



## Water Treatment Operator

The Village of Wilmette is seeking to fill a full-time position for Water Treatment Operator in the Water Management Department. The person in this position works under the direction of the Assistant Director of Water Management.

### General Responsibilities:

The person in this position is responsible for a variety of manual and automated tasks in the maintenance and operation of the Village's water supply system to include record keeping, performing basic water analysis, operating filtration, purification, and pumping equipment and tools. Specifically, this position will operate and carefully monitor the water treatment equipment, the Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) system, and adjust the controls of valves, pump motors, chlorinators, filters, chemical feeders and clarifiers as necessary. The motors are gas or diesel driven with electrically operated pumps. This position is responsible for removing, installing and performing repairs to water plant mechanical, electrical and plumbing equipment. Additional responsibilities include working a rotating shift schedule, and participation in the On-Call Specialist program will be required if selected; to include performing any other related duties as directed.

### Position Requirements:

The successful candidate will have a high school diploma or equivalent, and a minimum of three years of experience in the operation and maintenance of boilers, switches, circuit breakers, pumps and motors and related equipment; or an equivalent combination of training and experience will be considered. Computer, plumbing, mechanical and electrical experience is strongly desired. The candidate must be able to lift up to 25 pounds regularly and up to 50 pounds on an infrequent basis. The successful candidate must have a Class "A" State of Illinois Water Supply Operator's license, or must obtain the license within two years of employment. The candidate must be able to work alone for extended periods of 8 hours or more.

### Compensation and Benefits:

The salary range for a candidate who already possesses a Class "A" license is \$74,328 to \$98,629 with a starting salary between \$74,328 and \$78,888. The salary range for a candidate who does not possess a Class "A" license is \$66,149 to \$87,779 with a starting salary between \$66,149 and \$70,210. Benefits include participation in the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF), medical, dental and vision coverage, life insurance, and voluntary participation in a deferred compensation program (457 plan).

### Selection Process:

The successful candidate must be prepared to undergo a pre-employment physical examination that includes a back evaluation, drug and alcohol screening, audio and vision tests, psychological evaluation, background investigation, and a driver's license records check with the Secretary of State's Office.

**An initial review of employment applications will occur on Friday, January 3, 2020.** Interested candidates should complete an employment application which may be downloaded from the Village's employment opportunities webpage at [www.wilmette.com/government/employment.aspx](http://www.wilmette.com/government/employment.aspx) and submit it along with a cover letter electronically to [HumanResources@wilmette.com](mailto:HumanResources@wilmette.com). Paper submissions will not be accepted. The position will remain open until filled.