



TOWN OF MIDDLEBOROUGH  
**JOB POSTING**  
\*\*\*\*2 POSITIONS AVAILABLE\*\*\*\*

**Position:** Water Distribution Mechanic  
**Location:** Water Division, 65 Sachem Street, Middleborough, MA 02346  
**Status:** Full-time  
**Hours:** 40 hours per week  
**Wages:** \$26.9406 per hour (Water 2, Step 1) - \$33.1657 per hour (Water 3, Step 6) in accordance with the current AFSCME DPW Union Contract

**Grade Requirements:**

WATER 2: D1/T1

WATER 3: D2/T2

**Job Description**

The Town of Middleborough seeks qualified applicants for the position of Water Distribution Mechanic for the Water Division. Perform diversified skilled mechanic duties on assigned shift in the Water Department to install and maintain the water distribution system to ensure proper flow of potable water within the system.

Receive written or verbal instructions, charts and diagrams and directions on job requirements following standard trade practices and working within schedules in completing projects, using appropriate equipment, tools and supplies.

Perform skilled work such as installing, repairing or rebuilding water mains, connections and hydrants, drilling and tapping; cement and brick work; painting and gate repairing. Repair walls, pavements, curbing and grounds, install meters, etc. Inspect sites for damage, line breaks and leakage problems. Lay and make pipe connections. Shall be required to operate trucks and backhoe, air compressor, pumps, and related light equipment as directed.

Maintain and repair pipelines, assist pumping stations; perform meter reading and repair or replacement duties; pour corrosion resistant material over pipes or apply material with brush or spray gun. Wrap pipe as directed to prevent corrosion or leakage. Operate equipment to clear grounds along pipeline right of way; operate pipe cleaning equipment.

Respond to emergencies and carry out assignment prescribed to remedy same. Assist in snow removal duties as required.

Move materials as necessary in performance of duties as directed. Detect and report improper operation, faulty equipment, defective materials and unusual conditions to proper supervisor. Maintain equipment in clean, safe and orderly condition. Follow prescribed safety

rules and regulations at all times. Is required to be available and pull regular shift on stand-by duty for distribution system as set up by Division Foreperson.

Perform other related duties as required or as directed. The successful applicant shall be given a sixty (60) day trial and training period in this position.

**Must obtain Massachusetts Grade 1D Operator license, Class 2 Driver's License and be able to obtain a Hoisting License within a year.**

Interested applicants please submit resume and cover letter to **Allison Ferreira, Human Resources Director** via email to [HRD@middleboroughma.gov](mailto:HRD@middleboroughma.gov).

**Date of posting: July 29, 2024**

**Deadline: Open Until Filled**

*The Town of Middleborough is an Equal Opportunity Employer. We evaluate qualified applicants without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, disability, veteran, genetic information, and other legally protected characteristics.*