



NOTICE OF VACANCY

Heavy Equipment Mechanic

Grade IX – Wage Range 10.74-18.60

Division	Department	Location	Reports To
Maintenance Shop	Road and Bridge	Dale County Commission	Shop Foreman

Job Summary

Performs skilled mechanical work in the maintenance and repair of all types of heavy construction and automotive equipment.

Duties and Responsibilities

Repairs smaller equipment such as power hand tools.

Performs disassembly, inspecting cleaning, diagnosing and repairing engines, transmissions, brakes, gear boxes, pumps, starters, alternators, hydraulic systems, cooling systems, suspension systems and related equipment.

Inspects and participates in a preventative maintenance program (oil changes, lubrication, etc.) to insure the safe and efficient operation of the equipment.

Performs electric and gas welding as required.

Other duties as required.

Work Experience

Five (5) years paid experience working as a heavy equipment mechanic repairing bulldozers, motor graders, loaders, backhoes, tractors and similar equipment. Must have considerable knowledge in the principles of operation of heavy equipment. Must have considerable knowledge in the principles and practices applied in the safe use of mechanic tools and shop equipment. Must have considerable knowledge of the principles of hydraulics.

Preferences

Must be skilled in diagnosing and repairing all types of heavy equipment. Must have the ability to safely use all types of mechanic tools and shop equipment. Must be able to read and write well enough to fill out forms and keep required records of repairs made. Must have the ability to understand and carry out oral or written instructions. Must be able to get along with co-workers and supervisors. Must have the ability to work from a technical manual. Must be willing to make emergency road service repairs outside the shop.

Licenses

Must be able to obtain an Alabama Commercial Driver's License (Class A) within 6 months and have a good driving record. Must be insurable.

Statements included in this description are intended to reflect general duties and responsibilities. A detailed job description is available at the Commission Office. Applications may be obtained and returned to the Dale County Commission Office, 202 Highway 123 South, Suite C., Ozark, AL 36360 or Online at www.dalecountyal.org.

Dale County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

As a condition of employment the Dale County Commission will require a satisfactory drug screen.

Deadline for accepting applications is August 22, 2017.