Now Hiring: Backhoe Operator

About DigDeep: DigDeep is a human rights organization working within the United States to ensure that all Americans have access to clean drinking water. We have been working on the Navajo Nation since 2014. To date, we have brought running water to over 260 homes. For more information, please visit navajowaterproject.org.

About the position: As Backhoe Operator for the Dilkon Project Area, you will help DigDeep and Dilkon Chapter install Home Water Systems (HWS) in homes in the Dilkon area. Each HWS includes a solar panel and pump which draws water from a buried cistern to provide water to a water heater and sink. Your job will involve digging pits for the cisterns and safely covering them with soil, managing pit safety, and digging trenches for the drain fields.

Requirements:

- Proficient in the safe operation of backhoes and excavators
- Be able to work 10hr days, 4 days a week outside
- Must have a valid driver's license
- Be able to work remotely
- Able to organize and catalog paperwork
- Able to manage pit safety including barriers, shoring and access ladders
- Proficient with breaker attachments
- Able to complete maintenance activities and minor repairs on excavation equipment.
- OSHA 1926 Construction 10hr training
- Navajo and English Language Proficient

Preferred skills:

- Knowledge of local soil and ground conditions.
- Able to operate smartphone and tablet
- OSHA 1926 Construction 10hr training
- Navajo and English Language Proficient

Compensation: $26/ hr.

Visit www.navajowaterproject.org for an application or call 928-419-3246 for more information.

Submit your completed Application of Employment, scan/email to burrell@digdeep.org or mail to DigDeep HC 63 Box 6045, Dilkon, AZ 86047.