

# AUTOMOTIVE EQUIPMENT OPERATOR 1

Job Code	Pay Grade
02200	CL6

## Nature of Work

This is semi-skilled work operating light to medium sized automotive or maintenance equipment. Employees in this class are responsible for operating dump trucks, tractors, regular size trucks or similar automotive equipment, frequently with a trailer and a variety of equipments. Employees are responsible for the routine maintenance of vehicles and, when not driving, do light to heavy physical labor.

## Minimum Qualification Requirements

- 6 months experience on job related equipment(s) as listed on the published equipment list (attached) at indicated level as it appears; or
- A Public Works Academy training certificate for equipment operators; or
- A Pinellas County employee equipment certification that includes experience or training on job related equipment(s); or
- An equivalent combination of education, training, and/or experience.

## Appointing Authority May Also Require

- Florida Driver's License or Florida Commercial Driver's License and endorsement, if any.
- Assignment to work a variety of work schedules including compulsory work periods in special, emergency, and/or disaster situations.
- Other highly desirable knowledge, skills, abilities, and credentials relevant to a position.

## Illustrative Tasks (These are examples and are not all inclusive.)

- Operates tractors equipped with sickle bars or ones that pull mowing machinery or surf rakes.
- Operates trucks (less than 10 wheels) with gross capacity of less than ten tons including dumps trucks, flatbeds and tank wagons.
- Performs daily safety inspections, maintenance, and servicing of the truck or tractor.
- May deliver or pickup automotive and heavy equipment parts and supplies to a given job site.
- May operate small gasoline-powered machinery such as cement mixers, lawn tractors, pumping equipment, air compressors or hammers and saws.
- May operate a wide variety of other equipment/tools, i.e., chain saws, weed eaters, pole saws, etc.
- Assists the labor work crew during construction or repair work; sets flags and barricades as required.
- Performs related work as assigned or required.

## Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities

- Knowledge of the operation, maintenance and use of dump and flatbed trucks, tractors and related public works equipment.
- Knowledge of the occupational hazards involved and the safety precautions related to equipment operation.
- Skill in the operation of flatbed and dump trucks, tractors, mowing attachments and related construction equipment.
- Ability to make emergency repairs to motor driven equipment.
- Ability to work under adverse weather conditions and possession of sufficient physical strength and agility to operate light equipment and perform manual labor.

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## Equipment List Attachment

**These Equipment Lists Provide Examples Only.** Employees may be qualified, trained and/or tasked to perform functions at a higher level (see notes below)

### **Automotive Equipment Operator 1, (AEO 1)**

Requires CDL Class B License: (Required for any single motor vehicle that has an actual weight, declared weight or GVWR or 26,001 LBS., or more, or any such vehicle towing a vehicle of 10,000 LBS., or less).

#### **Typical equipment operated includes:**

- Dump truck (small, e.g., Five (5) yard)
- Tractors (light to medium size)
- Truck (straight)
- bobcat, etc. similar to others listed

### **Automotive Equipment Operator 2, (AEO 2)**

Requires CDL Class B License: (Required for any single motor vehicle that has an actual weight, declared weight or GVWR or 26,001 LBS., or more, or any such vehicle towing a vehicle of 10,000 LBS., or less).

#### **Typical equipment operated includes some items listed under AEO 1 plus:**

- Dump trucks/with 10,000 lb. Trailer (A)
- Twelve (12) yard dump truck (B)
- Front end loader (small)
- Riding trenchers
- Tank truck
- Small backhoe, etc. similar to others listed

### **Automotive Equipment Operator 3, (AEO 3)**

Requires CDL Class A License: (Required for any Tractor/Trailer combination that has an actual weight, declared weight or GVWR of 26,001 LBS., or more, provided towed vehicle is more than 10,000 LBS.).

#### **Typical equipment operated includes some items listed under AEO 1 and AEO 2 plus:**

- Bulldozers
- Concrete distributor truck (cement mixer)
- Front end loader (large)
- Mobile cranes, (small to medium)
- Power grader
- Skid steer small bucket earth mover
- Slope mower with flail
- Street sweeper (B)
- Tree spade
- Vactor trucks
- Vibrator-roller compactor heavy duty

### **Senior Equipment Operator**

Requires CDL Class A License: (Required for any Tractor/Trailer combination that has an actual weight, declared weight or GVWR of 26,001 LBS., or more, provided towed vehicle is more than 10,000 LBS.).

#### **Typical equipment operated includes some items listed under AEO 1, 2 and 3 plus:**

- Automotive cranes/lifts, multi-story
- Bucket truck (large)
- Hydraulic excavator (B)
- Tank trailer
- Trac-hoe and rubber-tire backhoes with hydraulic jackhammer
- Tractor trailer (large over length or wide trailer)
- Low-boy trailer (B)
- Aqua-harvester, drag-line, large bucket truck, etc., similar to others listed

## Equipment List Attachment (continued)

### Note(s):

Position classifications require a Commercial Driver's License as shown above.

1. CLASS E: Motor vehicles less than 8,000 LBS. These job classifications require all incumbents to maintain a standard driver's license to travel to various work locations; however, operation of non-automotive equipment/tools may not require an employee to maintain a CLASS E driver's license.
2. (En) ENDORSEMENTS: Few, if any, individual positions require special endorsements. Other special requirement(s) may be applied to a position when job related.
3. ATTACHMENT(S): A list of equipment and tools commonly associated with operator activities is attached since incumbents may be required to possess related training, education and experience.
4. Equipment Operator Requirements Vary By Position. Automotive/Equipment/Tools And Job Requirements Not Shown Do Apply.

### Examples of Truck / Sedan Equipment That May Be Common To These Classifications

- Tractor Trailer A
- Dump Truck 12 Yard
- Dump Truck 5 Yard
- Truck, Straight 2-13 Ton
- Truck, Straight 1 Ton
- Sedan
- Pick-Up 2 T

### Examples of Other Vehicles, Equipment and Tools That May Be Common To These Classifications

- Aqua Harvester
- Backhoe
- Boats
- Bucket Truck Med
- Bush Hog Mower
- Chain Saw
- Chipper
- Bulldozer
- Dragline
- Excavator
- Flail Mower
- Forklift
- Grader
- Hydro Crane
- Imp Track Transport
- Hydra Jackhammer
- Scissor Lift
- Loader
- Post Hole Auger
- Beach Rake
- Road Side Mower
- Roller
- Roto Tiller
- Skid Steer
- Slope Mower
- Stump Cutter
- Sweeper
- Truck Crane B-Cdl
- Trencher
- Utility Tractor
- Bobcat
- Gradall
- Platform Lift
- Low Boy-Load/Unload
- Tree Spade