

Field Technician

Are you looking for a fascinating and unique job opportunity? Do you want to help make a difference in helping to serve our community?

Check out this great position in the Field department at Arapahoe County Water and Wastewater Authority.

Arapahoe County Water and Wastewater Authority (ACWWA, pronounced Aqua) provides the drinking water and wastewater services to the people living and working within its service area. The service area is comprised of about 3,500 residences and businesses located primarily in Arapahoe and northern Douglas Counties.

ACWWA offers excellent benefits that include a pension plan with 5% match, Health, Vision and Dental coverage, Life insurance, Vacation and Sick Leave.

To Apply – Send resume, cover letter and employment application with salary expectations to HR@acwwa.com ; with the subject line “Field Technician”. Employment applications can be found at <http://acwwa.com/career-opportunities>

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

1. Repairs water meters and performs meter reading of Authority’s water meters and performs CCTV of collection piping, manhole inspections, distribution valve exercising and fire hydrant repairs.
2. Performs maintenance on variety of equipment such as chlorine pumps, booster pumps, lift station pumps, check valves, diesel generators, and diesel pumps, valves, air vacs, and prv’s.
3. Collect water and wastewater samples for analysis in accordance with State standards and performs minor lab test such as PH and CL2, in accordance with State and ACWWA policy
4. Monitors and inspects ACWWA physical facilities; takes appropriate action in accordance with policy and procedures
5. Performs water treatment and lift stations rounds; well checks, lift stations checks, and routine flushing of the distribution system.
6. Performs minor vehicle maintenance.
7. Responds to customer service issues and follows up according to ACWWA policy. Responds to emergency calls as necessary, attend required regulatory meetings and observes safe work practices.
8. Conducts a variety of administrative tasks such as maintaining logs and recording observations, ordering supplies and general clerical duties.
9. Provides regular inputs on team problems solving on treatment systems and use predictable maintenance tools.
10. Understating of the PLC SCADA HMI control for the Field Operations equipment.

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

Knowledge of:

- Hazards and safety precautions applicable to the work
- Equipment, techniques, and procedures involved in the maintenance and repair of sewer systems and related facilities and equipment
- Related laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, policies, and procedures
- Operation and maintenance of wide variety of hand and power tools and equipment common to the field
- Hydraulic dynamics of water distribution system and wastewater collection system.
- Safe work methods and safety regulations pertaining to the work;
- Basic computerized record keeping applications
- Codes and regulations applicable to the work

Ability to:

- Be on-call on a rotational basis and work outside of regular work hours as necessary, including weekends and holidays
- Perform a variety of repair, and maintenance tasks
- Work under routine and emergency conditions, sometimes in severe weather
- Understand and follow instructions and directions
- Perform a wide variety of physically strenuous tasks
- Enter data into computer system
- Read, interpret, and understand blueprints and construction drawings
- Maintain records
- Maintain and repair equipment and tools;
- Able to work with hand tools
- Ascending or descending ladders
- Able to wear a mask/respirator.

EDUCATION

High School graduation or GED

This position requires that the incumbent has a D, C or B Certificate in Water, a Level 1, 2 or 3 certifications in Collection and a Level 1, 2 or 3 certification in Distribution.

EXPERIENCE:

One year of water and wastewater experience preferred but not required. Cross-Connection Control tester Certification is required or the ability to obtain it within one year of hiring.

Hiring range

Field Technician I (D Water Certification, Level 1 collection and distribution certification) - \$19.41-\$24.22.

Field Technician II (C Water Certification, Level 2 collection and distribution certification) - \$22.10-\$27.58

Field Technician III (B water certification, level 3 collection and distribution certification) - \$25.67-\$32.03

Actual compensation will be dependent upon experience and license/ certification level.