### **Open Position**

# Woodford County Solid Waste & Recycling

### Air Curtain Burner Box Operator

The Woodford County Fiscal Court is currently accepting applications for the position of Air Curtain Burner Box Operator at the Solid Waste & Recycling Center. This position is responsible for operating track loader, skid steer, excavator and other equipment in the operation of the air curtain burner box (incinerator/firebox).

The successful applicant must have a high school diploma/GED and a minimum of two years experience operating heavy equipment.

A more detailed job description and application can be obtained online at https://woodfordcounty.ky.gov or Woodford County Human Resources Manager, 103 South Main Street, Room 203, Versailles, KY 40383.

Email applications can be submitted to ttipton@woodfordcountyky.gov Applications will be accepted through Monday, July 29, 2024 at 4:00 p.m.

Woodford County is an Equal Opportunity Employer

## Job Description: Air Curtain Burner Box Operator

Department: Solid Waste/Recycle

### **Position Summary:**

Perform skilled work in the operation of heavy, complicated automotive, diesel construction equipment and air curtain burner box. Under the supervision of the Operations Supervisor and Department Head, this position also supports the department in performing other duties as assigned.

#### Essential Duties and Responsibilities include the following:

- 1. Operates track loader, skid steer, excavator and other equipment needed in operation of air curtain burner box.
- 2. Must demonstrate ability to sort, stage and transport wood material in the operation of loading air curtain burner box safely and efficiently.
- 3. Interact with the public while performing these duties.
- 4. Follow written and verbal instruction regarding completion of assigned work.
- 5. Perform work in a safe, efficient manner ensuring all fellow employees work safely and efficiently throughout the day.
- 6. Report any unsafe work situations to the Operations Supervisor and/or Department Head immediately.
- 7. Traffic management and general housekeeping in solid waste area.

### **Qualifications:**

To perform this job successfully, an individual must be able to perform each essential duty satisfactorily. The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skill, and/or ability required. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

### **Education/Experience:**

Thorough knowledge of equipment usage or equivalent experience and training which provides the required knowledge, skills and abilities to perform the job. Any traffic violation that results in more than 5 points affecting license will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis to determine eligibility for this position. Minimum of 2 years experience operating heavy equipment.

### Special Knowledge, Skills and Abilities: Thorough knowledge of the following:

- 1. Ability to understand and carry out verbal and written instructions.
- 2. Work independently to complete duties.
- 3. Thorough knowledge of the operation of a variety of heavy construction equipment and air curtain burner box.
- 4. Occupational hazards and standard safety precautions in the workplace.
- 5. General vehicle maintenance skills

### **Work Environment:**

The work environment characteristics described here are representative of those an employee encounters while performing the essentials functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

This position requires that the incumbent be available to work predominantly day shift including weekends. While performing the duties of this job, the employee is frequently exposed to work near moving mechanical parts and toxic or caustic chemicals. The employee also is exposed to work in outdoor weathers conditions and potentially noisy machinery on a regular basis.

#### **Physical Demands:**

The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

While performing the duties of this job, the employee is regularly required to talk, hear and smell. The employee is constantly required to stand and walk. The employee is regularly required to use hands to finger, handle, or feel; climb or balance and stoop, kneel, crouch, or crawl. The employee must regularly lift and/or move up to 75 pounds.