Job Opening: Heavy Equipment Operator

Location: Brookings, SD

Company: Bowes Construction, Inc.

Employment Type: Full-Time | Seasonal 9 Months

Pay: Competitive wages \$21-\$30 D.O.E and Equipment Type

Benefits: Health insurance, retirement plan, paid time off, training & development, advancement

opportunities

About Us:

Bowes Construction has been building the foundation of South Dakota's infrastructure since 1975. With a strong reputation for quality, safety, and integrity, we pride ourselves on being a locally-owned leader in the construction industry. Join our team and help shape the roads and communities where we live, work, and play.

Position Summary:

We are looking for a skilled and safety-focused **Heavy Equipment Operator** to join our team. In this role, you will operate a variety of equipment such as dozers, excavators, loaders, motor graders, scrapers, and skid steers to assist in grading, excavating, paving, and other construction projects.

Responsibilities:

- Safely operate heavy equipment in a variety of work environments (earthwork, road construction, site development, etc.)
- Perform routine equipment maintenance checks and basic troubleshooting
- Follow project plans, site layouts, and survey markers to execute tasks accurately
- Communicate effectively with foremen, truck drivers, and other crew members
- Maintain a clean and organized work area and uphold safety regulations at all times
- Assist with labor tasks when not operating equipment

Qualifications:

- Prior experience operating heavy equipment in construction or related field
- Valid driver's license (CDL preferred, but not required)
- Ability to read site plans and grade stakes is a plus
- Must be dependable, safety-oriented, and willing to work as part of a team
- Capable of working in various weather conditions and lifting 50+ lbs
- Willing to work extended hours and some weekends during peak season

Why Work at Bowes Construction?

- Locally owned and operated with a strong, team-first- growth oriented culture
- Opportunities to learn, grow, and advance within the company
- Work on meaningful projects that improve your community
- Be part of a team that values hard work, honesty, and craftsmanship
- Top of the Line latest model equipment and technology

Ready to Join the Crew?

Apply online at https://bowesconstruction.com/employment/ Or stop by our office: 2915 22nd Avenue S, Brookings, SD 57006

Call us at (605) 693-3557 with any questions!