

## Rear Load Route Driver

American Waste/Northern A-1 Services is a leading provider of disposal, recycling, and environmental services in Northern Michigan. We have immediate openings for Rear Load Route Drivers in our Traverse City and Cadillac, Michigan location.

**Job Responsibilities:** Driver is responsible for safely operating a front, side, or rear loading truck, and providing prompt, courteous and complete waste removal services for customers who reside on a designated route. Ensures vehicle is in compliance with company safety standards, and state and federal regulations.

### **Key Elements of Role:**

- Performs complete pre/post operation inspection of the vehicle in accordance with Company policy to ensure tire pressure, fluid levels, safety equipment, gauges, and controls are in proper working order. Report any safety issues on standard reports
- Safely operate truck along designated route and disposal site; read route sheet, follow map and service each customer as identified on route sheet or as assigned by dispatcher and or supervisor.
- Operate manual and or automatic controls in accordance with Company safety policies and procedures to lift and load refuse, operate compactor and dispose of collected material.
- Courteously interact with all customers and provide service in a timely manner.
- Identify unsatisfactory waste containers and report accordingly.
- Continuously monitor waste for evidence of unacceptable waste.
- Clean area around accidental waste spill.
- Continuously monitor condition of vehicle to ensure it is operationally ready at all times; clean waste from blade and truck body on each disposal trip.
- Complete required route sheets and other reports as required.
- Follow all required safety policies and procedures.
- Other job related duties as assigned.

### **Key Skills:**

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- Class B or higher Commercial Driver's license with air brake endorsements
- High school diploma or GED.
- Minimum of 1 year previous driving experience.
- Good customer services skills; courteous, professional and works with a sense of honesty and trustworthiness.
- Strong time management skills with the ability to follow through.
- Ability to read, write, speak, and understand English.
- Valid Driver's License with a good driving record.

### **Physical Demand/Environment:**

- Ability to sit, stand, walk, twist, bend, kneel, see, talk, hear, lift up to 50 lbs. Exposed to traffic, outside elements, moving mechanical parts, vibration, non-hazardous materials, and variance of sound levels.