

## Transport Driver

Southern Idaho Solid Waste is an equal opportunity / affirmative action employer (M/F/V/D) and a drug-free workplace.

<b>Department:</b> Waste Haul	<b>Location:</b> Milner Butte Landfill
<b>Pay Grade:</b> 6	<b>FLSA Status:</b> Non-Exempt

### **GENERAL PURPOSE**

Responsible for providing safe and efficient waste haul and transportation needs for the solid waste district.

### **SUPERVISION RECEIVED**

General supervision received in accordance with the Southern Idaho Solid Waste Organizational Chart.

### **SUPERVISION EXERCISED**

This position does not have any supervisory responsibility.

### **ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS**

- Ensure the assigned vehicle complies with the SISW's safety standards prior to operating the vehicle.
- Ensure that all SISW, state, and federal regulations are always adhered to while operating the vehicle.
- Completes pre-shift and post-trip inspections and reports discrepancies to ensure that any vehicle defects are repaired in a timely manner.
- Provides prompt waste removal services for all SISW transfer stations, roll-off sites, and contracted customers.
- Report any safety issues to the transportation supervisor.
- Safely operate a heavy commercial semi-truck along the designated route as assigned by the dispatcher from each transfer site to the landfill.
- Back a semi-tractor-trailer configuration onto a trailer tipper and operate the trailer tipper to unload waste from trailers.
- Keep assigned vehicles clean and nuisance-free.
- Operate manual and/or automatic controls to haul waste, equipment, and other materials.
- Operate/maneuver a hook arm assembly/pup trailer and trailer tipper.
- Courteously interact with all customers, co-workers, dispatchers, and others daily to ensure all routes are serviced in a timely manner.
- Continuously monitor the condition of the vehicle to ensure it is operationally ready to minimize downtime.
- Complete required route/productivity sheets and other reports, as required.
- Maintain adherence to required productivity standards for the department to ensure all transfer stations are serviced in a timely and efficient manner.

### **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS**

#### **1. Education and Experience:**

- Class A Commercial Drivers License
- Meets all qualifications as defined under Department of Transportation regulations.

#### **2. Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:**

Skilled in:

- The safe operation and care of heavy commercial semi-trucks and trailers.
- Time management to ensure assigned responsibilities are completed efficiently.
- Backing a semi-tractor-trailer configuration effectively.

Ability to:

- Follow instructions and communicate effectively.
- Comply with applicable district and departmental policies/safety standards, including wearing required personal protective equipment.
- Perform manual tasks periodically throughout the day.
- Establish and maintain effective working relationships with fellow employees, the public, and supervisors.
- Perform duties independently in the absence of a supervisor.

**3. Work Environment:**

- Daily exposure to hazards commonly associated with solid waste operations.
- Tasks require various physical activities, generally nominal muscular strain, such as lifting, walking, standing, stooping, and reaching, and may be required to lift and/or pull up to 50 pounds.
- Communication, hearing, and seeing are essential in the performance of daily tasks.
- Mental application utilizes memory for details, verbal instructions, emotional stability, and discriminating thinking.
- Daily exposure to weather extremes and environmental conditions typical of solid waste operations.
- Possible exposure to biohazards and chemicals due to unknown materials brought in loads.