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The Humboldt Transit Authority is currently hiring bus drivers. Our drivers operate all types of buses that are assigned to the Humboldt Transit Authority fleet. Motivated individuals seeking to apply must be in possession of a valid Class C driver's license, and must present with their application, a current DMV printout of the driving record.

Certified on-site training is provided.

Drivers are responsible for the safe operation of all equipment in compliance with federal, state, county and municipal regulations.

All drivers begin employment with part-time status and the option to work into a full-time position. Full-time drivers receive increases in compensation and a desirable benefits package.

Starting wage: \$14.22 per hour

Please visit our website at www.hta.org to download an employment application.

TRANSIT COACH OPERATOR ~ Humboldt Transit Authority

Job Description:

Under the direction of the Manager of Operations, drives both large and small buses and other passenger vehicles.

Requirements:

Upon application must present a current DMV print-out of his/her driving record. Also, must have in possession a valid Class C driver's license. Preferred is a Class B license with passenger endorsement and a current medical certificate. Must provide a current telephone number at which he/she can be contacted.

If the applicant has been a resident of California for less than three years, a copy of his/her driving record from the previous state of residence must also be submitted with application.

Ability to communicate, work effectively and maintain good relations with the public.

Job Responsibilities:

- a. Operates all types of buses assigned to the HTA fleet.
- b. Drives according to prescribed schedule on a run assignment either by seniority bidding or by assignment by the General Manager or designee.
- c. Is responsible for the safe operation of all equipment in compliance with federal, state, county and municipal regulations.
- d. Collects fares, sells tickets, issues transfers and dispenses accurate schedule information.
- e. Ability and knowledge to complete all necessary reports.
- f. Performs safety check as required by law on all vehicles assigned.

Other:

Some assignments require a driver to sit at the wheel of the bus for up to 2 ½ hrs. The drivers do have the option/opportunity to get out of the bus and stretch once or twice during this time. Routinely, at the end of the line they will have from 15-45 minute breaks. The more average assignment will require sitting at the wheel for 1-1 ½ hours, with the same opportunity for rest and stretching. No lifting of any significance is required by our bus drivers.

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