

Utility Operator – Full Time – Permanent

Competition #UO2023 | until suitable candidate

The Municipal District of Lesser Slave River (MD) is currently seeking a full-time, permanent Water Utility Operator to assist with daily operation and maintenance activities within the MD's boundaries. Under the guidance of the Utility Foreman, the Utility Operator is responsible for the skilled technical activities involved in the operation and maintenance of the MD's water, water distribution, wastewater collection and treatment systems. The schedule is 8-on / 6-off, 10-hour workdays.

This position includes monitoring and reporting per Alberta Environment Codes and Regulations. The MD has three water treatment facilities, seven water distribution facilities, and three wastewater collection and treatment facilities.

Position Responsibilities:

- Responsible for the day-to-day operations and maintenance of water treatment, water distribution and wastewater collection and treatment systems
- Perform and record daily laboratory tests, routine water analysis, monitor analytical reports and adjust treatment processes as required
- Ensure operations are carried out according to Alberta Environment Approvals, Code of Practice, Alberta Health, and Standard Guidelines for Drinking Water Quality. Accurate records are to be maintained as per the conditions listed within the specific Approval or Code of Practice
- Understand various software systems, SCADA, and PLCs
- Locate underground municipal services for requesting parties (i.e.: Alberta One-Call, ratepayers)
- Assist with internal and contracted repairs and installations
- Respond to grinder pump alarms and service requests and assist with repairs
- Record water meter readings on the last day of each month for submission for water billing
- Ensure all safety policies and procedures are being followed. Check safety devices in all facilities and keep necessary records. Report all incidents and unsafe conditions.
- Perform other duties and willing to work overtime when required

Qualifications:

- Level I Water Treatment, Level I Wastewater Treatment, Level I Water Distribution, Level I Wastewater Collection Required, or equal or better experience can be accommodated
- Valid Alberta Class 5 Driver's License Required
- Minimum two years' experience in Water treatment plants Required

Salary Range: \$26.76 – 38.80/hour (\$55,668 - \$80,709 per year), dependent on qualifications/license and experience. Level 3 are encouraged to apply, and compensation would be higher.

Please submit your application to **Recruitment@mdlsr.ca** referencing "Competition # UO2023" in the subject line. We thank all applicants in advance for their interest in this position; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.