Wesley Burke

TRAILER TECHNICIAN

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SUMMARY

Trailer technician with 4 years repairing dry vans, reefers and flatbeds for Omaha carriers, completing about 20 trailer repairs a week. Skilled in brake systems, ABS systems, electrical troubleshooting and MIG welding on steel and aluminum. Works independently and passes FMCSA annual inspections on every trailer released.

EXPERIENCE

Trailer Technician
03/2023 - Present

Heartland Trailer Repair — Omaha, NE

Trailer repair and inspection shop serving 30 regional carriers and leasing companies.

- Repair **20** trailers a week, replacing brake systems, air chambers, slack adjusters and wheel seals.
- Diagnose ABS systems and lighting circuits with diagnostic equipment, clearing 95% of ABS faults in one visit.
- Rebuild 6 wrecked trailers to road-ready in 2025 by welding aluminum roofs, crossmembers and side posts.
- Perform FMCSA annual inspections and preventative maintenance on 70+ trailers a month.
- Install door hardware, logistics track and LED lights using hand tools and power tools.

Tire and Trailer Technician
07/2022 - 02/2023

Platte River Truck Center — Council Bluffs, IA

Truck and trailer service center along I-80.

- Mounted and balanced 40+ truck and trailer tires a week and checked hub oil and bearings.
- Replaced landing gear, mud flaps and air lines on roadside call-ins, averaging 90-minute turnaround.
- Inspected brake linings and pushrod stroke on every trailer, catching 25+ out-of-adjustment brakes a month.

SKILLS

Brake Systems | ABS Systems | Welding | Preventative Maintenance | Diagnostic Equipment | Electrical Troubleshooting | FMCSA Annual Inspections | Hand Tools | Power Tools | Work Independently

EDUCATION

Certificate
05/2022

Metropolitan Community College — Omaha, NE

Diesel Technology

CERTIFICATES

Qualified Brake Inspector
05/2022

Metropolitan Community College

ASE Certified, Medium-Heavy Truck Brakes (T4)
10/2023

National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence

AWS Certified Welder (GMAW, Aluminum)
04/2024

American Welding Society