

Title: <b>Ferry Boat Pilot</b>	Effective Date: September 3, 2013	Grade: IX	Job Category: Skilled Craft
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*CHARACTERISTICS OF WORK*

Under the supervision of the Ferry Boat Supervisor, this position is responsible for the operation of the ferry tug to convey the ferry barge safely across a body of water.

*EXAMPLES OF WORK*

The following examples are intended only as illustrations of various types of work performed. No attempt is made to be exhaustive. Related, similar, or other logical duties are performed as assigned. The Department may require employees to perform functions beyond those contained in job descriptions. The Department may modify job descriptions based on Department needs. The Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department is an "at will" employer.

- Operate six-ton, 100 horsepower tow ferry tug and 40-ton ferry barge.
- Operate two-way radio.
- Pick up litter and keep appearance of barge and grounds neat and orderly.
- Salt ferry barge and ramps in inclement weather.
- Lube gears and pulleys when needed.
- Operate tractors, loaders, mowers and weed trimmers.
- Supervise ferry operations in absence of the Ferry Boat Supervisor.
- Ensure that all safety devices on barge are in place and operational (fire extinguishers, life rings, cables, ropes, life jackets, etc.).
- Replace cables on barge and tug.
- Service and maintain tugs, barges and other equipment when needed.
- Perform other activities as needed.

*MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS*

Ability to read and write. Operator's license from the United States Coast Guard. A pre-employment drug/alcohol test will be conducted after a contingent offer of employment or transfer has been made, and prior to the candidate performing any work for the Department in that capacity. Internal applicants who are already in a safety-sensitive position will not be subject to pre-employment drug/alcohol testing; however, offers to internal applicants who are not in a safety-sensitive position will be contingent upon pre-employment drug/alcohol testing. Subject to additional drug/alcohol testing according to the provisions of the AHTD Drug and Alcohol Testing Program.

