

Landscape Construction Foreman / Truck Driver

Company Overview:

Western DuPage Landscaping is an established landscaping company that has been serving the Chicagoland area and the western suburbs for nearly 50 years. We pride ourselves on our passionate staff whose focus is on quality. We are seeking candidates who fit our core values and can grow with our team, building on our extensive history of creating landscapes that are built to last.

Job Title: Landscape Construction Foreman / Truck Driver

Location: Chicagoland and Western Suburbs – Naperville, IL 60563

Employment Type: Seasonal – Full Time (April thru November), with potential winter

work for Snow Management

Pay Rate Range: \$20–\$25 per hour

Job Summary: This hybrid role combines the leadership and hands-on responsibilities of a Landscape Construction Foreman with the operational duties of a Truck Driver. The ideal candidate will have experience in landscape maintenance and construction, as well as operating dump trucks, trailers, and other large equipment. This position requires physical labor in various outdoor conditions and a strong commitment to safety, organization, and teamwork.

Principal Duties:

Landscape Foreman Responsibilities:

- Maintain equipment and supplies assigned to the crew.
- Fuel and check vital fluids on equipment and vehicles daily.
- Operate all equipment safely and report any site issues.
- Perform mowing, line trimming, and property clean-up.
- Conduct bed maintenance, power edging, and shrub trimming.
- Prune deciduous shrubs and trees under 12' (no climbing).
- Patrol and clean up site debris.
- Water and plant flowers, perennials, and small plants.
- Execute spring and fall clean-ups.
- Installation of Hardscapes (pavers, retaining walls, patios, walkways, outdoor kitchens, etc.).
- Document daily progress, material usage, and crew hours.

Truck Driver Responsibilities:

- Operate dump trucks, trailers, and other large equipment.
- Transport landscape materials and equipment to job sites.
- Assist with on-site landscaping tasks such as grading and material placement.
- Support snow and ice removal operations (salts, spreaders, plows, shoveling).
- Follow safe hauling practices and site logistics.



Required Skills and Qualifications:

- Valid CDL A license with air brake endorsement.
- Proven experience in landscaping and truck operation.
- Strong focus on safety and maintaining a safe work environment.
- Knowledge of horticulture, hardscape materials, and recycling programs.
- Experience with heavy equipment and large trucks.
- Excellent organizational and problem-solving skills.
- Ability to work independently and lead a team.
- Bilingual abilities are a plus.
- Strong knowledge of grading, drainage, and base preparation.
- Proven ability to read and interpret landscape plans, blueprints, and layouts.
- Must enjoy working outdoors in various weather conditions.
- Reliable transportation to/from work (commute expenses not provided).

Physical Requirements:

- Ability to sit or stand for prolonged periods.
- Ability to stoop, squat, kneel, bend, twist, and lift heavy objects.
- Must be able to work in inclement weather.

Benefits:

- Health Insurance
- Paid Leave and Wellness Allowance (PLAWA)

How to Apply:

Please send your resume and a cover letter to <u>resumes@wdlinc.com</u> or in Person: Western DuPage Landscaping 31W478 Diehl Rd., Naperville, IL 60563