

# TOWN OF SOMERS

## Employment Opportunity

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**Position Summary:** Operates Recycling Center in compliance with state, federal, and environmental regulations.

### **Position Hours:**

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| • Monday's | 7:30 – 3:30 | 7 ½  | hours (1/2 hour lunch break) |
| • Thursday | 7:30 - 3:30 | 7 ½  | hours (1/2 hour lunch break) |
| • Saturday | 8:30 – 5:00 | 8    | hours (1/2 hour lunch break) |
| • Sunday   | 8:30 – 1:00 | 4 ½  | hours                        |
|            |             | 27 ½ | hours per week               |

**Salary Range:** \$14.00 to \$15.00 per hour

### **Major Job Duties:**

**Service:** Works with the Recycling Center Maintainer to affect the transfer of solid wastes to third party waste handlers; completes minor repairs and maintenance on equipment and facilities; trains back-up personnel in solid waste facility operations; greets and directs public to disposal areas; operates scale; collects fees in association with use of center.

**Technical:** Utilizes knowledge of state and federal environmental laws to prevent disposal of dangerous or illegal materials; uses power and hand tools in general maintenance work; performs minor repairs and preventative maintenance on facilities; follows standard safety procedures and regulations.

**Administrative:** Reports tasks accomplished verbally or on written work order; maintain records of recycled materials, and user activity; completes forms and logs as requested by Maintainer and/or Supervisor; completes service request for repairs and service on vehicles and equipment.

### **Qualifications:**

- High School diploma;
- Two years maintenance experience and experience in the safe operation of equipment;
- Proven ability to apply common sense understanding to carry out detailed written or oral instructions;
- Familiarity with the use, operation and maintenance of manual and powered hand tools;
- Satisfactory pre-employment drug test;
- Certification by Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection as Operator of Solid Waste Facility, or ability to attain certification within 6 months of hire date;

**Physical Requirements:** This position is one of physical labor involving the operation of equipment. The employee will be required to pass a pre-employment drug test and will be subject to random drug and alcohol testing throughout his/her employment. The employee must be able to:

- Stand, walk, lift, reach, bend and squat in the performance of job duties;
- Sit for periods in excess of one hour;
- Safely operate a variety of powered and manual hand tools and equipment;
- Regularly lift and/or carry objects or materials weighing 25-50 pounds;
- Tolerate frequent exposure to extreme weather conditions including heat, cold, rain and snow for periods in excess of one hour.