# EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

# **Water Treatment Plant Operator**

## **About Us:**

With a population of approximately 16,300, Cold Lake is a city that offers a wealth of excitement, adventure and entertainment for all in any season. Hugging the southern shores of Alberta's seventh largest lake, this recreational paradise can be accessed in summer and winter through western Canada's largest inland marina. New housing, excellent educational facilities, a multipurpose recreational facility and a college are just a few of the highlights that truly make Cold Lake a community of choice.

# **Job Purpose & Responsibilities:**

This is a **permanent**, **full-time** position with the Infrastructure Services Department.

Reporting to the Water Treatment Plant Foreman, this position is responsible for:

- Ensuring the safe distribution, treatment, disinfection, and transmission of potable water to all City of Cold Lake residents and customers.
- Following environmental standards, and federal and provincial regulatory bodies.
- Ensuring the safe operation of the City's water and sewage systems.
- Oversee safe disinfection of potable water and uninterrupted transmission of water to customers.
- Monitoring bacteriological levels.
- Reporting data to Alberta Environment for analysis.
- Obtaining field samples, lab testing, organizing data, and record management.
- Maintenance and repair of the water and wastewater systems, pump houses, lift stations, and treatment facility.

40 hours of work per week, with some on call shifts and overtime, when necessary.

## Qualifications:

- 2 to 3 years' experience in utilities, water treatment or a related field;
- High School diploma or equivalent;
- A current Class 3 Driver's license with Q endorsement;
- Alberta Environment Certification Level II Water Treatment and Water Distribution, Level I Waste Water Treatment, and Level II Waste Water Collection certificates are required with a preference given to those with Level II certification for all;
- Standard First Aid, CPR, Confined Space Entry, H2S, Transportation of Dangerous Goods and Heavy Equipment Operator certifications are preferred;
- The Operator will have strong time management, computer, communication, organizational, and customer service skills.

## Salary for this position is \$33.68/hr.

This position is within the scope of AUPE Local 118/016, and as such you will be required to adhere to articles contained within the Collective Agreement.

Interested individuals should apply via the City of Cold Lake careers page here.