FRONT END LOADER PLOW

Course Overview

The Front End Loader (FEL) is a versatile and effective winter snow/ice control machine when equipped with plow and wing. The course includes both a classroom/theory (approx.7 hours) and a hands-on/practical component for the student operator at a venue within the Municipality.

Classroom Topics

The following topics are thoroughly covered:

- Weather & road weather
- Pre-season preparation
- Anti-icing deicing techniques
- Due diligence
- Equipment operation & safety
- Attachment mounting & set-up
- Pre-trip inspection
- Level of service
- Plowing techniques
  - Unpaved shoulders & multi-lane highways
  - One-ways, alleys, ramps and dead-ends
  - Intersections & right turns
  - Cul-de-sacs & traffic circles
  - Forward plowing
  - Upgrades & steep downgrades
  - Overpass plowing & railroad crossing
  - Right side obstructions & stop sign
  - Turning around at an intersection

Practical/Hands-on Activities

- Pre-trip inspection
- Clearance training

Who Should Attend: Front end loader operators responsible for snow/ice control and snow removal operations.

Evaluation /Documentation: Written test, oral exam and/or practical assessment (on equipment). The employer will receive a certificate of completion and a summary of training for each participant who successfully completes the course.ed with a certificate of completion.

About the Facilitator: Developed and delivered to you by **Ground Force Training Inc.**