

Bagdad-Garcon Point Water System

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Field Technician Position

Performs skilled work of average difficulty in the installation, maintenance, and repair of water meters, including turning service on and off, terminating service for non-pays, and testing water meters. May lead and train other personnel when assigned. Work is performed independently under the direction of supervisory personnel.

ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS:

Performs field and shop tests on both new and old residential, commercial, and industrial water meters for accuracy.

Disassembles, cleans, and repairs meters replacing worn parts as necessary.

Adjusts and calibrates meters.

Locks and unlocks water meters.

Responds to customer complaints.

Replaces older meters for which repair parts are no longer available.

Repairs leaks around meters and flushes lines.

Performs flushing at water meters, flush stands, and fire hydrants.

Records meter readings for final bill and meter testing.

Maintains, repairs, and replaces meter boxes and meter vaults.

Maintains tools and equipment.

Maintains various activity records and logs.

All other duties as assigned.

Minimum Qualifications

High school diploma or equivalent. **(Educational documentation will be requested upon offer of employment.)**

Two years of experience reading, maintaining, installing, and repairing water meters required. One year of experience in testing water meters preferred.

Must have valid Level III State of Florida Water Distribution License; required to earn and maintain the CEU's to keep licenses and certifications current at all times.

Any combination of education, training, and experience which provides the required knowledge, skills, and abilities to perform the essential functions of the job.

Licenses and Certifications:

Possession of a valid Florida Driver License.

Level III Water Distribution System License.

Employment offers to all new hires are contingent upon the job candidates successfully passing background, motor vehicle and reference checks, drug screening.

Physical Requirements/Working Environment

While performing the essential functions of this job the employee is regularly required to stand and walk, use hands to finger, handle, or feel, reach with hands and arms, and stoop, kneel, crouch, or crawl and is occasionally required to climb or balance and lift and/or move up to 100 pounds.

While performing the essential functions of this job the employee is frequently exposed to outdoor weather conditions, extreme heat, work near moving mechanical parts, fumes or airborne particles, risk of electrical shock, and toxic or caustic chemicals.

The incumbent's working conditions are typically moderately quiet.

Supplemental Information

MATERIAL AND EQUIPMENT USED:

Light Truck or Other Motor Vehicle

Meter Testing Equipment

Various Hand and Power Tools

Saw

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities

Knowledge of:

Tools, methods, and materials of the maintenance of mechanical devices and of pipe fitting and basic plumbing

Skill in:

Working with hand and power tools

Ability to:

Use power and hand tools

Operate a light truck

Read and understand manuals, drawings, and blueprints

Understand and follow oral and written instructions

Make mathematical calculations

Operate computer system and software programs