



# JOB OPENING



13225 / 379<sup>th</sup> Ave. / Aberdeen, SD 57401

Position Description....	<b>Full-Time Landfill Equipment Operator</b>
Labor Grade.....	<b>4 (Step 1)</b>
Rate of Pay.....	<b>\$12.85 per hour</b>
Benefits.....	<b>Vacation (3.5 hrs. per pay period) Sick Leave (4.5 hrs. per pay period) Health, Dental, Life Insurance &amp; State Retirement Plans</b>

**Job Summary:** Perform semi-skilled duties including operation, maintenance, and minor repairs of light and heavy equipment.

## JOB DESCRIPTIONS

1. Operate dozers, payloaders, landfill compactors and other light and heavy equipment to push, cover and pack refuse, tires, asbestos and other solid waste deposited in the County Landfill, within the specifications required by federal and state law.
2. Operate heavy equipment to excavate materials for daily / weekly waste cover.
3. Perform routine maintenance and minor repairs on equipment and machinery as required; maintain records of equipment use and repair; may assist mechanic in major repairs; service equipment including fueling, oil changes, repairing tires, changing cutting edges, checking hydraulics, etc...
4. Perform miscellaneous duties including picking up trash and solid waste from roads, driveways, ditches, container sites, fences etc... Locations for trash pickup include but not limited to the landfill and container sites.
5. Operate light and heavy equipment to construct and maintain roads and tipping areas in and around the landfill site.
6. Perform snow / ice control and removal procedures including plowing, sanding, loading trucks, hauling snow, shoveling areas next to structures, walkways and assisting mechanics in the maintenance of snow removal equipment.
7. Perform other such duties and functions as may be necessary or incidental to the proper performance of this position.

## **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

Graduation from high school or GED certification with a minimum of two years' experience in construction work involving the use of light and heavy equipment, or any such combination of experience, education or training as may be acceptable to the hiring authority. Must possess or be able to obtain prior to hire a valid South Dakota commercial driver's license Class A.

## **PRE-EMPLOYMENT SCREENINGS**

Pre-employment screenings may include, but are not limited to the following: drug screen, references, physical exam, driver history, background check.

## **KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES:**

Knowledge of the principles and techniques of operating most types of light and heavy equipment.

Ability to operate, maintain and make minor repairs and adjustments to most types of light and heavy equipment.

Knowledge of the standard practices, methods, tools, and materials used in landfill maintenance and construction including some knowledge of drainage and maintaining proper grades.

Knowledge of the rules of safe operation and the precautions to be taken in order to avoid accidents in the use of light or heavy equipment.

Ability to understand and effectively carry out oral and written instructions.

Ability to perform heavy manual labor and to withstand exposure to variable weather conditions when required.

Cross training in all areas of landfill operation required.

**BROWN COUNTY IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER**

**CLOSING DATE: JANUARY 22, 2010**

**APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE @ THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS:**

1. [www.browncountylandfill.com](http://www.browncountylandfill.com)
2. Brown County Auditors Office
3. Brown County Landfill

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