



OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 17 TRAINING FUND

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HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING OPPORTUNITY

APPLICATIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR A TWO (2) WEEK RECRUITMENT PERIOD

Monday, October 16, 2023, through Friday, October 27, 2023

(10 consecutive business days)

9:00 am – 2:00 pm each day and Thursday, October 26th, Noon till 7:00 pm

- AGE** Applicant must be at least 18 years of age.
- EDUCATION** Must have a High School Diploma or GED (General Educational Diploma) or TASC (Test Assessing Secondary Completion) or Equivalent. Transcripts are required upon selection.
- DRIVER'S LICENSE REQUIREMENTS** To receive an application you must have a valid **NYS CDL – A or B Driver's License with Air Brakes**. You must have taken your Road Test on a Truck with a Standard Shift Transmission and Air Brakes. Reliable means of transportation is necessary.
- PHYSICAL & DRUG/ALCOHOL TEST** Must be able to pass a DOT Physical to be medically cleared to operate Heavy Equipment and drive Trucks and Cranes. You must be able to pass pre-employment and random Drug/Alcohol tests in accordance with DOT standards. Marijuana is not acceptable.
- RESIDENCE** Must be a resident of either Erie, Wyoming, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Orleans, Niagara, or the western part of Genesee County, (Excluding the city of Batavia).
- CITIZENSHIP** Must be a citizen of the U.S.A. or legally entitled to work here.
- TRAINING PERIOD** Program is 4 years with a minimum of 5000 hours, Including Training and OJT.
- PAY** While on the Job you will be paid by the Contractor. If eligible, you may collect Unemployment or Veteran's benefits while at the Training Site.
- APPLICATIONS** For the Class starting in **April 2024**:
May be obtained **IN PERSON** at the **TRAINING CENTER ONLY**.
Must be returned within 10 business days.

JAMES A. SMOLINSKI JR., ADMINISTRATIVE MANAGER