

Job Description

Job Title LGV Driver

Level Grade 2, Level 5

Service Neighbourhood Services (Waste Management)

Job Purpose

To undertake duties connected with the removal of domestic, commercial and industrial refuse from all types of locations by working as part of a team to carry out waste collection.

To undertake driving duties involving LGV refuse collection vehicles, recycling, street cleaning and other waste management vehicles. To be responsible for the crew and the vehicle on a daily basis.



Post Responsibilities:

- Work with limited supervision to Foreperson/ Team Leader's instructions to deliver quality standards required under Environmental Protection Act.
- To drive and be responsible for allocated vehicles.
- Ability to work as team member or a lone worker as required and to accept responsibility for the direction of the work of trainees and/or other employees assigned to them when required.
- To undertake daily vehicle checks and routine maintenance and cleaning.
- To transport goods, equipment and personnel.
- Ability to operate hydraulic lifting equipment on a variety of waste collection vehicles.
- Completion of associated paperwork including daily check sheets, vehicle defecting, daily log sheets, route sheets and any other related paperwork.
- Day to day supervision of refuse loaders.
- Continually monitor and evaluate team practices to ensure quality service provision and service improvement.
- To contribute to a positive and inclusive working environment within which regular performance review takes place and undertake further training as appropriate.
- Defect reporting, inspection and removal of illegally deposited waste including the removal of sharps.
- Ensure safe working practices in line with Health & Safety policy, Risk Assessments and Safe Systems of Work.
- To be aware of and adhere to the council's Code of Conduct at all times.
- Responsible for ensuring information and advice is communicated in a clear, concise and accurate manner through written and verbal communication.
- Ability to meet targets in accordance with set timescales.
- To carry out such other duties consistent with the post as may be required by the Foreperson, Team Leader, Service Co-ordinator and Service Lead - Neighbourhood Services including loading, litter picking, special uplifts, and fly tipping clearance. The post also may require commencing work from another depot and undertaking duties with other departments within Neighbourhood Services if and when required or instructed.



Possession of:

- LGV Driving licence with Category C entitlement.
- Valid Driver Certificate of Professional Competence (CPC) card.
- Valid Digital Tachograph Card (Digicard).
- Knowledge of Health and Safety working practices in relation to Waste Management Operations.

Substantiated ability to:

- Drive and operate a range of waste management and road sweeping vehicles.
- Complete work schedules and other relevant paperwork pertaining to the post.
- Work with limited supervision to Foreperson's/Team Leader's instructions to deliver quality standards required under EPA.
- To work as either a team member or lone worker, as required.
- To adapt within a flexible working environment.
- Check vehicle roadworthiness through carrying out of daily vehicle checks.
- Meet the standards required under the Values and Behaviours of South Ayrshire Council.

Demonstrable experience of:

- Driving a range of vehicles.
- Supervision of employees on a daily basis.
- Communicating effectively with colleagues and members of the public.
- Efficient and effective working alone and as part of a team.
- Clear written communications through completion of all work-related paperwork.
- Working in all weather conditions.

