



# Job Vacancy

## Utility Worker 2 Public Works Department

**Job Description** Under general supervision, participates and provides leadership in the installation, maintenance, and repair of water and sewer facilities. Operates heavy equipment as necessary to perform daily tasks. Performs general landscaping duties as required. Reports to Supervisor/Public Works Director.

- Repairs various water and sewer apparatuses as necessary to correct water leaks.
- Installs new water meters and water taps; replaces water valves and hydrants.
- Installs main water lines and lays new service lines; installs new manholes; raises buried manholes.
- Locates water and sewer lines for utility companies.
- Operates and cares for equipment, machinery, and tools.
- Receives and reviews work orders, water/sewer maps, street maps, receipts, packing lists, etc.
- Prepares and submits various records and reports, including work orders, work requests, accident reports, etc.
- Interacts and communicates with immediate supervisor, co-workers, other department heads and employees, other utility companies, general public.
- Performs duties on an on-call/24-hour-per-day basis to respond to emergency situations.
- Performs all work in compliance with established policies, procedures, regulations, and standards of quality and safety.
- Cleans sewer blockages and repairs sewer line breaks; cleans storm drains.
- Responds to calls regarding sewer stoppages, smells and overflows.
- Smoke tests and RAT test sewer lines.
- Prepares video tapings of sewer system as required.
- Cleans right-of-ways.
- Performs elevation grading and landscaping activities.
- Trains new employees in the proper use of equipment and tools and in the proper methods of water/sewer line and facility construction and maintenance.
- Performs related duties as directed when such duties are a logical and appropriate assignment to the position.

**Desirable Education and Experience** High School Diploma or GED equivalent preferred with vocational/technical school training in pipe fitting or related field, and five (5) years of experience in the operation of heavy construction equipment, equivalent combination of education, training, and experience which provides the required knowledge, skills and abilities. Must possess a valid South Carolina Commercial Driver's License with appropriate endorsements and maintain a valid South Carolina Commercial Driver's License, CPR and First Aid Certification, Trenching and Shoring Certification, Asbestos Certification, NASSCO Pipeline Assessment Certification, Permit-Required Confined Space Entrant Training, Must possess or obtain within two (2) years the following license/certifications: B License in Water System Distribution from the South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation; B License in Wastewater Collection System Operations from the Water Environment Association of South Carolina; Certification from the Institute of Environmental Training as a Class 3 Operations and Maintenance Worker. The City will pay for three (3) attempts to obtain certification.

**Application for Position** Applicants interested in this job opportunity may apply online at [www.lancastercitysc.com](http://www.lancastercitysc.com) (Employment Tab) or at the One Stop Career Center located at 705 North White Street, Lancaster, SC. This position is open until filled. EOE.

**Position May be Subject to the Following Background Checks**

**Credit Check, Criminal History, Driving History, Drug Test, Medical/Physical**

Grade	Salary Range	
208	\$16.096 to \$20.120	