

## **JOB VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT**

**POSITION:** EQUIPMENT OPERATOR

**DEPARTMENT:** DUPLIN COUNTY SOLID WASTE/LANDFILL

**SALARY:** Grade 64 Step 1 \$ 13.8077 per hour / \$28,720 annually

**OPENING DATE:** July 10, 2017 **CLOSING DATE:** July 20, 2017  
5:00 p.m.

**APPLY AT:** Duplin County Personnel Office  
County Administration Building - 224 Seminary Street  
Kenansville, NC 28349  
910/296-2174 "Equal Opportunity Employer"

### **GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES**

Under general supervision, the purpose of the position is to operate medium and heavy motorized equipment. Employees in this classification perform skilled work. Position is responsible for operating a roll-off truck, tractor/trailer truck, front-end loaders, backhoes, bobcats, and heavy rollers, refuse removal equipment, compactor, transfer station, and forklift in landfill and recycling operations. Performs related work as required.

### **SPECIFIC DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

#### **EXAMPLES OF ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS**

**The list of essential functions, as outlined herein, is intended to be representative of the tasks performed within this classification. It is not necessarily descriptive of any one position in the class. The omission of an essential function does not preclude management from assigning duties not listed herein if such functions are a logical assignment to the position.**

- Drives a truck along an assigned route to collect garbage from dump sites; operates lifting mechanism on truck; transports refuse collected to disposal site; operates control mechanism to empty truck; operates forklift in loading trucks; operates backhoe at transfer station.
- Hauls rock and gravel from quarry; operates front end loader and bulldozer; operates pan to remove ground soil or spread soil; operates heavy motorized dozer to push soil over refuse and debris and to build up reserve supplies of dirt to be used for covering purposes.
- Works in recycling warehouse; operates bobcat at warehouse; operates recycling equipment to prepare recyclable materials for market; directs haulers to proper storage area for recyclables; insures quality of recyclable materials by inspecting materials and removing unacceptable items; loads trucks of baled materials for market.
- Performs routine servicing and maintenance of equipment used in carrying out assignments, including such tasks as fueling trucks and cleaning exterior and interior.
- Maintains clean and safe working environment in and around recycling warehouse and sites; cleans site; spreads gravel.
- Assists Duplin County Building and Grounds Maintenance Department and the Duplin County School System in any jobs and endeavors as needed or assigned.

### **MINIMUM TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE**

High school diploma or GED preferred; supplemented by three (3) to five (5) years previous experience and/or training that includes the operation of trucks and heavy equipment, and experience in refuse collection work; or an equivalent combination of education, training, and experience.

### **SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS**

Possession of a valid Class A Commercial driver's license (CDL) issued by the State of North Carolina.

In accordance with the county's drug free workplace policy, employees will be subject to pre-employment and random drug screening.