

# DRIVING DIVERSITY

## WASTE AND RECYCLING TRUCK DRIVER TRAINING



Initiated by the Portland Haulers Association this training program prepares participants for middle-wage driver jobs with Portland Hauler Association member companies.

### The industry-designed training includes:

- 12-weeks of integrated hands-on and classroom training
- Preparation for Oregon's Commercial Driver License (CDL) Test
- Industry relevant topics:
  - Container Moving
  - Customer Service Skills
  - Fire Safety Training
  - Garbage Truck Cleaning
  - Hauler Specific Inspections
  - Route Sheet Reading
  - Using Hydraulic Hand Controls
- Site visits to transfer station, landfill sites and recycling centers.
- Interviews with local employers upon graduation.

### Entry-level driver positions in Portland's garbage and recycling industry offer:

- Career stability
- Opportunity for advancement into leadership positions
- Wage growth
- Wages ranging from \$18 - \$29/hour (depending on shift and union/non-union employer)

### To be eligible for this class participants:

- Be at least 21 years of age, or turn 21, by end of training
- Pass a drug screen prior to the start of training
- Be legally eligible to work in the United States
- Have had a Class C State Driver License for at least one year

Priority for acceptance to the training will be given to women and people of color.

The Waste and Recycling Truck Driver Training is a program of the Portland Haulers Association developed with Interstate Trucking Academy and WorkSource Portland Metro.



**Training Location:** 174th and SE Powell Blvd.

### Portland Hauler Association Members:

Arrow Sanitary Service  
City Sanitary Service  
Elmer's Sanitary Service  
Gruetter's Sanitary Service  
Heiberg Garbage & Recycling  
Portland Disposal & Recycling  
Republic Services  
Sunset Garbage Service  
Wacker Sanitary Service  
Walker Garbage Services  
Waste Management

Next Class Starts Soon  
**APPLY TODAY!**

**No-Cost to Participants**

### Interested? Want more information?

Fill out the short application at this link today  
<https://forms.gle/h3yxsUjAjGRkgARh7>.

You will be contacted by a WorkSource Portland Metro staff person.