

Central District Halifax County

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TRAINING/TESTING Skid Steer

Under Article 14 of the Collective Agreement between the Nova Scotia Department of Public Works and the Canadian Union of Public Employees, Local 1867, the following testing opportunity is being posted:

LOCATION: Halifax Suburban – Bedford Zone 22

WORK GROUP/POSITION: Highway Worker / Equipment Operator

TRAINING OPPORTUNITY:

Skid Steer

NUMBER TO BE TRAINED:

Max of 3

POSTING DATE: June 19, 2025

CLOSING DATE:

July 3, 2025 at 4:30pm

Qualifications:

- Applicants must pass the Department of Public Works operator examination administered by an EQII as defined in Article 14.03 to be deemed qualified to operate or eligible for training for Skid Steer Operation.
- Knowledge of the pre-trip inspection program and equipment servicing procedures is required.
- Knowledge of the Department's Health, Safety and Environment Program is required.
- Applicants will also be required to achieve Fitness for Work standards which meet Class I medical requirements.

The successful applicant(s) will work under the Operations Supervisor, carry out Skid Steer Operations on provincial highways and adhere to established Safe Work Practices and Job Procedures.

To Apply:

Please submit an "Expression of Interest" form to Dominic.hudlin@novascotia.ca no later than 4:30pm on the closing date.

Bargaining Unit Members, who have completed a probationary period, are currently working in the applicable maintenance zone and meet the posted qualifications will be considered first in the selection process for training opportunities by date of seniority.

In accordance with Article 14.03 at the end of the training and or testing process, employees who are deemed qualified are expected to operate the equipment when required.

Signature:

Date:

Craig DeWolfe,

Operational Supervisor - Bedford

CC:

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