

Title: Water Operator**Job Summary:**

Under general supervision, perform duties of water operator, will be required to safely operate various tools and equipment, maintain water system and pumps. Various duties as required, including on call.

Specific Job Duties and Responsibilities:

1. Reading, Repairing, Installing, disconnecting and troubleshooting smart water meters.
2. Downloading water meters with hand held computer.
3. Mowing/Weed eating
4. Checking, troubleshooting pumps and controls
5. Using Excel and Word
6. Using GIS software
7. Reading plans and prints
8. Repairing water main and water service line
9. Installing water mains
10. Responding to after hours call outs.
11. Using electronic locating equipment.
12. Safely maintain and minor repair of chlorination system.
13. Special knowledge, skills and abilities or education.
 - A. Ability to safely and skillfully operate equipment and vehicles in the performance of duties.
 - B. Responsible, ability to complete a task alone and without immediate supervision.
 - C. Responsible, must be able to be trusted with cash/credit card.
 - D. Ability to follow oral and written instructions.
 - E. Awareness of all safety standards when performing duties.
 - F. Ability to perform manual physical labor.
 - G. Ability to consistently and reliably show up to work.
 - H. Ability to read and maps and provide directions.
 - I. Ability to safely conduct repairs at a fast pace in emergency situations.

Working Conditions/Physical Demands:

Working conditions include operations and maintenance of water system and pumps in all types of weather condition including extreme heat and cold, dry, wet, muddy and dirty areas. Working condition may also include working after dark to conduct emergency repairs on weekend and holidays. Work does require lots of digging with shovel, bending, reaching working in tight spaces and lifting.

Minimum Qualifications:

- A. Must have a valid Driver's License
- B. Must be at least eighteen years of age at hire date.
- C. Must pass pre employment physical.
- D. Must pass a pre employment drug test.
- E. Employee must be willing to obtain class D water certification within 3 months (subject to class availability) and upgrade to class C license a year after receipt of class D license.
- F. Employee must agree to background check.
- G. Must live within 40 minute drive of LCRWD #17 water district office.