



SMART TRAILER OPERATOR

Jurisdiction Class: Competitive
Civil Division: County
Adopted by PO: 07/14/2022

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS:

Under direct supervision, an incumbent of this class is responsible for the placement and deployment of the Yates County Sheriff's Office Speed Monitoring Awareness Radar Trailer (SMART). May perform a variety of maintenance and repair functions on associated equipment. While supervision is not a responsibility of this position, an incumbent may provide leadership and guidance to other personnel. Does related work as required.

TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES: (Illustrative Only)

Operator tows and safely deploys the SMART for speed or public safety

Messaging;

Positions the SMART so it is visibly displayed to improve community relations, computer analysis of traffic statistics, and increases the motorist speed awareness with MUTCD (Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices) Traffic signage and LED display powered by battery or solar to reduce traffic problems, incidents and complaints especially in speed zone such as schools or places where vehicle crash rates are high;

Demobilizes thereafter and tows the SMART to secure storage;

Determines safety message text, and performs maintenance and calibration on this traffic safety equipment and associated MUTCD speed signs;

Operates traffic counting and basic speed analysis software;

Reviews data, keeping records, and producing written or electronic reports for law enforcement supervisors;

May perform other incidental tasks as related, or as needed, or assigned;

Performs other duties as assigned.

FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:

Good knowledge of the local geography and state, county and local roadways;

Ability to read, write, speak English and to read roadmaps;

Ability to follow simple oral and written directions;

Ability to use basic computer applications and software specific to the position;

Good powers of observation;

Sound judgment, Tact;

Physical condition commensurate with hitch on and hitch off a 425 lbs. trailer as well as other demands of the position.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- a) Graduation from high school or possession of a high school equivalency diploma; AND
- b) Two (2) years of experience in light-duty towing (minimum Class I Hitch Towing)

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT FOR APPOINTMENT:

Possession of an appropriate New York State Operator's license at the time of appointment and maintenance of such license throughout the tenure of employment in the position.