

# Heavy Diesel Mobile Maintenance Mechanic

## Overview of Property

The Greens Creek Mine, located on Admiralty Island, 18 miles south of Juneau, is an underground polymetallic mine employing approximately 410 people. The mine is owned and operated by Hecla Mining Company, headquartered in Coeur D'Alene, Idaho. Established in 1891, Hecla has a rich history as a distinguished and respected precious metals producer. Winner of numerous safety and environmental awards, Greens Creek is seeking new team members committed to professional growth and success.

## Health & Welfare Benefits

Greens Creek is pleased to offer competitive compensation and a comprehensive and flexible benefit plan to provide Health and Welfare, and income protection coverage for employees and their eligible dependents. Employees can customize their benefit plans to the level of coverage desired as well as to the needs of their dependents. In addition to the flexible coverage options, the company makes a significant contribution towards the cost of the benefits.

## Community

Juneau, Alaska's capital is the third largest city in the state. Like Alaska, Juneau is full of contrasts, a sophisticated cosmopolitan city in the heart of the Tongass National Forest. Nestled at the base of mountains overlooking the Gastineau Channel, Juneau is surrounded by intercoastal waterways, lush rain forests, rugged mountainsides and awe-inspiring glaciers. This small city has it all, the adventure of the "last frontier" as well as good education system, year round cultural and sports activities, a wide variety of entertainment, world class fishing and wildlife viewing, temperate weather and a strong sense of community. Juneau is also rich in mining history and Greens Creek is proud to contribute to that heritage by operating in a safe and environmentally responsible manner.

## Position Summary:

Troubleshoot, repair and maintain mobile equipment used in an underground mining environment. Equipment includes, drills, bolters, haul trucks, graders, dozers, tractors, light vehicles, etc.

## Essential Functions and Responsibilities of the Position:

- Performs equipment lubrication, field repair, and preventative maintenance activities as required.
- Performs tire changes on all rubber tire equipment on site.
- Maintains a clean work area and is accountable for company and personal tools utilized to perform the work.
- Performs data input as required for inventory and cost control tracking.
- Completes required maintenance reports and logs.
- Tests all equipment repairs as applicable.
- Assists with various welding and fabrication tasks and has the ability to weld independently as directed by supervisor.
- Must be able to comply with state and MSHA regulations.
- Must be able to work and communicate with other members of the work team.
- Must be willing to comply with all company policies and procedures, especially with regard to safety.

Other duties may be assigned.

Employees must comply with attendance, safety, environmental and HR policies. Successful candidate must demonstrate the following behavioral skills: productive communication, cooperation, productivity, initiative, creativity, dependability.

While performing the duties of this job, employees may be frequently required to stand, walk or sit for extended periods of time; use hand and fingers to handle or feel; reach with hands and arms; climb or balance; stoop, kneel, crouch, or crawl; regularly required to talk and hear. The employee must regularly lift and/or move up to

50 pounds and occasionally lift and/or move up to 75 pounds. Specific vision requirements for this job include close vision, distance vision, and the ability to adjust focus.

Employees may be frequently exposed to underground work environments; outside weather conditions, wet and/or humid conditions; extreme cold, extreme heat, potentially hazardous wildlife; moving mechanical parts; high precarious places; fumes or airborne particles, toxic or caustic chemicals; risk of electrical shock; explosives and vibration. The noise level in most work environments is usually very loud. This position may require work on nights, weekends and rotating shifts; shift schedules may require residency in on-island camp during work rotations.

### **Education/ Experience**

High School/ Trade School or equivalent. Previous heavy equipment maintenance experience of four years or more is required. Previous mining experience is preferred. Operating and maintenance knowledge of heavy equipment, diesel mechanics, and hydraulic systems is preferred. Efficient welding and fabrication skills a plus.

### **Applications & Resumes**

Pay is based on experience and includes a competitive benefits program. Applicants must possess current authorization to work in the United States. Resumes are welcome but **must be attached to an official application form**. Application forms available at Juneau Job Center or at <http://www.hecla-mining.com/careers/>. Completed applications should be forwarded to:

**Juneau Job Center  
10002 Glacier Hwy #100  
Juneau, Alaska 99801  
Phone: 907.465.4562  
Fax: 907.465.2984**

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