

# SR. EQUIPMENT OPERATOR (EXCAVATOR)

Public Works | Forced Drainage



## SUMMARY

Operate and maintain excavators and equipment to maintain the parishwide drainage system. Responsible for ditch sloping, construction and sloping of levees, driving pilings, and clearing bayous.

### JOB OVERVIEW

#### Starting Pay

\$17.68 - \$22.67 per hour

#### Schedule

Tuesday - Friday

*Must be willing to work extra hours as needed.*

#### Shift

7 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

### LOCATION

Public Works - North Campus

### REPORTS TO

Operations Supervisor

### PHYSICAL DEMANDS

Lift up to 50 lbs. (medium)

### WORK ENVIRONMENT

Outdoors in varying climates and conditions

### EMERGENCY EVENTS

Required to work during emergency events.

## ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

1. Perform tasks related to excavating, sloping ditches, constructing and sloping levees, driving pilings, clearing bayous, and ensuring proper depth.
2. Ensure proper maintenance of equipment, such as oil levels, air filters, lubricants, etc.
3. Supervise work and train assistant in operation of equipment.
4. Load and unload excavator onto Lowboy.
5. Use a torch and do some mechanic work to correct minor breakdowns on job site.
6. Assist mechanic in major equipment repair.
7. Report breakdowns and emergencies to the operations supervisor.
8. Analyze work site to ensure equipment can operate properly.
9. Perform other duties as assigned by supervisor.

## GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

1. Knowledge of principles of supervision.
2. Read and write sufficiently to fill out reports.
3. Be able to work a tablet or iPad.
4. Learn and practice applicable safety rules and regulations.

## EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE, AND LICENSES

1. High school diploma or GED certificate highly desired.
2. Three years of experience in operating excavators.
3. Possess and maintain a valid Louisiana driver's license.



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