

## **LIGHT MOTOR EQUIPMENT OPERATOR**

**DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS:** The work of this class involves responsibility for the safe and efficient operation and care of moderately complex motor equipment in the performance of a variety of assigned tasks. An employee in this class is also required to perform recurring manual duties related to the operation of the equipment, and to perform other maintenance tasks as assigned. The work is usually performed under close supervision. Does related work as required.

**TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:** (Illustrative Only)

Operates light motorized equipment in connection with the hauling of material for road construction and repair;

Operates a truck to transport work crew, tools and other equipment;

Operates a light truck snow plow or related snow removal equipment;

Performs minor mechanical repairs on automotive equipment;

On assignment, or trainee basis, operates a heavy truck snow plow, bulldozer, grader, power shovel or other heavy automotive equipment;

Services assigned vehicle and maintains it in clean condition;

Loads and unloads trucks;

Performs a variety of simple manual tasks, such as cleaning culverts, shoveling snow, painting, and road or sewer maintenance work.

**FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:** Good knowledge of the operation of trucks, tractors and other types of automotive equipment; ability to understand and carry out simple oral and written instructions; mechanical aptitude; industry and dependability.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** One (1) year of automotive equipment operation experience.

**NOTE:** Verifiable part-time experience will be pro-rated toward meeting full-time experience requirements.

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENT FOR OTHER THAN MVCC:** Eligibility for New York State Commercial Driver's license (CDL) at time of application. Possession of a valid Commercial Driver's License (CDL) at time of appointment and for duration of appointment.

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENT FOR MOHAWK VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE ONLY:** Possession of a valid appropriate level New York State Driver's License at time of appointment and for duration of appointment.