

# LaPoint Railcar Cleaning & Storage - Texas, LLC



**JOB TITLE:** Railcar Cleaning Technician

**DEPARTMENT:** Rail

**REPORTS TO:** Railcar Cleaning Supervisor

**FLSA STATUS:** Hourly Non-Exempt

## **SUMMARY**

A Railcar Cleaning Technician is responsible for the day-to-day operation of cleaning and maintenance projects on customer railcars. Work is performed on various types of railcars and includes inspections, cleaning, product removal and gasket replacement as needed.

## **ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

Duties and responsibilities include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Performs railcar cleaning and maintenance in accordance with established procedures.
- Performs activities, such as site and equipment maintenance and equipment operation.
- Conducts pre-inspections and post-inspections of assigned equipment.
- Safely operates all railcar cleaning equipment, including blending, loading, and metering equipment.
- Unloads railcars and other rail containers including liquid and dry products, as required.
- Performs unscheduled maintenance on facility equipment as directed; including pumps, tanks, meters, plumbing, and other facility related items.
- Communicates proactively to Railcar Cleaning Supervisors regarding facility needs, problems, or potential enhancement opportunities.
- Completes railcar cleaning paperwork in a timely and accurate manner.
- Follows quality control initiatives identified by corporate objectives.
- Performs other duties as assigned.

## **SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES**

This position does not have any supervisory responsibilities, but the individual is expected to be a good team player, assisting other team members as needed.

## **QUALIFICATIONS**

The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skill and/or ability required.

- Willing to submit to pre-employment background review and pre-employment drug testing.
- Must pass physical examination.
- Must be able to follow strict safety guidelines and wear full personal protective equipment (PPE), including but not limited to respirator, face mask, safety harness, ear protection, kneepads, hard hat, safety glasses, coveralls, boots, gloves.
- Able to read and comprehend simple instructions, documents, such as safety rules, operating and maintenance instructions and procedure manuals.
- Able to compose and write simple and routine reports as well as other such correspondence.
- Able to effectively present information in one-on-one and small group settings to fellow employees.
- Able to operate facility site computer systems.

## **EDUCATION AND/OR EXPERIENCE**

- High School Diploma or equivalent.
- Prior railcar cleaning industry experience ideal, but not required.

## **WORK ENVIRONMENT**

This job operates outdoors in all-weather conditions (hot, cold, rain, sleet, and snow). May be subject to fumes, odors, dusts, gasses, chemicals, other airborne particle, moving mechanical parts and vibrations. The noise level of the work environment can be loud. Outdoor railway environment includes uneven surfaces and irregular terrain.

Facility operates 24 hours daily. Shifts may include weeknights, weekends, and holidays and will be subject to required overtime.

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### **PHYSICAL DEMANDS**

While performing the duties of this job, the employee is regularly required to hear, see, and to communicate verbally to exchange information. Specific vision abilities required by this position include close vision, distance vision, color vision, peripheral vision, depth perception, and ability to adjust focus.

This position is very active and standing, walking, bending, kneeling, stooping, crouching, crawling, pushing, carrying, reaching, and climbing all day. The employee must frequently lift and/or move over 50 pounds. Ability to work overtime and evenings when scheduled, work in hazardous conditions, and negotiate a variety of different and irregular terrain as is typical along a railway right of way.

This position requires the ability to wear personal protective equipment and safety harness/fall protection at all times.

To perform this job successfully, an individual must be able to perform each essential duty satisfactorily. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

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### **TO APPLY:**

This position offers a competitive salary and benefit package. Applications can be submitted to:

Human Resources  
LaPoint Railcar Cleaning & Storage – Texas, LLC  
2424 Foreman Road  
Orange, TX 77630

**FAX:** 409-240-0701

**EMAIL:** [info@lapointrail.com](mailto:info@lapointrail.com)

**No Phone Calls or Drop Ins**

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<b>Date Opened: 04/19/2018</b>	<b>Closing Date: 05/15/2018</b>
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