

INTERNAL JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

April 16, 2024

Position: Lead Line Technician

Salary Grade: 13

Department: Electric

Closing Date: April 24, 2024 @ 5:00 p.m.

Lead Line Technician

General Definition of Work

Performs intermediate skilled technical work constructing, maintaining and operating electric distribution lines, street lights, substations and related installations, and related work as apparent or assigned. Work is performed under the limited supervision of the Electric Crew Supervisor. Limited oversight is exercised over Electric Line Worker/Trainees and Journey Line Technicians.

This work requires the regular exertion of up to 25 pounds of force, frequent exertion of up to 50 pounds of force and occasional exertion of up to 100 pounds of force; work regularly requires standing, frequent speaking or hearing, using hands to finger, handle or feel, reaching with hands and arms and repetitive motions and occasionally requires walking, sitting, climbing or balancing, stooping, kneeling, crouching or crawling, tasting or smelling, pushing or pulling and lifting; work requires close vision, distance vision, ability to adjust focus, depth perception, color perception, night vision and peripheral vision; vocal communication is required for expressing or exchanging ideas by means of the spoken word and conveying detailed or important instructions to other accurately, loudly or quickly; hearing is required to perceive information at normal spoken word levels and to receive detailed information through oral communications and/or to make fine distinctions in sound; work requires preparing and analyzing written or computer data, visual inspection involving small defects and/or small parts, using measuring devices, assembly or fabrication of parts within arm's length, operating machines, operating motor vehicles or equipment and observing general surroundings and activities; worker is regularly working in high, precarious places, exposure to outdoor weather conditions and exposure to the risk of electrical shock, frequent working near moving mechanical parts, exposure to fumes or airborne particles and exposure to vibration and occasionally requires exposure to toxic or caustic chemicals; work is generally in a loud noise location (e.g. heavy traffic, large earth-moving equipment).

Essential Functions

- Performs complex and technical tasks on a crew of line workers.
- Installs, maintains and repairs overhead and underground electrical lines.
- Implements and follows safety policies and procedures.
- Loads and unloads trucks with required materials for projects.
- Oversees and performs maintenance on vehicles and equipment.

- Oversees projects in the Electric Crew Supervisor's absence.
- Operates a variety of utility vehicles and equipment including line truck, bucket truck, digger, boom, compressor, test equipment, etc.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities

- Thorough knowledge of the practices, methods, equipment, materials and tools used in the erection and maintenance of electric lines.
- Thorough knowledge of the occupational hazards connected with the work and the safety precautions to be taken.
- Thorough knowledge in preparing reports.
- Ability to understand and carry out complex oral and written instructions.
- Ability to make arithmetic computations.
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with co-workers and subordinates.

Education and Experience

High school diploma or GED and extensive experience as a Journey Line Technician, or equivalent combination of education and experience.

Special Requirements

Possession of a Class A commercial driver's license valid in the State of Tennessee.

To be considered for the position, an Internal Application for Promotion or Transfer must be completed and received in Human Resources by the closing date. Applications for employees who have been in his / her position for less than 1 year must have Managing Director signature.