

Trolley Maintenance & Restoration Lead Mechanic /Foreman

McKinney Avenue Transit Authority - 3153 Oak Grove Avenue, Dallas, TX. The McKinney Avenue Transit Authority is seeking an experienced and resourceful Lead Mechanic/Foreman to lead the maintenance and restoration of vintage streetcars (trolleys). Our streetcar fleet consists of 7 vehicles that operate 365 days a year. This is a unique and rewarding position for the right candidate interested in working on the maintenance and restoration of antique trolley vehicles built in the early to mid-1900's.

Position responsibilities include:

- Direct the daily activities of 4-6 shop mechanics and woodworkers.
- Assist with all inspections and maintenance of streetcars and ensure they are performed per procedures and with the highest level of quality and safety.
- Manage all maintenance activities to ensure trolleys are operational and available for continuous service.
- Direct and assist with troubleshooting and repairs of electric motors, axles, brakes, suspension, and controller equipment.
- Direct the maintenance, repairs, and refinishing of trolley interiors.
- Maintain accurate records and timely schedules of all work performed.

Other Requirements:

- Lead activities of shop personnel, evaluate performance and address issues.
- Provide expertise, training, and guidance to less experienced mechanics.
- Ability to work independently with minimal supervision.
- Good level of knowledge repairing motors, pneumatic, hydraulic equipment.
- Knowledge of fabricating wood and sheet metal parts.
- Good judgment and professionalism.
- Report to work on time and perform the duties of the position.
- Learn and follow company policies and regulations.
- Must pass background, drug & alcohol, and submit to random screening.

Preferred qualifications:

- 7 or more years of experience in train/rail/streetcar equipment maintenance or equivalent experience in bus/truck/automotive repairs.
- 3 or more years of experience managing others
- Mechanical and Woodworking expertise.
- Experience with a variety of metal and woodworking hand and power tools.

Pay: Discussed at Interview

Job Type: Full Time / Part Time

Shifts:

- Morning (Preferred)
- Evening (Preferred)
- Weekdays (Preferred)
- Weekends (Preferred)