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OCWA Title: Water Treatment Plant Maintenance Worker

(Civil Service job [#60635](#))

Job type

Full time, Non-exempt, non-competitive

Compensation: Hourly rate starting at \$22.39

Summary

OCWA – Central New York's Water Authority is currently seeking candidates for a Water Treatment Plant Maintenance Worker to join our team. The work involves responsibility for assisting skilled water system and treatment plant maintenance positions by performing a wide variety of semi-skilled tasks while learning the more skilled aspects of the work. Successful candidates may perform journey level installation, maintenance and repair activities under supervision of, or after receiving detailed instructions from, higher level employees. The nature of the work does not require planning, design, supervision, or layout of work or diagnosis of malfunctions. The nature of the work may require operation of motor vehicles and power-driven equipment, including heavy equipment.

Minimum Qualifications

Promotional:

Two (2) years of permanent non competitive class status in the title of Maintenance Worker I.

Open Competitive:

- A. Three (3) years of work experience, or its part-time equivalent, in maintenance and repair which relates to water treatment plant or industrial process and mechanical equipment (such as pumps, valves, air compressors) and/or other water or wastewater system infrastructure and equipment; or,
- B. Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered college or university with an associate's degree in Mechanical Engineering Technology or related field and one (1) year of work experience, or its part-time equivalent, in maintenance and repair which relates to water treatment plant or industrial process and mechanical equipment (such as pumps, valves, air compressors) and/or other water or wastewater system infrastructure and equipment; or,
- C. A one (1) year certification from a regionally accredited college or university in a mechanical, electrical or industrial trades curriculum or completion of a trades apprenticeship in a similar field and two (2) years of work experience, or its part-time equivalent as outlined in (B).



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How to Apply

Internal candidates: If you meet the minimum qualifications and are interested in applying for the position, **please complete a Request for Transfer/Promotion as well as an Onondaga County employment application. All forms are due to Human Resources by 4:00 p.m. on October 18, 2023.**

External candidates: To apply please visit www.ocwa.org and fill out the general employment application. Applications will be reviewed until the position is filled.

OCWA is a civil service agency under the jurisdiction of the Onondaga County Personnel Department. Hiring is in accordance with Onondaga County and New York State civil service regulations. For full job specification and more information about civil service please visit www.ongov.net/employment/.

About OCWA

OCWA is an innovative water industry leader. Our team is composed of a dedicated, professional workforce that is committed to providing customers with a safe, reliable, and economical water supply. We proudly serve over 340,000 residential and commercial customers located in our five-county service territory including Onondaga, Oswego, Madison, Oneida, and Cayuga.

OCWA provides equal employment opportunities (EEO) to all employees and applicants for employment without regard to race, color, religion, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, national origin, age, disability, genetic information, marital status, amnesty, or status as a covered veteran in accordance with applicable federal, state and local laws. OCWA complies with applicable state and local laws governing non-discrimination in employment in every location in which the company has facilities. This policy applies to all terms and conditions of employment, including, but not limited to, hiring, placement, promotion, termination, layoff, recall, transfer, leaves of absence, compensation, and training.