



Garbage Truck Driver City of Rock Valley

JOB TITLE: Garbage Truck Driver

GENERAL HOURS OF WORK: Part-time hourly position; Days

SUPERVISOR: Jeff Juffer, Street Superintendent

GENERAL JOB SUMMARY:

The Garbage Truck Driver is responsible for collecting the garbage and recyclables of the community, businesses, and organizations in Rock Valley.

SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES:

- None.

DUTIES/RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Visit numerous residential and apartment locations, daily, to collect solid waste by using an automated garbage-disposal truck.
- Transport and dispose of garbage in a safe, effective, and environmentally friendly manner, at a city of state-approved dump site.
- Ensure recyclables such as glass, paper, and plastic are properly separated from other types of garbage for effective recycling.
- Operate an automated garbage-disposal truck to lift garbage dumpsters and trash cans, when necessary.
- Collect pieces of furniture or large electronic devices during Junk Days in Rock Valley, for effective disposal.
- Clear debris from roadways to ensure a safe and clean environment.
- Maintain the garbage-disposal truck by performing routine maintenance, such as checking tire pressure, greasing, topping off fluids, and inspecting mechanical parts for unusual wear and tear.
- Demonstrate pride in the job and place of employment.
- Represent the City of Rock Valley at all times in a professional manner.
- Perform other related duties as assigned.

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE:

- High School Diploma or GED is required.
- Experience is preferred, but not required.
- Commercial driver's license to operate a garbage-disposal truck.

REQUIRED SKILLS/ABILITIES:

- Ability to endure tough working conditions.
- Working knowledge of GPS and online mapping sites.
- Excellent knowledge of hazardous materials and proper waste disposal methods.



- Class B CDL with air brake endorsement preferred, or willing to obtain.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Must be able to operate foot pedal (occasionally) with a force up to 30 lbs.
- Must be able to lift (rarely) 70 lbs. at a height of 40" to a height of 60" to lift latch that secures dumpster to truck.
- Must be able to lift (frequently) 7 lbs. from 16" to 60".
- Must be able to pull (frequently) using preferred hand(s) with a force of 13 lbs. at a height of 58".
- Must be able to push/pull (occasionally) with a force of 48 lbs. at a height of 45" a distance of 25 feet.
- Must be able to push/pull (rarely) with a force up to 138 lbs. at a height of 45" to maneuver dumpster into optimal positioning.
- Must be able to reach (frequently) up to 62" to hold onto grab bars.
- Must be able to step (frequently) ascend/descend 17" and 12" step with grab bars at 62" on left and 72" on right.

I have read, understand, and accept the above job description, and am able to perform the essential functions of this position. I understand that this job description can change according to the needs of this position. I further understand that future evaluations and merit increases are based on my ability to perform these duties.

Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____