

Service & Maintenance Operator

Water Distribution – IBEW Full Time Permanent Position

Location: Peterborough, ON

Rate: \$27.13 to \$38.75 (Apprenticeship rates apply)

This position will be transferred to the City of Peterborough on April 1, 2025.

The Service & Maintenance Operator performs a variety of skilled utility maintenance, repair and construction duties associated with a water distribution system, wastewater collection system and operation of a water supply system. The position requires incumbents to be multi skilled and certified on all systems that they maintain. The Service and Maintenance Operator is responsible for monitoring and operating wells and water storage facilities. The Service and Maintenance Operator will also be required to perform various sampling, maintenance, clerical and customer service as required. Work ranges from labour activities to skilled tasks requiring physical exertion to varying degrees of manipulative skills involving the use of a variety of hand and power tools and the routine operation of trucks, backhoes and related utility maintenance equipment.

Main Accountabilities

- 1. Operation, maintenance and construction of Class 2 water distribution and Class 1 wastewater collection facilities.
- 1. Overall Responsible Operator (ORO) for Class 2 Distribution System and Class 1 Wastewater Collection System while performing on call duties
- 2. Operator In Charge (OIC) for Class 2 Distribution System and Class 1 Wastewater Collection System.
- 3. Installation, replacement and maintenance of water meters.
- 4. Operation of a variety of specialized equipment related to water distribution, wastewater collection operation, maintenance and construction including installation, replacement and maintenance of water meters.
- 5. A variety of standby, overtime, and emergency call-out duties as required.
- 6. Perform various sampling, maintenance, customer contact, and clerical duties as required.
- 7. Responsible for knowledge of safely working around other utilities underground plant.
- 8. Installation of sewer services on Public property.
- 9. Extend water mains or complete repairs to existing system.
- 10. Ensure water mains, hydrant laterals and service lines are properly maintained.
- 11. Installing and relaying of water services.
- 12. Extend water mains or complete repairs to existing system.
- 13. Ensure water mains, laterals and service lines are properly maintained.
- 14. Ensure wastewater collection mains and service laterals are properly maintained including flushing, thawing or unblocking when necessary.
- 15. Maintain valves and meters for various utility systems.

- 16. Conduct valve, hydrant and flushing operations as required by company policy.
- 17. Perform periodic scheduled maintenance activities for the water and wastewater systems.
- 18. Perform inspections of system components, relay results of the inspections to supervisors and recommend future project requirements.
- 19. Responsible for the personal safety and the safety of others that is dependent upon their actions. Report hazards and unsafe acts or conditions encountered on the job to fellow workers and supervisors. Responsible for having a working knowledge of all applicable safety legislation pertaining to the job.

Technical Competencies:

- 1. Graduate of High School or equivalent.
- 2. Valid Class DZ driver's licence and good driving record.
- Successful completion of Class 3 Water Distribution & Supply and Class 1 Wastewater Collection licences through the Ministry of Environment. Water Meter Installer Certificate. Candidates with OIT will be considered, apprenticeship rates will apply.
- 4. Experience operating a Class 2 Water Distribution System, Class 2 Water Distribution & Supply System and a Class 1 Wastewater Collection System

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