CITY OF FRUITA
JOB POSTING

Date of Posting: April 26, 2023
Job Title: Maintenance Worker I – Wastewater Collection
Department: Public Works
Salary Range: $17.12 - $18.13 per hour, depending upon qualifications
Benefits: Health Insurance, Dental Insurance, Vision Insurance, Holiday Pay, Sick Time, Vacation Time, 401(a), Flex Spending Account, and AFLAC Supplemental Insurance
Supervisor: Crew Supervisor, Wastewater Collections
FLSA Status: Full –Time Non-Exempt
No. of Open Positions: 1

SUMMARY: This position is an entry level position that performs a wide variety of general and skilled maintenance duties for the City wastewater collection systems. This position responds to emergency call out situations as required; performs manual labor, operates collections equipment, completes data entry, and documents maintenance activities. Must be able to work in a safe manner and adhere to responsibilities concerning safety prevention, reporting and monitoring as outlined by City safety policies.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES include the following. Other duties may be assigned. Duties include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Performs a variety of wastewater collections tasks involving the operations and maintenance of wastewater collection systems; including sewer lines, wastewater structures, and pump systems.
- Operates a variety of power construction and maintenance equipment used in wastewater collections and repair. Performs routine inspection on assigned equipment and refers defects or needed repairs to supervisor; cleans equipment. Adheres to safe work practices while working on, in and/or around vehicles, equipment and jobsites.
- Assists in inspection and maintenance of lift stations and sewer lines, including the operation of CCTV Equipment.
- Operation of hand and power tools.
- Must communicate respectfully with a positive attitude towards the public, coworkers and supervisors.
- Performs traffic control.
- Assists with all areas of Public Works as needed.
- Develop and maintain safe working practices.
- Maintains a positive image and working relationship with the public.
OTHER DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:
Employee may perform other related duties as assigned to meet the on-going needs of the department.

SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES:
This position has no supervisory responsibilities.

POSITION REQUIREMENTS:

Minimum Education: High School Diploma or equivalent. Ability to successfully pass a pre-employment background investigation.

Job Requirements: Must have a current Colorado Driver’s License and be at least 18 years of age. Must be able to obtain Colorado Class A Commercial Driver License within 6 months of hire. Must obtain Colorado Class 1 Wastewater Collection License within one year of hire.

Experience: No experience required.

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

Basic knowledge of Public Works functions and operation.
Basic knowledge of Public Works equipment operation and maintenance.
• Material and equipment directly used:
  ❖ Computer
  ❖ Jetters and Vacuum Truck
  ❖ Camera Truck and CCTV equipment
  ❖ Compressor
  ❖ Miscellaneous hand and power tools and equipment (e.g. shovel, power saw, drill)
  ❖ Safety equipment

PHYSICAL DEMANDS AND WORK ENVIRONMENT:

Physical: Visual acuity, climbing, balancing, stooping, kneeling, crouching, crawling, reaching, handling, fingering, grasping, feeling, talking, hearing, repetitive motions. Lifting, carrying, pushing and pulling up to 50 lbs. Standing and walking each 50% of the time.

Mental: Decision making and ability to reason.

Environment: Work is performed both indoors and outdoors. The worker will be exposed to the following conditions:
❖ Exposure to a variety of temperatures including extreme heat and cold.
❖ Subject to noise sufficient enough to exceed the normal 85 db noise levels.
❖ Subject to vibration, oscillating movements of the extremities or the whole body.
❖ Exposure to a variety of hazardous fumes, chemicals, orders, dust and gases or poor ventilation.
❖ Subject to moving mechanical parts, vehicular traffic, electrical current, working on scaffolding and high places.
TO APPLY:
Submit a completed City of Fruita job application, letter of interest and resume to Human Resources, City of Fruita, 325 E. Aspen, Fruita, CO 81521. Position will remain open until filled.

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