

The City of Mt Shasta invites applications for the position of Mechanic or Senior Mechanic

The City of Mt. Shasta is accepting applications for the position of Mechanic or Senior Mechanic, depending on applicant qualifications. This is a full-time position, which works a Monday through Friday, 7:00 AM to 3:30 PM schedule. Compensation is \$22.89 to \$27.69 per hour, depending on experience. Benefits include a generous City contribution to a Cafeteria Plan with two health plans to choose from. One plan has no deductible, and the other includes a City funded health savings account. Both can include vision, and dental if you choose, and there is also supplemental insurance available. The position receives P.E.R.S. 2% at 62 (new members) or 2% at 55 (classic members) retirement plan, 12 holidays per year (96 hours), sick leave (8 hours/month), bereavement leave (40 hours/year) and vacation days, which accrue monthly at a rate that increases with tenure (80 to 160 hours). There is also a clothing and tool allowance. In addition, the City has several employee-funded deferred compensation plans available.

Under the general direction of the Public Works Supervisor, the position performs skilled mechanical work in the inspection, regular maintenance, servicing, diagnosis and repair of all city vehicles and equipment. This includes light duty cars and trucks, snowplows, loaders, backhoes, dump trucks, police vehicles, fire trucks, vacuum truck, street sweeper, sewer flusher and small engines. In addition, the position is responsible for keeping detailed maintenance and expense records, and purchasing necessary parts and supplies for repairs and inventory. The position also participates in snow removal activities, so must be available to occasionally work nights, weekends, and holidays.

The ideal candidate will possess the ability to accurately diagnose problems and make repairs in a timely manner. They will also have a solid background and working knowledge in electrical and electronic principles, hydraulics, and high-pressure water systems. The candidate needs to be able to weld both steel and aluminum and have basic metal fabrication skills. In addition, the person must be able to operate a variety of shop equipment including hand and power tools, welders, torches, jacks, presses and electronic diagnostic equipment.

Candidates must possess a Class B California Driver's License or be able to obtain one within one year. They must also have the ability to follow oral and written instruction and work cooperatively with others.

Applications and resumes must be submitted to City Hall, Attn: Human Resources. The position is open until filled with the first review anticipated to be around April 19, 2024. Resumes will not be accepted without a completed application. The final candidate must successfully pass a pre-employment background and drug screen.