



Diesel Mechanic

The Position

Schenectady County's Highway Department is looking for a Diesel Mechanic. This is skilled work involving responsibility for efficient performance for a variety of heavy vehicle and equipment repair and maintenance tasks.

Typical Work Activities include:

- Performs skilled operations in making general repairs on gasoline, alternative fuel, and diesel motor equipment such as trucks, passenger cars, tractors, motorcycles, power shovels, graders and bulldozers;
- Removes, disassembles, repairs and assembles components of automotive transmissions, both standard and automatic;
- Operates machine shop equipment, including lathes, grinders, drill presses, and other metal working machines to make and repair parts for automotive equipment;
- Makes repair estimates and prepares requisitions for materials and parts for both mechanical and body repairs;
- Keeps repair and maintenance records;
- Inspects motor vehicles and heavy trucks under the New York State Motor Vehicle Inspection Law

Minimum Requirements

Graduation from high school or possession of a high school equivalency diploma and five years of experience as a skilled automotive mechanic which shall have involved electronic ignition systems, computer analyzing, use of personal computer software in automotive applications, and diesel engine work; OR Completion of a two year automotive repair course and three years of experience as outlined above.

Candidates must also possess a valid class D license at time of appointment, and be able to obtain a Class B Commercial Driver's License with hazmat endorsement and possess a valid NYS Motor Vehicle Inspector's License for automobiles and heavy trucks within 6 months of employment.

How to Apply

Apply online at mycivilservice.schenectadycounty.com.

For more information about Schenectady County is available on our website at:
www.SchenectadyCounty.com.

Schenectady County is committed to diversity, inclusion, and equal opportunity. It is our policy to provide equal employment opportunities to all people regardless of protected class status, including race, creed, color, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, military or veteran status, disability, predisposing genetic characteristics, marital or family status, or any other impermissible basis

Schenectady County offers exceptional benefits

Health Benefits

- Medical, Dental & Vision
- Prescription Drug
- Flexible Spending Accounts

Retirement and Savings Plans

- NYS Pension System
- 457(b) Deferred Compensation
- 529 College Saving Plan

Additional Benefits

- Paid Holidays
- Vacation, Personal, Bereavement, and Sick Leave
- Paid Family Leave for Bonding with Child
- Tuition Assistance, including Free Tuition at SUNY Schenectady
- Employee Assistance Program

About Schenectady County

What makes Schenectady County different from other communities? We believe it's the people, working together to create a place that people want to live, do business, and visit to enjoy all that we have to offer. Schenectady County continues to think differently, looking for new and innovative ways to deliver the important programs and services that make Schenectady County unique.

Strong County leadership has helped foster cooperation among the various levels of government to reduce waste and eliminate duplication. Through intergovernmental cooperation, the County and our communities have saved hundreds of thousands of dollars and leveraged our combined resources and talents to secure additional federal and state funds to expand upon this highly successful endeavor.

Schenectady County is a community with a rich past and bright future. So many in our community have worked hard to make all of our success possible and have made Schenectady County a great place to work, live, and raise a family.

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