



ENVIRONMENTAL UTILITIES LABOURER – C & M Utilities

Red Deer is Alberta's third largest city, a growing city built on entrepreneurialism, innovation and community spirit that drives who we are and what we do. We, as a city, are served by an innovative government, inspired by the people and businesses that live here, and filled with vibrant places and spaces for people to connect and community to thrive. Located halfway between Calgary and Edmonton, Red Deer an active city rooted in an expansive park and is young and vibrant with a median age of under 35 years. With a diverse and resilient educated workforce, strong average family income, and ideal geographic location, Red Deer is a highly desirable place to live and do business and continues to grow.

“The Opportunity”: Join our hard-working underground utility construction team, doing honorable, meaningful work outdoors that has impact beyond yourself, helping to provide water and wastewater services to our entire community of over 100,000 fine residents, business and institutions of Red Deer!

The City of Red Deer is currently recruiting for the right people to fill 4 (four) Permanent Full-time positions of **Environmental Utilities Labourer – Construction & Maintenance**. The Environmental Utilities Labourer is responsible to perform various labouring duties in the Class IV Water Distribution, Wastewater Collection and Stormwater Collection utilities. Operate tools and small to medium motorized construction equipment and vehicles.

As our preferred candidate you will have:

- Grade 12 or equivalent
- One year experience in underground deep utility construction of water and wastewater systems preferred. Other combinations of education and experience may be considered.
- Level 1 Alberta Provincial Certification in Water Distribution and Wastewater Collection (preferred).
- Must pass and maintain Hazard Assessment, Supervisory Ground Disturbance, WHMIS, First Aid, H2S, Confined Space and Rescue, Driver Training and other courses as determined by the City or Provincial requirements.
- Valid Class 3 Driver's License with Q Endorsement.
- Demonstrated safety skills in the use of specialized equipment including, but not limited to, respirators and supplied air, air quality monitors, and confined space entry equipment.
- Demonstrated mechanical aptitude and the ability to use a wide range of construction tools and portable water testing equipment.
- Ability to safely operate assigned equipment with a high level of skill in an urban environment, often with limited operating space and significant underground and overhead utilities, while near people, traffic and site obstructions.
- Ability to work unsupervised and cooperate with colleagues as a team and to follow and understand written and verbal instructions.
- Knowledge of operating characteristics, functions and capabilities of all available tools and equipment, and its required inspection and maintenance.
- This position will require the incumbent to work in hazardous and disagreeable work environments (i.e.: biohazards, noisy, wet, dirty, excavations, buried and aerial utilities, confined spaces, traffic, heavy equipment and in all types of weather). Ability to climb into, and work within, cabs of equipment and other areas for maintenance and be subject to continuous body movement, vibrations and sudden jolts. Hazards may be through entering properties and dealing with difficult customers. Specific regulations may also be adhered to if requested by the property owner/developer.
- Must be physically fit to exert heavy physical effort consistently throughout each day lifting and carrying heavy appurtenances, shovelling, bend and twist in awkward positions, opening and closing valves, climbing ladders, and working at heights with considerable standing, bending and walking.
- Respond to after hour emergencies and work extended shifts.

What we offer:

In addition to the competitive hourly rate of \$33.03 to \$34.77 and an excellent benefit package, we offer a great work environment with a dynamic and dedicated team of professionals.

If you like what you have read and think this is the job for you; come build your career with The City of Red Deer. We are committed to a healthy, vibrant, and sustainable community. Our employees are the cornerstone of our organization and working with us will provide you with the opportunity to work in an ever-growing environment and to work with an awesome group of people.



We welcome applications until March 28, 2025
For further information or to apply, please visit our website
at www.reddeer.ca/careers

Applicants not contacted are thanked for their interest.