## GOODWILL INDUSTRIES – KNOXVILLE, INC. JOB DESCRIPTION

**Operations Manager-- JOB #E0560** 

**DEPARTMENT:** Commercial Services

**EMPLOYMENT STATUS:** Full Time/ Exempt/Professional

**REGULAR WORK SCHEDULE:** Typically 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Monday – Friday; however this position may

be required to cover the Material Recovery Facility, Attended Donation

Centers or stay late or open early the Production Facility.

**REPORTS TO:** Vice President of Commercial Services

PURPOSE/OBJECTIVE OF POSITION: Assists the Vice President of Commercial Services in continual

improvement, efficiency, and appearance of all Goodwill Retail and

Donation locations.

SUPERVISION RECEIVED: Moderate. Must be able to complete projects on their own without daily

guidance.

**SUPERVISION EXERCISED:** Responsible for the daily supervision of all staff assigned to the Middlebrook

Pike Production Facility and Attended Donation Centers.

MINIMUM EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS: Experience greater than three years, in Warehouse/Retail/Logistics

Management or a related field.

## **ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES FOR OPERATIONS MANAGER:**

A. Responsible for managing all Production staff at assigned locations with the Transportation Coordinator and Vice President of Commercial Services.

- 1. Work with staff to achieve departmental goals and objectives.
- 2. Ensure that Production staff members are held accountable for their jobs and goals.
- 3. Ensure production warehouse is keeping stores full with quality merchandise.
- 4. Perform all managerial functions including the review of, timecards, performance reviews, disciplinary actions, etc. as needed.
- 5. Review schedules to ensure that each ADC location is appropriately staffed, and trucks are being sent to each location weekly.
- 6. Coordinate training for all Production staff.
- 7. Ensure that all departmental staff, accurately complete all required paperwork and ensuring compliance with all GWIK and CARF requirements.
- 8. Learn, teach, and implement Kaizen principles and other lean process methods.
- B. Responsible for working as a team member of the Retail/Production Department.
  - 1. Review program operations, new policies, procedures and paperwork, organizational issues, and other program development issues as needed.
  - 2. Work with the Vice President of Commercial Services to create solutions, identify problems, and to implement solutions within the production facility.
  - 3. Advocate diligently in the community to advertise GWIK and to create a positive image for the GWIK.
  - 4. Lead by example at all times.
- C. Responsible for upholding and reinforcing the values of Goodwill Industries Knoxville, Inc. and our corresponding policies and procedures.
  - 1. Be knowledgeable of and follow all Goodwill Industries-Knoxville, Inc. (GWIK) policies and procedures.
  - 2. Responsible for maintaining a safe environment for all staff in the Production Departments.

## **ANNUAL PERFORMANCE STANDARDS:**

POINTS	RANGE	STANDARD

Ensure that the warehouses are set up for fast and easy production so merchandise is getting to stores to enable full and fresh stores. Ensure warehouse staff are hitting production goals daily. Ensure that ADC's are providing great customer service to donors and recyclers and are in pristine condition inside and out. Ensure communication with outside vendors is representing Goodwill in a positive manner.
Supervision of Staff Effectively manage and train staff, providing all staff with the knowledge to do their job well, holding each
accountable for their assigned job duties, fostering teamwork in the facility. Utilizing all developmental tools
available (i.e., Job Performance Evaluations, Progressive Disciplinary Action, etc.) consistently and constructively.
Housekeeping/Safety
Maintain a clean a safe environment for staff, participants and service workers, minimizing accidents by
ensuring a hazardous-free environment, maintaining a clean and pleasant working environment for everyone at the facility

**REQUIRED TECHNICAL SKILLS/ABILITIES:** Experience with Microsoft Office Suite. Prior experience

working with people with disabilities and/or other

disadvantages is preferred.

REQUIRED LICENSES, CERTIFICATES, REGISTRATIONS: Must have a valid driver's license and be insurable under

the Goodwill Liability Insurance Plan. First Aid/CPR

certification is preferred.

MINIMUM EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENT: 3 years related experience and/or training.

ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION: High level of access to confidential information.

**HANDLE ORGANIZATIONAL FUNDS:** Handles funds generated by production locations

occasionally.

LANGUAGE SKILLS REQUIRED: Level 4: Ability to read, analyze, and interpret general

business periodicals, professional journals, technical procedures, or government regulations. Ability to write reports, business correspondence, and procedure manuals. Ability to effectively present information and respond to questions from managers, clients, customers, and the

general public.

MATHEMATICAL SKILLS REQUIRED: Level 4: Ability to work with mathematical concepts such as

the probability and statistical inference. Ability to apply concepts such as fractions, percentages, ratios, and

proportions to practical solutions.

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**REASONING ABILITY REQUIRED:** Level 4: Ability to solve practical problems and deal with a

variety of concrete variables in situations where only limited standardization exists. Ability to interpret a variety of instructions furnished in written, oral, or schedule form.

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PHYSICAL DEMANDS:

	None	Under 1/3	1/3-2/3	Over 2/3
Standing			X_	
Walking			X_	
Sitting			$\overline{X}$	
Using hands to feel or handle			<u>_</u> _	
Reaching with hands and arms			<u></u> _	
Climbing or balancing		X	<del></del> _	
Stooping, kneeling, crouching, or crawling		<del></del> -	X	
Twisting, bending, and turning			X	
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Weight lifted or force exerted:	None	Under 1/3	1/3 – 2/3	Over 2/3
Up to 10 pounds 10 – 25 pounds 25 – 50 pounds 50 – 100 pounds Over 100 pounds		 	X X X	
SPECIAL VISION REQUIREMENTS:	None			
ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS:	None			

NOISE LEVEL IN WORK ENVIRONMENT: Moderate

OTHER SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

Must be able to pass a DMV check and a pre-employment security check (as applicable) and comply with the GWIK

Drug/Alcohol Free Workplace Policy.

**DISCLAIMER:**This job description is not designed to cover or contain a

comprehensive listing of activities, duties or responsibilities that are required of the staff member but rather to provide a solid foundation for all staff members to become familiar with their assigned position and department. Refusal to perform assigned duties will be considered insubordination

and is cause for immediate dismissal.

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