KING COUNTY WATER DISTRICT No. 90
JOB DESCRIPTION 2013

TITLE: Field Technician 1

DEPARTMENT: Operations & Maintenance

REPORT TO: Field Foreman
Operations Manager
General Manager

Wages: $22.40 – 30.44/Hour plus benefits – DOQ

Position Opening: September 16, 2013 – September 30, 2013 or Until Filled

DEFINITION:
The Field Technician 1 is a union position which performs a variety of manual labor tasks in maintenance of District facilities. Position requires the safe use of hand / power tools and the ability to lift over 100 pounds. Work may be performed in inclement weather for extended periods of time and hazardous locations such as street areas, ditches, high elevations and confined spaces.

Essential Job Functions/Responsibilities:

- Perform construction, maintenance and repair operations of the water system.
- Safely operate trucks, backhoes, chainsaw, air compressor and jackhammer, hand tools and other construction and maintenance equipment.
- Safely operate, maintain and back up trailers
- Shovel dirt and gravel, break asphalt / concrete and load rubble
- Develop safe work habits and contribute to the safety of self, co-workers, and the general public.
- Set-up traffic control for crew work sites and perform flagging functions as necessary.
- Clean and maintain District facilities, vehicles and equipment;
- Accurately record daily work activities, maintenance information, material usage and other information using district forms.
- Work as a member of crew in support of installation, maintenance and repair of District facilities.
- Respond effectively and courteously with customers, coworkers, contractors and others in normal and crisis and/or stressful situations.
- Work after hours as necessary and be available for emergency call outs
Other Job Functions: Perform all other duties as assigned. Any one job position may not include all of the duties listed nor do the listed examples include all tasks which may be found in positions of this class.

Working Conditions: In emergency situations, must be able to work any hours of the day. Have the ability to work in adverse weather conditions. Be able to lift tools, equipment, or materials weighing over 100 lbs. Ability to bend, crawl and work in restricted areas. Ability to enter and work in confined spaces and trenches. Have the ability to climb to high elevations such as on top of water reservoirs and district buildings.

Experience and Training: General experience within a water system / construction environment preferably with knowledge of general repair and maintenance, of a water system, street maintenance, or any equivalent combination of experience and training that demonstrates the knowledge, skills and abilities described below.

Knowledge, Skills, Abilities: Knowledge of basic types of tools, their appropriate usage and knowledge of standard safety procedures. Skilled in the safe use of various water system / construction equipment and tools; ability to maintain accurate records and forms; ability to communicate clearly and concisely orally and in writing; ability to use a computer and preferably possess typing ability, and he ability to work effectively with employees and the general public.

Requirements: Possession of a valid driver’s license. Obtain a Flagging Certification within 6 months. Obtain a Class B Commercial Driver’s license within 1 year. Obtain a Washington State Water Distribution Manager 1 certification within 2 year. Driving Abstract, drug screening and criminal background check will be performed by the District prior to offer of employment.

Benefits:
Public Employees Retirement System (PERS), Medical, Dental, Vision, Deferred Compensation, 11 Paid Holidays, Paid Vacation, Paid Sick Leave, Compensatory Time, Aflac, Communication Workers Union.

Applications are available at the District website at www.kcwd90.com or at the District Office located at 15606 S.E. 128th Street, Renton, WA 98059. Phone 425-255-9600. Resumes may be attached to application. Position will remain open until filled. King County Water District #90 is an Equal Opportunity Employer.