



Excavator Operator

Job Title: Excavation Operator
FLSA Status: Non-Exempt
Reports To: Superintendent, General Foreman
Updated: 2019

General Job Description:

Excavator/ forklift operator working on Heavy Civil construction projects.

Job Functions:

The following duties are typical for this classification. These are not to be construed as exclusive or all-inclusive. Other duties may be required and assigned.

- *Safe operation of Excavator/backhoe /forklift*
- *Knowledge of the Excavator/backhoe loading requirements*
- *Effectively communicate to all site personnel.*
- *Daily Logs*
- *General maintenance of equipment*
- *Identify hazards – report and correct hazards.*
- *Follow hand signals and be able to dig around utilities once encountered.*

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities Required to Perform Essential Functions:

Technical Knowledge:

This person must have the ability to communicate professionally, effectively with all employees on construction site.

Physical Requirements:

This position requires a person to sit or stand for long periods of time; handle and manipulate objects on a repetitive basis. Labor intensive work.

Environmental Adaptability:

Work outside in a construction environment with occasion to be inside.

Qualifications and Requirements:

- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Excellent organizational skills
- Punctual
- Ability to work independently and self motivated
- Able to multi-task
- Positive attitude
- Team player
- Goal oriented- able to make decisions based on what is best for the employees and company

Training and Experience:

High School diploma or GED with 5 years verifiable Excavation experience

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