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## **The City of Mt. Shasta invites applications for the position of Wastewater Plant Operator I – II**

The City of Mt. Shasta is accepting applications for the position of Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator I - II. This is a full-time position with compensation of \$22.88 to \$27.69 per hour, depending on experience. Benefits include a cafeteria plan for health, dental and vision insurance and the City covers the cost of the monthly premium. Employees may choose to participate in two plans for employee, employee plus children or employee plus family. 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), and vacation days, which accrue monthly at a rate that increases with tenure (80 to 160 hours). The City also has two employee-funded deferred compensation plans available.

The new tertiary treatment facility, using an activated sludge process with ultraviolet disinfection, sits in a forested area above the beautiful Sacramento River, southeast of Box Canyon Dam and Lake Siskiyou and just outside the city limits of Mt. Shasta. Surrounded by views of the Eddies Mountains and majestic Mount Shasta, the wastewater treatment plant is home to blue herons, Canada geese, ducks and an occasional a pair of swans. Such environs will provide for a unique worksite and working conditions for the successful candidate.

The Wastewater Plant Operator position is under the supervision of the Chief Plant Operator and is responsible for assisting with a variety of activities at wastewater treatment facilities in order to maintain safe and proper wastewater quality. An example of some of the position's duties include inspecting and troubleshooting facility and equipment problems, collecting samples, conducting laboratory tests, performing safety tests, and interpreting and recording data. Working in inclement weather and working a flexible schedule will be required, including emergency stand-by duty. This position will also be required to operate a variety of heavy and light equipment, be detail-oriented, and have an understanding of the operations of a wastewater treatment plant.

The ideal candidate must possess a valid Class B California Driver's License and a California Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator Grade I Certification or have the ability to obtain both within one year of appointment,. The candidate will also have the ability to follow oral and written instruction, and work cooperatively with others. This individual must be available to occasionally work nights, weekends, and holidays, and may be involved in snow removal activities.

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 May 15, 2023. Resumes will not be accepted without a completed application. The final candidate must successfully pass a pre-employment background, physical and drug screen.