Position Available

Water & Sewer Field Technician

Now accepting applications with resume for a full-time Water & Sewer Field Technician. Primary duties and responsibilities include maintaining and repairing water and sewer mains, sewer lift stations, operating and maintaining backhoe, dump truck, sewer jet/vactor, equipment such as pumps, air compressors, generators, and other heavy equipment; manual labor, reading meters and dealing with customer inquiries, on call for overtime as required. Employees exposed to moderately and sometimes extremely disagreeable working conditions during course of daily assignments, i.e., dust, dirt, fumes, and heat/cold due to outside weather conditions. Heavy physical exertion frequently required to move large and heavy objects and equipment. Employees are exposed to potential injury or contamination in the job due to the condition of various work sites, operation of various vehicles and maintenance equipment, and contact with chemicals or contaminated substances. May be required to work extended shifts in response to emergency situations.

High school graduate or GED equivalent. Valid Michigan Driver’s License in good standing required, must attain and maintain a CDL “A” with airbrakes and “N” endorsement within five (5) months of hire.

Approved applicant must have a complete physical and drug screening along with background check. This is a Union position. Start rate is $22.82 per hour (non-negotiable), full benefits, for 40 hours per week, including evenings and weekends as needed.

Click scroll down to read job description for full details and requirements.

Applications with resume are to be submitted to the Orion Township Supervisor’s Office, 2323 Joslyn Road, Lake Orion MI 48360. Position open until filled.

If you have any questions, contact (248) 391-0304, ext. 1004.

Chris Barnett
Supervisor
Charter Township of Orion

Job Description

Job Title: Water & Sewer Field Technician
Department: Public Services
Reports to: Water & Sewer Superintendent
Union Affiliation: DPW Unit
Position Level: N/A
FLSA Status: Non-Exempt

Job Summary

Under the general direction of the Water & Sewer Superintendent. Position requires working in all phases of operation maintenance and construction of water and sewer system. Requires operation of motorized equipment and vehicles including trucks. Employees are responsible for the safe and efficient operation and maintenance of all motorized equipment and vehicles. Work requires some below ground work in sewer lift stations and manholes.

Primary Duties & Responsibilities

1. Maintains and repairs water and sewer mains.
2. Maintains and repairs sewer lift stations.
3. Operates and maintains backhoe and dump truck.
4. Operates and maintains equipment such as pumps, air compressors, generators and other heavy equipment.
6. Operates and maintains sewer jet/vactor.
7. Reads meters and deals with customer inquiries.
8. On call for overtime as required.

Job Qualifications

1. High school graduate or GED equivalent.
2. Must have a valid Michigan drivers license.
3. Must attain and maintain a CDL “A” with airbrakes and “N” endorsement within 5 months of hire date.
4. Interpersonal skills necessary to effectively communicate with the general public.

## Working Conditions/Physical Demands

1. Employees are exposed to moderately and sometimes extremely, disagreeable working conditions during the course of daily work assignments, i.e. dust, dirt, fumes and heat and cold due to outside weather conditions.

2. The job frequently requires heavy physical exertion to lift and move large and heavy objects and equipment.

3. Employees are exposed to potential injury or contamination in the job due to the condition of various work sites, the operation of various vehicles and maintenance equipment and contact with chemicals or contaminated substances.

4. Employees may be required to work extended shifts in response to emergency situations.

*I have reviewed and understand the above job description and believe it to be accurate and complete and that I can successfully fulfill each duty or task. I also agree that Management retains the right to change this job description at any time.*

[Signature]

Employee Signature

_____ Date

Human Resources

_____ Date

This job description is intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by a person assigned to this job. They are not to be construed as an exhaustive list of all job duties that may be performed by a person so classified. This document is not intended to be a contract between the employee and the employer.

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