



Public Works Department

Water Operator

Nature of Work:

This is supervisory work in the direction of a work crew engaged in field operations of limited scope or complexity. This work must meet the elevated standards set by the Federal Water Pollution Control Act of 1972, amended by Clear Water Act of 1977.

Work involves responsibility for supervising the work of a crew engaged in the operation of a Water Treatment Facility.

Employees of this class are responsible for onsite supervision and for obtaining effective and efficient performance from subordinates in carrying out assigned tasks. Assignments are received from a superior who makes frequent onsite inspections to evaluate work progress, conformance to established standards, and adequacy, and to provide specific directions where required.

Illustrative Examples Of Work:

(Any one position of this class may not include all duties listed, nor do listed examples include all duties which may be found in positions of this class.)

Supervises a crew in performing various maintenance and repair of water treatment facilities.

Carries out daily technical knowledge in operation of a water treatment facility, which include tests on each facility.

Keep all general records necessary in the operation of a water treatment facility.

Confers with, advises and gives direction to the initiation of work, assessing work progress and resolving work problems.

Performs other duties as assigned.

Requirements:

Graduation from a high school or acceptable equivalent, or vocational school AND two (2) years experience in area of assignment or in related operations AND must maintain a Class "D" Waterworks Operators Certificate.