

Traffic Safety Officer

We are currently recruiting Traffic Safety Officers to be based out of our Farnworth and Stockport Depots to support our growing operations team working in the Northwest area. This role will allow the successful candidate to up skill and develop through the company.

As an Traffic Safety Officer your role will include collaborating with the site supervisor and construction team to ensure the smooth and safe operation of traffic control measures.

Job Title:	Traffic Safety Officer
Location:	Site based role (sites across the North West) Depot: Hall Lane, Hall Lane Works, Farnworth, Bolton, BL4 7QF Depot: Alvanley Industrial Estate, Stockport Road East, Bredbury, Stockport SK6 2DJ
Contract Type:	Permanent (subject to successful completion of probationary period)
Working Hours:	39 hours per week Monday – Thursday: 07.00 – 16.00 (inclusive of unpaid breaks) Friday: 07.00 – 15.00 (inclusive of unpaid breaks)
Remuneration Package:	Negotiable (depending on qualifications and experience) Profit Related Bonus Workplace Pension Accident and Life Cover (after successful probationary period)
Holidays	29 days including bank holidays (pro rate for Part time) <i>Sufficient days will need to be saved for the Christmas Shutdown</i>

About Us

We are a specialist civil engineering and highways contractor serving local and transport authorities throughout the North West of England. Our aim is to deliver sustainable projects within the North West, enhancing infrastructure and accessibility of communities, whilst minimising environmental impact and reinvesting locally.

With over 75 years of experience working on North West highway projects, we have gained a distinguished reputation for delivering hugely successful schemes. Our multi award-winning collaborative and proactive methods guarantee the best level of service for our clients.

The business provides a wide range of civil engineering and highway construction services, utilising its highly skilled internal workforce and a network of subcontractors. Its area of expertise lies in executing intricate and challenging projects, including but not limited to drainage schemes, intersection enhancements, and public infrastructure development.

The majority of our income, approximately 80%, is generated from extended framework contracts with local Northwest authorities, which typically span from 4 to 10 years. In addition, the company also serves House Builders and Tier 1 Contractors, carrying out S278 and S38 works on their behalf.

We thrive by working with our clients from early inception of the project to provide cost effective solutions. Additionally, we assist clients in preparing funding bids and provide initiatives in community engagement and methods of delivery. Our Social and Environmental responsibility track record is exceptionally strong, surpassing our competitors on Quality Bids and Social Value Matrices. Our Clear Management controls and structure ensure efficiency, and as partners of Framework contracts, we have a sizable forward order book extending over four years.

Our projects are solely located within the North West of England, with most of our schemes within Greater Manchester or the neighbouring areas.

Key Responsibilities

- Loading and unloading Traffic Management vehicles with Signage and associated devices in a safe and organised manner.
- Accurately complete Daily Traffic Management George Cox Site Check Sheets, ensuring that all variations, modifications or adjustments to a traffic management scheme are fully recorded and authorised.
- Record signage and devices used per job via daily diary.
- Accurately measure distance using Traffic Management vehicle odometer, measuring wheel, or other means of measurement.
- Accurately layout a traffic management scheme in accordance with basic rules, from a generic traffic control diagram (TCD) or formal traffic management plan (TMP).
- Accurately complete Site Hazard Assessments and implement control measures to suit the site.
- Accurately and regularly complete site checks and monitor traffic behaviour and or flow to ensure safety is maintained at all times.
- Follow instructions from supervisor, managers, or MWRA inspectors, auditors or officials.
- Driving and towing, inclusive of extended reversing with an arrow board or VMB (Visual Message Board).
- Care and maintenance of Traffic Management Vehicle signage and traffic management devices.
- Filling and loading of sandbags.
- Cleaning of Traffic Management vehicles and signage at the end of shift.
- Perform all other duties to control traffic, pedestrians and cyclists to protect maintenance workers, work crews and members of the public.
- Constantly patrol the sites that have been allocated to you to ensure that traffic and pedestrian management is suitable and maintained throughout the working day.
- Inspect sites that have been allocated to you at the start and end of every working day.
- When you pass by other sites that have been allocated to you, your responsibility as a TSO working on behalf of George Cox Ltd extends to these sites.
- Collect and return to the compound or depot any signs, cones, heras fencing, barriers etc. that are surplus to requirements.
- Ensure barriers are bagged in straight lines, interlocked or tied together to prevent removal.
- Assist in educating the workforce that barriers and fencing must not be left open at any time.
- Constantly monitor the site and assist in clearing away anything that may constitute a trip hazard.
- Establish "CCTV In Operation" signs at each end of working areas wherever practicable.

Key Requirements

- NHSS 12D M1/M2 Working on Single Carriageways.
- NHSS 12D M3 Static Works Low Speed Dual Carriageway.
- NHS 12D M5 Multi Phase Traffic Signals.
- CSCS Card.
- Driving Licence.

Personal Qualities

- Highly motivated
- Punctual
- Team player

How to Apply

Applicants can apply by sending a CV with a covering letter to hr@gcox.co.uk