About the Position

The Move-Out-Madness Mover works in collaboration with the greater Move-Out-Madness and Zero Waste Western programs to help WWU students dispose of large furniture responsibly. Hours are flexible around class and work schedules. To complete a pick up, Movers will drive to the specified location, load furniture and if in good condition take it to Goodwill, if in poor condition take it to the WWU dumpster location.

The primary requirement for this job position is that staff own a pick-up truck in good working condition, have a valid driver’s license and be physically able to lift a couch with a partner. Gas expenses will be reimbursed.

About the Office

The Office of Sustainability is Western's hub for campus sustainability. The "OS" is dedicated to helping WWU achieve its strategic goal of campus sustainability by integrating sustainability into operations, academics, research, and outreach through its programs and initiatives.

Position Classification and Salary

Laborer 3  
Salary: $11 per hour  
Fuel expense re-imbursement

Position Funding

The Office of Sustainability is hiring four positions. Applicants that own a pick-up truck will be prioritized but non-truck owners may apply too.

Reporting

This position reports to the Campus Sustainability Manager.

Terms of Position:

- Two-hour paid job training during May 2017, flexible around academic and work schedules.  
- Position runs from training date until the end of June 2017. Must be able to commit to entire period to be considered. Pick-Up appointments will only be scheduled during June.  
- May work an average of 10-15 hours per week, depending on program need and is not to exceed 19 hours.  
- Staff will submit an outline of their preexisting schedule and pick-ups will be scheduled around that between the hours of 8:00am-5:00pm.

Employment Requirements

- Must be an enrolled Western student at time of hire  
- Maintain a minimum of a 2.00 cumulative grade point average.

Required Qualifications:

- Must own a pick-up truck in good working condition  
- Must possess a driver’s license recognized as valid under Washington State law  
- Will be required to complete the Basic Driver Safety Program of Western  
- Must be able to safely lift 150 pounds with a partner
Preferred Qualifications:

Experience with:

- Moving Furniture
  - Capable of lifting heavy, large items in a safe manner
- Customer Service
  - Be able to effectively communicate with a customer to determine their needs
- Time management skills
- Communication skills
  - Professional presentation at meetings and interviews
- Problem Solving
  - Able to make responsible decisions to resolve challenges on the spot
- Enthusiasm for advancing sustainability efforts
  - Waste sorting and reduction education

Primary Duties:

- Collect furniture with a partner using your vehicle during scheduled appointments
  
  - If furniture is in *good* condition take it to Goodwill
  
  - If furniture is in *poor* condition drop it off in the designated WWU dumpster

Secondary Duties

- Contact Zero Waste Coordinator when dumpster is full or to report issues
- Propose ideas for program development to Zero Waste Coordinator

Position Benefits

- Active work that gives you a unique opportunity to directly help peers and the greater Bellingham community
- Flexible around class or other work schedules

Submitting an Application & Deadline

Please: Complete by May 5th @ 5pm

- Send cover letter and resume to ZeroWaste@wwu.edu

More Information:

For more information, please email sustain@wwu.edu or call (360) 650-2491.
Zero Waste Western Webpage: https://sustain.wwu.edu/zero-waste-western/
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