



Position: Heavy Equipment Operator

Schedule: M-F 8-4:30PM (40 hours per week, may include evenings and weekends as needed)

Reports to: Tribal Administrator

Qualifications:

- Ability to operate heavy equipment, such as bulldozers, forklifts, backhoes, dump trucks, cargo trucks, and/or hydraulic truck cranes, among other tools.
- Knowledge of safety protocols and the procedures used to control heavy equipment
- Must have current and valid driver's license and CDL
- Must pass background check and drug screen
- May be required to work hours other than scheduled work days or hours for special projects.

Job Responsibilities:

- Drive and control large equipment and vehicles, usually for construction and/or excavation.
- Tracking scheduled maintenance of equipment and notifying their Supervisor if maintenance is past due
- Coordination to use all the controls on pieces of equipment
- Possessing enough strength to operate the controls on heavy equipment
- Ability to remain stationary in the seat or operating area of the equipment for prolonged periods
- Problem-solving skills to diagnose issues with equipment
- Strong oral communication skills to interact with other workers on the jobsite
- Basic writing skills to accurately complete reports and other paperwork
- Maintenance including paving, sealing, and patching all hard surfaces roads and around roadways.
- Maintenance of snow removal, sanding, and salting of roadways and bridges.
- Maintain and replace road signs as directed.
- Cleaning and repair of metal and cement box culverts, ditches
- Mowing roadsides
- Operate heavy equipment as directed by the Road Maintenance Supervisor.
- Special projects to include;
- Excavation and construction projects.
 - Dirtwork projects ie: levy, terrace work

Benefits & how to apply:

- Health, dental, vision, short term disability, life Insurance, and employee assistance program provided
- 401 K with up to 3% match, paid holidays, biweekly pay schedule
- **To apply: Visit <https://iowatribeofkansasandnebraska.com/jobs/> for applications. Completed applications and resumes can be mailed to 3345 B Thrasher Rd White Cloud KS 66094 or e-mailed to rpankau@iowas.org. Native American Preference is given (BIA Form 4432). For more information regarding this position, please call 785- 595-3258.**