

TEAMSTERS

DESCRIPTION

There are six Teamster Locals serving the construction industry in Oregon and Southwest Washington.

Teamsters are involved in all phases of construction in projects ranging from the building of roads, highways, bridges, tunnels and dams to commercial buildings. The primary duty of the Teamsters is to deliver construction materials needed by other building trades workers and to haul away debris. Teamsters also assist in the clean-up of hazardous waste sites.

RECENT CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

Teamster Locals are active members of their communities, donating many hours to charitable organizations such as: Kidney Association of Oregon, United Way, Labor's Community Service Agency, Clyde C. Crosby/Joseph M. Edgar Scholarship Fund, James R. Hoffa Memorial Scholarship Fund, Unions for Kids (Doernbecher's Children's Hospital), Habitat for Humanity and the National Letter Carriers' Food Drive.

APPRENTICESHIP & TRAINING PROGRAMS

The Teamsters apprenticeship program requires applicants to be at least 21 years of age, physically able to perform the requirements of the trade and in possession of, or able to obtain, a Commercial Drivers License (CDL). Training includes six weeks of classroom instruction covering basic job duties and responsibilities after which the apprentice will undertake 2,000 hours of on the job training.

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