

PROMOTIONAL/OPEN ENTRANCE WATER PLANT OPERATOR I

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Pay Range 8.....\$9.69 hr. Minimum - \$20,155.20 Annual

Nature of Work

The work of this class requires routine, semi-skilled work in a water production facility. Work involves assisting in the operation and maintenance of water production and treatment equipment. Employees work around toxic chemicals, under varying weather conditions, which includes working rotating twelve hour shifts. General supervision is received from Water Production Supervisor.

Qualification Requirements:

Graduation from high school or GED, plus experience in mechanical maintenance work; or an equivalent combination of training and experience. If the applicant is not a certified operator, he or she must become certified with a Class III Water Treatment and a Class III Water Production within (2) years, which is the time allotted by the State of Louisiana Licensing Board. Must have functional telephone in his residence for on call duty and possess a valid driver's license as issued by the State of Louisiana.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Who May Apply

This position is open to all employees in the Civil Service System. This position is also open to all registered voters living within a twelve mile radius of the City of Opelousas who meet the minimum qualifications for the position. Applicants, when appointed must move within a 12-mile radius after six months of being certified as permanent. All applicants meeting the minimum qualifications and are acceptable shall be notified the particulars for the examination. Applicants must submit a copy of their certifications at the time of the application.

How to Apply

Applications must be received from the Civil Service Office at the Municipal Plaza, 105 North Main Street, Opelousas, LA. All questions on said application must be answered and failure to do so may result in applicant receiving a lower score, or rejection of the application. All applications must be signed and delivered to the Civil Service Director's office located in the Municipal Plaza no later than twelve o'clock noon, Friday, October 27, 2017.

Military Preference

Five (5) points shall be added to the grade on open entrance examination for all applicants with military service under honorable conditions provided that the points may be added only after a passing grade or score is attained. Applicants claiming preference under the provisions of this rule must present discharge papers to the Civil Service Director for determination of eligibility.

ISSUED: OCTOBER 9, 2017