WATER & SEWER Maintenance Worker
(Seasonal)

DEFINITION
Under supervision, to perform a variety of semi-skilled pipe and related work on the installation, maintenance, and repair of water and sewer lines, storm drains, services and related equipment; and to do related work as assigned.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES: (These examples are intended only as illustrations of the various types of work performed. The examples of work performed are neither restricted to nor all-encompassing of the duties to be performed under this job title.) **(E=Essential Duty; M=Major Portion of Time)**

- Tap pipelines and install and repair valves, hydrants, meters, and pipes of all sizes which may or may not be under pressure. **(E-M)**
- Measure, cut, thread, and fit pipes. **(E-M)**
- Locate leaks and make repairs. **(E-M)**
- Install, clean, and repair sewer lines, storm drains, and laterals. **(E-M)**
- Clean and rod sewer lines. **(E-M)**
- Install forms and pour and finish concrete.
- Operate motorized equipment including backhoe and loader. **(E-M)**
- Operate trucks and other light power-driven and vibrating hand tools and equipment, including but not limited to jackhammers and wackers. **(E-M)**
- Keep tools in clean and safe working condition. **(E)**
- Maintain water and sewer operational records and charts.
- Perform other duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS
Knowledge of:
- Materials, tools, equipment, and methods used in water and sewer system installation and repair.
- Meters, valves, fittings, taps.
- Operation of a variety of public works power driven equipment.
- Safe work practices.

Ability to:
- Perform a wide variety of skilled tasks in the installation, repair, and cleaning of sewer and water systems.
- Operate motorized equipment including backhoe and loader.
- Perform heavy manual labor and lift up to 94 pounds.
- Operate trucks and other light power-driven and vibrating hand tools and equipment, including but not limited to jackhammers and wackers.
- Work in trenches with mud and water as a result of broken water mains.
- Understand and carry out oral and written directions.
- Tolerate changes in outside temperatures from winter to summer and tolerate dust, pollen, wind, and rain, with proper protection.
- Work in confined areas, such as in manholes, deep trenches and tight holes.
- Stand for periods of up to four hours at a time.
- Walk on uneven or steep terrain.
- Establish and maintain cooperative relationships with those contacted in the course of work.
- Work various shifts and flexible hours, including nights, weekends, and holidays.

Experience:
Experience in water and sewer installation, maintenance, and repair, or related experience that would indicate possession of the above qualifications are preferred but not required.

Education:
Completion of formal or informal education equivalent to completion of twelfth grade.

Necessary Special Requirements:

- Possession of a valid Class C California Driver's License but a Class A or B is preferred but not required). (This position is subject to the United States Department of Transportation and Federal Highway Administration regulations related to controlled substance and alcohol use and testing.)

Residency Requirement:
Residency within a 20-minute notification to respond zone is preferred but not required.

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