



Job Description			
Job Title:	Collection System Operator I	Pay Grade:	6
Department:	Collection System	Effective Date:	3/2023

GENERAL PURPOSE

Performs a variety of working level semi-skilled and skilled duties related to the maintenance, and repair of wastewater collection system.

SUPERVISION RECEIVED

Works under the close to general supervision of the Collection System Superintendent.

SUPERVISION EXERCISED

None.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

Assists the CCTV operator with the TV inspection of the gravity sewer lines and manholes. Works at the back end of the CCTV truck assisting CCTV operator in placement of camera in the sewer lines. This may require entering manholes to assemble camera.

Assists others in maintaining the District's utility systems by clearing easements and may enter manholes to remove obstructions.

Assists with the combination truck operator to clean and maintain District's sewer systems.

Sets up traffic control for the CCTV and combo cleaner truck operations on UDOT highways and city and county roads in accordance with the MUTCD under the supervision of the Traffic Control Supervisor.

Assists in PACP and MACP inspections.

Assists with smoke testing to discover leaks within the District's sewer systems; identifies and documents locations of leaks.

Assists in maintaining records of cleaning activities, which may include utilizing iPad to complete work assignments.

Assists in manhole leak sealing operations which may require being in sewer manholes for extended periods of time.

Performs general housekeeping on the District's equipment, keeping areas clean and safe.

Operates a variety of hand and power tools and equipment as needed to maintain and repair manholes, etc.; replaces or resets grade rings as needed to bring manholes up to road grade; performs as a safety flagman during highway operations.

Monitors collection system to prevent illegal or unauthorized connections, tampering, or dumping and initiates corrective action according to established policies and procedures.

Performs and assists in Blue Staking of the District's sewer lines.

Assists in the installation of pretreatment sampling equipment; accompanies Pretreatment Coordinator to assure proper safety to the sampling operations.

Performs related duties as required.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

1. Education and Experience:

A. Graduation from a standard senior high school;

2. Required Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

General knowledge of the traffic laws and regulations, as well as the occupational hazards and safety precautions necessary for the safe operation of motorized equipment.

Ability to adapt to emergency or unusual situations; ability to tolerate weather extremes in the work place; ability to communicate effectively, verbally and in writing; ability to develop working relationships with supervisors, co-workers and the public; ability to follow oral and written instructions.

Some knowledge of hazards and precautions associated with sewer line construction operations; some knowledge of basic hand and power tools required to install and maintain pipe line; some knowledge of basic automotive mechanics.

Physical Requirements: perform bending, squatting, twisting, kneeling, and reaching both to ground level and overhead; lift and carry up to 90 pounds; push and pull up to 130 pounds; hold and grip objects; climb in and out of manholes; distinguish colors to interpret dye test results. Subject to working in awkward positions and standing for long periods of time. Ability to enter manholes and perform work for extended periods of time. Ability to work in roadway high traffic areas. Ability to perform heavy manual labor as required by the assignment.

3. Special Qualifications:

Must possess, or obtain within 18 months, a Wastewater Systems Operator Certification Grade II.

Must obtain NASSCO PACP and MACP Certifications.

Must obtain MUTCD TC Certification.

Must be able to obtain Military Security Clearance.

Must possess a valid State of Utah Class B Commercial Driver's License with endorsements for air brakes and tank vehicle or the ability to obtain within 120 days of hire.

Must be willing to work shift schedules, on-call and 24 hour standby.

WORK ENVIRONMENT

Daily exposure to hazardous conditions such as: working on high ladders and in manholes; daily potential for hazardous exposure to methane, hydrogen sulfide, and chlorine gases; daily potential for hazardous exposure to oxygen deficient atmosphere; daily exposure to seasonal changes and weather extremes; daily potential for hazardous exposure to electrical shock, industrial wastes and raw sewage (containing pathogens such as typhoid, paratyphoid, dysentery, polio, tetanus, etc.); daily exposure to moving parts and equipment such as pumps, motors, heavy equipment, etc.; daily exposure to stressful environmental conditions such as dust, fumes, dampness, cold, heat and noise.