



Job Vacancy

Class Title:	Maintenance Worker – Water/Sewer
Salary:	\$15.00 - \$20.82 (hourly)

*Class specifications are intended to present a descriptive list of the range of duties performed by employees in the class. Specifications are **not** intended to reflect all duties performed within the job.*

JOB SUMMARY

Performs a variety of unskilled or semi-skilled maintenance work, and operates a variety of equipment on the construction, operation, repair, maintenance, and replacement of City Street and storm drainage facilities and systems.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

Assists in maintaining water quality by taking water samples as required.

Maintains a variety of records relating to inspections, and maintenance activity.

Determines the locations of water, sewer, gas, telephone, power, cable and/or fiber optic cables from the appropriate sources prior to excavation.

Responds to complaints regarding water leaks, pressure loss or no water.

Contacts residents and business owners in area where services will be interrupted and explains when services will be shut off and how soon it will be restored.

Insures proper maintenance of equipment and tools by cleaning and checking equipment and tools after use.

Performs routine inspections and preventive maintenance on assigned equipment and refers defects or needed repairs to supervisor; cleans equipment.

Performs all duties in conformance to appropriate OSHA standards.

Performs required labor involved in construction and maintenance projects as part of a crew, including pavement cutting, ditch digging, line cleaning, main and pipe repair, laying and backfilling. Rev.7-2018

Make water service connections to water mains, including line tapping and valve installing.

Make sewer service connections to sewer mains, including line tapping.

Cuts, fits, lays, repair, taps, cleans and flushes water mains, pipe, gates and fittings on repair of mains and services and installation of services and fire hydrants; shutting off broken sections of water mains. Services water supply and other pumps; flushes hydrants as needed.

Maintenance Worker – Water/Sewer

Operates a variety of power construction and maintenance equipment used in the department.

Drives trucks of various sizes and weights in the loading, hauling and unloading of various equipment, gravel and sand.

Operates light and medium-sized construction and power equipment, such as backhoe or loader.

Performs other related duties as assigned.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

High school diploma or GED equivalent, supplemented with two (2) years of experience relating to construction, maintenance or repair OR any equivalent combination of education, training and experiences which provides the requisite knowledge, skills and abilities for the job.

LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS

Must possess and maintain a valid Georgia driver's license and CDL certification, or ability to obtain one. Certification as a Water Distribution Specialist, or ability to obtain one within one (1) year of employment.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS

Regularly required to use hands to finger, handle, feel or operate objects, tools or controls and reach with hands and arms. Frequently required to stand and talk or hear. Occasionally required to walk, sit, climb, or balance, stoop, kneel, crouch, or crawl and smell.

Frequently lift and/or move up to twenty-five (25) pounds and occasionally in and/or move up to one hundred (100) pounds. Specific vision abilities required by this job include close vision, distance vision, color vision, peripheral vision, depth perception and the ability to adjust focus.

WORK ENVIRONMENT

While performing the duties of this job, the employee regularly works in outside weather conditions. The employee frequently works near moving mechanical parts and is frequently exposed to wet and/or humid conditions and vibration. The employee occasionally works in high, precarious places and is occasionally exposed to fumes or airborne particles, toxic or caustic chemicals and risk of electrical shock. The noise level in the work environment is usually moderate to loud.

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