## HEAVY MOTOR EQUIPMENT OPERATOR

Code No.: 4-15-003 COMPETITIVE NON-COMPETITIVE For County Government, Monroe County Water Authority & All Towns ONLY

**DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS**: This is a mechanical position responsible for the operation of heavy motor equipment. The employee performs related work on projects involving the equipment. The employee performs minor maintenance and security of equipment. Employees may be required to work under unpleasant working conditions including extremes of heat and cold, noxious fumes and odors, wet, damp, and cramped working areas. Employees must be available for emergency duty twenty-four (24) hours a day. Certain departments may establish minimum call-in requirements and conditions. The employee reports directly to, and works under direct supervision of, a senior-level employee. Does related work as required.

**<u>TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES</u>**: (All need not be performed in a given position. Other related activities may be performed although not listed.)

Operates two or more of the following pieces of equipment: crane, front end loader, motor grader, bulldozer, 10-wheel 20-ton dump truck, motor fuel truck, equipment trailer, and snow removal equipment;

Keeps assigned equipment at job site well-lubricated, oiled and in good working order;

Notifies supervisor in the event of equipment breakdown or the need for major repairs;

Secures the equipment for overnight or weekend storage;

Assumes responsibility for accessories, supplies and consumables furnished for the equipment assigned;

Assumes responsibility for proper and safe use of all equipment consigned to his use;

Assists at main break sites and performs related work as is necessary to aid in the departments' routine responsibilities.

FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS: Thorough knowledge of the operation, care and maintenance of heavy motor equipment; thorough knowledge of the proper use and application of heavy motor equipment; good knowledge of the repair and upkeep of gasoline and diesel engines; good knowledge of the safety practices in the construction industry; working knowledge of work load and operating capacities of heavy motor equipment; ability to estimate work requirements of a given job in terms of the equipment available; ability to establish good working relationships with others; mechanical manual dexterity; ability to enter and exit confined and/or elevated areas via ladder; dependability; resourcefulness; integrity; good judgment; willingness to work outdoors under adverse weather conditions; physical condition commensurate with the demands of the position.

## MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: EITHER:

- (A) Graduation from high school or possession of an equivalency diploma plus two (2) years paid full-time or its' part-time equivalent experience in the operation of gasoline automotive and diesel heavy equipment used in connection with general and/or heavy construction or maintenance work; OR,
- (B) Four (4) years experience as outlined in (A); OR,
- (C) Any equivalent combination of training and experience as defined by the limits of (A) and (B).

## SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

Possession of a valid New York State Class A CDL license at the time of appointment.

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