TOWN OF TAYLORSVILLE

WASTEWATER MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN

Description

The Town of Taylorsville is looking for a well-qualified individual to join our Public Works Department, an employee in this role will perform duties mainly within the wastewater collection system and wastewater treatment plant. The employee in this role will also be a key member in other divisions within the Public Works.

JOB HIGHLIGHTS

- Knowledge, Skills and Abilities
 - Ability to inspect, clean, maintain, construct, and repair wastewater collection systems including sanitary sewers, storm drains, pump stations, pipes, manholes and catch basins.
 - Considerable knowledge of wastewater collection systems and their maintenance
 - Considerable knowledge of specialized equipment operations
 - o Ability to maintain operational logs for wastewater collection system
 - Ability to operate heavy and specialized equipment
 - Basic knowledge of technology and the ability to adapt to technology
 - Ability to detect flaws in the operation of mechanical equipment and determine remedial measures and operate tools and equipment used in the work assigned
 - Ability to read meters, charts, and technical manuals and drawings accurately and to maintain records of operations
 - Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with coworkers and customers
 - Ability to make minor or emergency repairs; performs preventative maintenance as well as corrective maintenance
 - Ability to operate a variety of power equipment (Ex: tractors, trucks, backhoes, chainsaws, zero-turn mowers)
 - Performs general plant maintenance duties
 - Perform maintenance on 28 pump stations
 - Ability to respond to calls during non-scheduled work hours
 - Follows all safety policies and procedures in performing duties
 - Performs related tasks as required or as assigned

Typical Tasks

- Participates in a comprehensive sewer line maintenance program; keeps sewer lines open and working properly; carries out preventative maintenance program
- Operates combination jet truck to preform task within collection system and treatment plant
- o Performs maintenance on equipment
- Inspect and perform maintenance on sewer ARVs, High Priority Lines, ROWs, manholes and cleanouts
- Operate sewer push camera to inspect service lines and main lines
- Make repairs to sewer lines
- Install sewer services
- Respond to sewer calls; unstops blockages using combo truck or other equipment depending on nature of blockage
- o Assist with treatment plant operations such as cleaning clarifiers, and other basins
- Mows and clears easements
- o Operates equipment during snow and inclement weather conditions
- Performs other job-related tasks as required (Ex: Parks, Street, Cemetery, Distribution System)

Physical Requirements

- Employee in this class must possess significant physical ability. Work requires the employee to have the ability to lift moderate to heavy items, dig with hand tools, crawl into tight spaces, and work on lines and other items which require skillful movement in the hands. The ability to see is necessary to read handwritten and typewritten materials and to view maps and testing equipment.
- An employee must have the ability to work unassisted, stand for long periods of time, perform manual labor, and work in inclement weather. The ability to work in challenging and sometimes dangerous environmental conditions is also required.

Minimum and Preferred Qualifications

- High School Diploma
- Relevant work in wastewater collections systems; maintenance and equipment operation

Special requirements

- Grade 2 Wastewater Collection Certification (or the ability to obtain within 12 months) is preferred
- Grade 2 Biological Wastewater Certification (of the ability to obtain with 12 months) is preferred
- Ability to obtain a valid Class "A" Commercial Drivers License (CDL), with an acceptable driving record

Salary & Benefits

- \$38,000 \$44,000 depending on certifications and experience
- Medical, Dental, Vision, and Life Insurance

- Vacation and Sick Leave
- o Employer Contribution to Retirement Plan

Applications are available on our website www.taylorsvillenc.com/employmentApp.htm or at Town Hall located at 67 Main Avenue Drive, Taylorsville, NC 28681. Applications can be submitted at Town Hall or mailed to the address below. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

Town of Taylorsville Attn: Job Applications 67 Main Avenue Drive Taylorsville, NC 28681