

Wastewater Treatment Maintenance Technician

The Municipality of Colchester is centrally located within Nova Scotia between two extraordinary coastlines. Colchester is a progressive rural municipality that offers an unparalleled work-life balance. It is a place that is affordable, welcoming, family focused, rich in diverse culture and natural beauty, with thriving businesses and access to all the modern amenities typically found in an urban setting – without the common stresses of living in an urban setting.

The Municipality of Colchester is committed to treating people fairly, with respect and dignity. Our goal is to continue to move forward as a diverse and inclusive community representative of the citizens we serve by offering equal opportunities free of biases. We have formed an Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee to keep us accountable and to help us reach this goal.

About the role: Participates in all maintenance activities and safety procedures for the wastewater treatment plants and remote lift stations, including but not limited to mechanical, electrical, instrumentation and controls, as well as computer systems. Must be available for on-call work on a scheduled basis for after hour emergencies.

Salary Range: \$27.55 - \$31.40 per hour based on 40 hours per week, plus standby pay. This is a permanent full-time unionized position.

Benefits:

- Group Benefits - *Health, Dental, Life, Long Term Disability, and Accidental Death & Dismemberment*
- Retirement Plan - Nova Scotia Public Service Superannuation Plan (*Employer matched*)
- Professional Development Opportunities
- Fitness and Well-being Incentives

Qualities to succeed in the role:

- Well-developed organizational skills
- Excellent communications skills
- Ability to work in confined spaces
- Excellent time management skills
- Excellent interpersonal skills
- Ability to multi-task and take direction

Education & experience required:

- Minimum two years post-secondary education diploma in Electrical Mechanical Technician, Mechanical, Electrical or Instrumentation training or minimum one-year post-secondary education certificate in Industrial Mechanical training and one-year experience working at the trade. Ability to obtain valid Wastewater Collection Class III within 4 years.
- Knowledge of Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) systems, an asset
- Possess a valid Nova Scotia Driver's License

The Municipality supports the principles of the Nova Scotia Human Rights Act and the principles of inclusion for persons with disabilities in the Nova Scotia Accessibility Act. Applicants are encouraged to contact Human Resources at (902) 843-4193 should assistance be required throughout the application and hiring process.

Please submit a covering letter and resume by April 11, 2023, to the Municipality of Colchester. kgrattomccarthy@colchester.ca To learn more about us, please visit our website at www.colchester.ca.