

# **JOB POSTING # 21-025**

# STREET EQUIPMENT OPERATOR I

Street Division
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

HOURLY RATE: \$ 12.84 \*

\*NOTE: Active employees may have a different starting rate depending on current classification and years of service. Contact the HR office with specific questions.

Under general supervision operates trucks and other general mobile equipment to transport material and personnel. Participates in all activities relating to maintenance including street sweeping, repair and construction of streets, drainage, and alley operations. Performs other related work as required or assigned.

#### **Essential Duties:**

Drives dump truck and pick-up truck. Will load and unload dirt, sand, gravel, caliche, asphalt, brush and construction materials. Mows right of ways and easements, picks up and delivers parts and supplies. Will use a variety of hand and power tools and will operate complex machinery and/or equipment for training or relief purposes. Responsible for maintenance and minor repair of equipment. Able to follow written and oral instructions. Uses good judgment to work safely and to operate equipment properly. Works in trenches and confined spaces; serves on stand-by crew for after-hours emergency work as required. Performs minor carpentry work, painting and concrete work. May work with various City departments and performs other duties as required and assigned.

## **Training, Experience, and/or Other Requirements:**

Required: Valid CDL Permit. Must acquire a Commercial Driver's License within 2 months of employment. Knowledge of proper care, mechanical and skillful/safe operation of light/heavy equipment. Ability to follow written and oral instructions. Prefer experience operating and maintaining street sweepers.

#### **Physical Requirements:**

Must be able to lift and carry up to 100 pounds; push, pull and/or drag up to 150 pounds of equipment and/or materials; climbs, crawls, kneels, squats, stoops, stands, sits, and bends when driving or maintaining equipment; hear and see clearly when working around equipment or in traffic. Works outdoors in extreme temperatures and inclement weather with some exposure to dust, fumes, noise, mechanical, electrical, and chemical hazards while using proper safety precautions.

### **Employee Behavior and Conduct:**

City employees shall conduct themselves in a professional manner and shall exhibit and extend such professional conduct appropriate for the circumstances to those with whom they come into contact both internally and externally during the performance of their duties. Examples of professional conduct include, but are not limited to, being communicative, informative, fair, honest and respectful.

All City employees are required in the course and scope of their employment to provide services for the benefit of the public during emergency situations that threaten the safety of Kingsville's citizens. City employees must be able to work immediately before, during, and/or immediately after an emergency.

Position require the following: 1) High School diploma or equivalent, 2) Valid driver's license 3) satisfactory driving record and 4) proof of eligibility to legally work in the U.S. The successful applicant will be required to pass a preemployment physical, drug screen and background investigation.

Applications available at City of Kingsville-Human Resources, 400 W. King Avenue, Kingsville, TX 78363 or download at <a href="www.cityofkingsville.com">www.cityofkingsville.com</a> Additional information available by calling 361-595-8017 or email <a href="h

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