow oral and written directions.  
Maintain and make basic repairs to equipment.  
Maintain accurate daily records and reports.  
Establish and maintain cooperative working relationships.  
Deal tactfully and courteously with the public.

### **Training and Experience:**

Any combination of training and experience which would likely provide the required knowledge and abilities is qualifying. A typical way to obtain the required knowledge and abilities would be:

Two (2) years of solid waste work collection service and site operation and maintenance experience comparable to that of a Solid Waste Equipment Operator/Driver I with Trinity County.

### **Special Requirements:**

Possession of, or ability to obtain, a valid, current and appropriate class of California Driver's License required to perform the majority of regular job assignments..

Some job assignments may require a special Class of California Driver's license and endorsements. Employees meeting special licensing requirements may receive a stipend, as determined through the County collective bargaining process.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.