

CITY OF BOWIE
Chief Water Plant Operator
Public Works Department

The Chief Water Plant Operator is responsible for assisting the Water Plant Superintendent in repairs to the plant, inventory/ordering of chemicals and supplies, keeping plant records, preparing reports to governmental agencies, and maintenance of the plant equipment. This position performs shift work and all duties of a Class 4 certified operator.

Specific Duties include:

- Ensuring proper water filtration and treatment to deliver safe drinking water in accordance with applicable regulations;
- Conducting and supervising lab testing procedures and preparing reports as required to meet regulatory requirements;
- Overseeing contracted repairs, maintenance, testing and inspections;
- Recommend plant modifications and improvements for efficiencies;
- Ensuring security of the water plant, storage tanks and well sites
- In absence of Water Plant Superintendent, manage all staff and activities of the water plant and must maintain a valid State of Maryland Certification for water.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- High School diploma or equivalent.
- Must have and maintain a Class 4 Water Treatment Certification

LICENSES OR CERTIFICATIONS :

- Valid Driver's license

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Four (4) years of experience with water treatment practices, two (2) years of experience with trades such as heating/air conditioning, electrical controls, boiler engineer and mechanical or chemical experience or an equivalent combination of education and experience.
- Knowledge of principles, practices, and methods used in water treatment and pumping operations.
- Knowledge of the operation of mechanical and electrical equipment used in water filtration and pumping plant.
- Knowledge of the occupational hazards connected with water plants and related activities and of necessary safety precautions.
- Knowledge of computers and Microsoft Office programs (Word, Access, and Excel).
- Skills required in plumbing, electrical, and mechanical repairs.

****COVID-19 vaccination required in order to qualify for this position.***

SALARY: \$76,155

How to Apply: Please visit the city's website at: www.cityofbowie.org and click on the employment link.

Application Deadline: OPEN UNTIL FILLED

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