



NIAGARA COUNTY JOB POSTING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

DATE POSTED: 1/8/25 DEADLINE: 12/31/2025

POSITION TITLE/ #: Heavy Equipment Operator – Continuous Recruitment

POSITION CLASS: Non-competitive

PAY RATE: \$24.18 - \$26.67 WEEKLY HOURS: 40

DEPARTMENT/DIVISION: DPW - Highway

WORK LOCATION: 255 S. Niagara Street, Lockport, NY 14094

STATUS FOR PUBLIC CANDIDATES: Permanent

DESCRIPTION: For a complete job description and minimum requirements please visit:

[https://niagaracounty.com/Employment/Job Specs for Civil Service Positions.php](https://niagaracounty.com/Employment/Job_Specs_for_Civil_Service_Positions.php)

Operates heavy duty construction and maintenance equipment, such as bulldozers, excavator, truck crane, power roller, front-end loader, power grader, black-top paver and hydraulic lift; drives trucks; performs manual labor and other duties as required. Operates under direct supervision of foreman, supervisor or superintendent who assigns and oversees work. May supervise the work of laborers or other subordinate personnel. Does related work as required.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Graduation from high school or possession of an equivalency diploma and one (1) year of experience in the operation of heavy construction equipment.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT:

1. Possession of a CDL-A at time of appointment and for the duration of employment. Possession of an alternate applicable license is acceptable when application is accompanied by an administrative letter stating that the candidate will not operate a motor vehicle contrary to the Vehicle and Traffic Law of New York State;
2. For North Tonawanda Public Works and the Town of Niagara, only a CDL – B license is required. The experience may be in the operation of heavy automotive equipment that requires a CDL to operate;
3. For Niagara County Public Works, a CDL-A permit or license is required at time of appointment. If the employee only has a permit, a CDL-A license must be obtained within six (6) months of appointment.

Apply electronically at: <https://niagara-portal.mycivilservice.com/> or submit paper applications to: Niagara County Human Resources, 111 Main Street – Suite G2, Lockport, NY 14094

Niagara County policy prohibits discrimination in employment, program activities, contracting, and procurement against any person due to such person's age, marital status, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, race, color, creed, sexual orientation, veterans status, national origin, or any other characteristic protected by federal or state law.

Niagara County is an Equal Opportunity Employer

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