

TOWN OF SOMERSET WATER DEPARTMENT DISTRIBUTION LABORER

Full Time Day Shift

Water Distribution System

3249 County Street, Somerset, MA 02726

Applications and complete job descriptions along with a list of job requirements are available for this position at the office of the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners, 3249 County Street, Somerset MA 02726 or by calling (508) 679-2731.

Applicants should forward a resume and completed application to the address above in care of Superintendent Paul A. Sylvia P.E.

Applications will be accepted until position is filled.

Town of Somerset is an AAEEEO minorities employer.

Qualifications

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JOB DESCRIPTION

DEFINITION: Manual and semi-skilled work in the maintenance of the Water Department, water mains and service installations, hydrant maintenance and related work.

DISTINGUISHING CHARACTERISTICS: Work performed under the supervision of the Forman. Performs varied duties of a routine nature within established guidelines and by-laws of the department, errors could result in damage to property. Maintenance and upkeep of grounds controlled by the Water Department. Makes occasional contact with other town departments. Moderate to strenuous physical effort required in the field under variable weather conditions and with some exposure to personal danger in the performance of their duties.

EXAMPLES OF WORK: Install water mains. Install water services from main to property. Repair water main leaks and broken pipes. Install water meters and read meters when necessary. May also include grass cutting, clearing of easements and general upkeep of the plant grounds, custodial tasks painting, etc. Make temporary repairs to road surfaces after excavations.

RECOMMENDED MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: High school diploma or equivalent. Mechanical ability pertaining to plumbing or combination of equivalent education and experience. Hoisting and CDL licenses preferred.

KNOWLEDGE ABILITY SKILLS: Familiarity with techniques of water distribution maintenance and use of repair equipment. Ability to exert physical effort and to work under occasionally adverse weather conditions.