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County Executive

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

HEAVY MOTOR EQUIPMENT OPERATOR GRADE 08

ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS Environmental Facilities and Services Division

The Orange County Department of Public Works, Environmental Facilities and Services Division is now accepting applications to fill the position of Heavy Motor Equipment Operator.

This position will be assigned to the Orange County Transfer Stations. The work involves responsibility for the safe and efficient operation of various types of heavy motor equipment and for a variety of unskilled labor tasks. Work involves snow removal and hauling of various material. This class is distinguished from that of Motor Equipment Operator I and II in that there is greater responsibility for operating care and employees must have specific knowledge of the operation of the equipment. The work is performed under general supervision of the Assistant Transfer Station Supervisor. Supervision may be exercised over the activities of others. Does related work as required.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Either:

- (A) Graduation from high school or possession of a high school equivalency diploma and two (2) years of experience that shall have included the operation of heavy motor equipment; OR
- (B) Three (3) years of work experience as defined in (A) above.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT:

Must possess and maintain a valid Commercial Driver's License with a "B" classification (CDL-B).

STARTING SALARY:

New employees \$26.1259 per hour;
\$54,341.87 annually (40-hour work week)
Orange County employees as per contract

FINAL CANDIDATES MUST SUBMIT TO A FINGERPRINT CHECK AND CRIMINAL HISTORY AND BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION.

SEND APPLICATION AND THREE (3) REFERENCES, BY APRIL 27, 2026, TO:

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE
ORANGE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
P.O. BOX 509
GOSHEN, NEW YORK 10924

Or email: mheiferman@orangecountygov.com

**IMPORTANT NOTICE: THIS POSITION IS SUBJECT TO U.S. DEPT
OF TRANSPORTATION DRUG/ALCOHOL TESTING RULES**

Employment applications can be downloaded from Orange County's website. Please visit www.orangecountygov.com and follow the link to the Department of Human Resources page. Or download directly here: [Application for Employment Application](#)

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