

Seeks Candidates For Utilities Mechanic

About Us...

San Juan Water District, located in Granite Bay, California, is a community services district created by a vote of the citizens in 1954. The District provides wholesale water to more than 160,000 people and retail to 30,000 people living in eastern Sacramento and southern Placer Counties. The District wholesales water to Citrus Heights, Fair Oaks and San Juan (retail) Water Districts, Orange Vale Water Company and the City of Folsom with surplus treatment capacity available to Sacramento Suburban Water District. The District provides treatment and delivery of more than 50,000 acre-feet of water per year to wholesale and retail customers.

With rich history dating back to the Gold Rush era, the District has served the community for more than 150 years. The District's highest priority is to provide reliable, high-quality water to its customers – every day, year in and year out. The District is significantly involved in reshaping California's water dialogue.

San Juan Water District is led by a five-member board of directors who are elected by the community to provide guidance, strategy, and policy for district programs and policies.

The Position...

The Utilities Mechanic (UM) is part of the Treatment team, maintaining, troubleshooting, and repairing the District's mechanical and electrical equipment including the treatment plant, District's administrative building, field services building, transmission and storage facilities,

reservoirs, pump stations and metering equipment, and other district facilities.

Duties include:

- Performing routine preventative maintenance on pumps, motors and other rotational equipment including lubrication, cleaning and painting equipment.
- Troubleshooting, repairing, overhauling and/or replacing a variety of mechanical equipment/systems and electrical equipment; aligning, calibrating and adjusting mechanical equipment for optimal performance.
- Performing corrective maintenance on all mechanical equipment and processing systems such as parts replacement, equipment changes, cleaning of sedimentation systems and backwash recovery system processes; troubleshooting non-operational equipment under emergency situations and developing systematic repair plans.
- Participating and assisting in the development and implementation of a preventative maintenance program.
- Researching new products and methods of repair; contacting vendors to determine best methods and configuration of equipment reviews cost, capacity and maintenance requirements of equipment.
- Performing general labor as required.
- Using a computer to enter and retrieve information related to work assignments and recordkeeping.

The Ideal Candidate...

The District can hire at either the I or II level, depending on qualifications. To be considered, candidates should be knowledgeable of general methods of maintaining water treatment, distribution and storage facilities, methods, materials, equipment and tools used in the maintenance and operation of treatment facilities and have the ability to learn to repair, maintain and troubleshoot a variety of mechanic equipment associated with the treatment plant, transmission and storage facilities, reservoirs, pump stations and metering equipment. The qualifications include:

I: Graduation from high school or equivalent and experience in the operation and maintenance of equipment related to a water facility.

- Possession of a valid California motor vehicle operator's class C license.
- Possession of, or ability to obtain and maintain a of a Grade 2 Water Treatment Operator Certificate from the State of California within 18 months.

II: In addition to UM I requirements and duties, two years of experience performing duties similar to a Utilities Mechanic II.

- Possession of a valid California motor vehicle operator's class C license.
- Possession of, or ability to obtain and maintain a of a Grade 2 Water Distribution Operator Certificate from the State of California within 24 months.

Compensation and Benefits...

The salary range is \$36.02 - \$47.75. In addition, the District offers competitive benefits which include District contribution to CalPERS retirement, medical (100% of premium for most offered plans), dental and vision for employee and dependents; District paid life insurance; 12 paid days of sick leave; 11 paid holidays; and paid vacation depending on length of service. In addition, the District provides retiree health benefits with 50% of the premium paid with 10 years of service and an additional 5% with each year of service up to 100% with 20 years of service in CalPERS participating agencies.

Application Process...

To be considered for this position, please submit a District application, resume and cover letter, and three professional references to Shellie Anderson at Bryce Consulting. The position is open until filled with the first screening taking place at the close of business on May 29, 2023.

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Visit the District's website at <u>www.sjwd.org</u> for an application.