

TRANS-JORDAN LANDFILL

is now accepting applications for

HEAVY EQUIPMENT / LARGE TRUCK SERVICE MECHANIC

Starting Salary Range: \$19.87 - \$21.85, Depending on Experience

Full Salary Range: \$19.87 - \$29.81

If you meet the following requirements, apply at Trans-Jordan Landfill, 10473 S. Bacchus Hwy (U-111), S. Jordan, Utah. Your written application will be the basis for determining whether you meet the minimum qualifications and appropriate ranking on the register for this position. **POSITION IS OPEN UNTIL FILLED**

SUMMARY OF BENEFITS (FULL -TIME PERMANENT POSITION)

Insurance Benefits: Health, Dental, Life, Accidental Death & Dismemberment, Long-term disability

Retirement: Utah State Retirement Systems – Pension Program

Annual Leaves: Annual accrued vacation (96 hrs. per year)
Annual accrued sick leave (96 hrs. per year)

Misc: Employees are currently eligible for a bonus program after completion of their new hire probation (six months). Upon successful completion of new hire probation employees may be eligible for a merit increase.

JOB SUMMARY & MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Shift will be Tuesday - Saturday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

See attached job description for information on specific job duties and requirements

No contract exists between Trans-Jordan Cities and its employees with respect to permanent employment, salaries, salary ranges, or employee benefits. Salary, salary ranges and benefits may change as a result of market surveys, job analysis, availability of funds, or changes in policy. Movement within the range is based upon job performance, availability of funds and policies and procedures as they are amended from time to time. All new hires are placed on a six (6) month merit probation, which may be extended for good cause.

In the interest of workplace and public safety, all offers of employment (including promotion or a change in job status) are contingent upon successful completion of a chemical screen for the purpose of detecting the presence of alcohol and/or controlled substance in the body.

Trans-Jordan Cities is an Equal Opportunity Employer and provides reasonable accommodation to known disabilities of applicants and employees in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

DD214 must be submitted with application when claiming Veterans Preference.

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GENERAL PURPOSE

Under general supervision from the Project Manager and Operations Supervisors for Trans Jordan Landfill performs servicing and maintenance on all landfill heavy equipment, large trucks, pickup trucks cars, and miscellaneous equipment.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES

- Performs weekly preventative maintenance service and lubrication on landfill equipment and vehicles; inspects equipment to replace parts and accessories, such as: gaskets, wiper blades, air and oil filters, light bulbs and fuses as required; greases and lubricates equipment, gear boxes, universal joints, etc.; checks and/or drains and adds appropriate fluids to engine, batteries, hydraulic, transmissions, differentials, final drives, and cooling systems by established schedules or according to time mileage standards.
- Diagnose and repairs problems on equipment; assists and follows up on work done by contract mechanics such as Wheeler Machinery.
- Takes oil samples on transmissions, engines, final drives, differentials, hydraulic systems and cooling systems to be sent out for testing to determine wear or usage of internal parts.
- Completes records of servicing and maintenance performed on all equipment and vehicles at Trans Jordan; orders (and picks up if necessary) parts needed for repairs on equipment.
- Keeps supplies (oils, grease, antifreeze, filters, tools, etc...) stocked as required for daily operation of all landfill equipment and vehicles.
- Responsible for changing blades and cutting edges on dozers, compactors, scrapers, etc.; cuts off worn and welds on new compactor teeth on compactor wheels.
- Performs welding on equipment, and metal fabrication when necessary.
- Operates tire change machine and repairs flat tires on small vehicles when necessary.
- Fuels large equipment on site.
- Drives large equipment as required for servicing and diagnostic purposes.
- Trains personnel in the proper care of assigned equipment.
- Follows safety requirements in accordance with OSHA regulations and acceptable industry standards.

May fill in for truck drivers in the operation of the hydraulic hooklift truck and/or water truck.

May fill in for landfill site spotter. Performs visual and verbal inspection/verification of vehicles to prevent the disposal of hazardous or unauthorized waste; instructs public as to the proper disposal of various types of waste material in compliance with local, State and Federal health laws; notification of proper authorities if hazardous waste is found. As designated, may serve as inspector in charge of monitoring the landfill for hazardous waste.

Fights refuse fires. Utilizes specific fire fighting techniques in controlling and fighting refuse fires.

Performs related duties as required.

- *indicates an essential function of the position*

QUALIFICATIONS

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities

- Considerable knowledge of diesel mechanics on heavy equipment such as 836 compactors, D8L dozer or larger, 14E road grader or larger, 631 scrapers, and other miscellaneous earthmoving equipment.
- Knowledge of large trucks, air brakes, clutches, and drive train components.
- Knowledge of air conditioners in trucks and heavy equipment.
- Knowledge of mechanical working of pickup trucks (i.e., brakes, electrical systems, etc.).
- Knowledge of tire repair.
- Skill in the operation of a large service truck, water truck, and hooklift truck.
- Ability to operate a 12,000 lb crane on service truck.
- Ability to read and understand service and parts manuals, and order parts.
- Ability to keep records on all servicing and /or maintenance performed on all equipment and vehicles at Trans Jordan.
- Ability to troubleshoot, diagnose and perform minor repair of both gas and diesel equipment with accuracy and efficiency and effectively communicate diagnosis to contract mechanic for major repairs; field tests repaired equipment to insure operating efficiency.
- Ability to weld with stick, mig, tig, oxy / accelelene, also carbon arc torch cutting.
- Ability and willingness to follow standard safety practices and procedures common to the operation and servicing of equipment and vehicles.
- Knowledge of equipment operating principles and procedures; considerable knowledge of the hazards and safety precautions relating to equipment operations.
- Knowledge of the equipment operation and procedures; i.e. loader, dozer, scraper, compactor, motor grader, smooth drum roller, backhoe, trackhoe, grinder, screener, windrow turner as assigned.
- Ability to operate equipment; ability to follow standard safety practices and procedures common to equipment operation work; ability to follow written and verbal instructions; ability to establish effective working relationships with employees and the general public; ability to perform heavy manual labor.
- Ability to effectively plan and schedule work assignments and job orders; evaluate and accurately control parts inventory; complete appropriate paperwork and documentation; and maintain a well organized shop and files.
- Knowledge of landfill disposal standards and procedures; knowledge of firefighting at landfill.
- Knowledge of solid waste management practice concerning recognition, inspection, notification, dumping and disposing of hazardous waste to include both solids and liquids.

Working Conditions

- This position involves frequent lifting of 35 pounds with occasional lifting of up to 50 pounds. This job requires lifting to be combined with bending and twisting on elevated and irregular surfaces. There is moderate exposure to disagreeable elements such as dust, fumes, noise, dampness, cold, heat, grease, oil, and exposure to health, occupational hazards and other elements inherent to landfill work.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

Education and Experience

- Graduation from high school or equivalent.
- Three (3) to four (4) years experience as a service mechanic on heavy equipment, large trucks, and pickups (or any equivalent combination of education and experience).
- Previous experience as an equipment operator desirable.
- Must have previous experience as a welder. (Welding Certification a plus)

Special Requirements

- Must have a valid CDL Utah Drivers License (Class B or higher) within six (6) months of hire and remain insurable.