Operation and Maintenance Technician

The Lower Platte South Natural Resources District is seeking a qualified and motivated individual to join our team as an Operation and Maintenance Technician. In this role, you will be responsible for overseeing the maintenance of the District's public use areas, providing technical support for operation and maintenance work crews, and ensuring the efficient implementation of various projects. If you have a strong background in maintenance management, project evaluation, and weed control, we encourage you to apply.

https://www.lpsnrd.org/about/employment

Competitive salary (ranging from \$48,983 to \$66,398) based on experience, accompanied by a comprehensive benefits package.

To be considered please submit a cover letter and resume to Al Langdale at <u>jobs@lpsnrd.org</u> or to the following address by noon on Friday, February 2, 2024.

Lower Platte South NRD Attn: Al Langdale P.O. Box 83581 Lincoln, NE 68501-3581

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN (Dams)

DESCRIPTION: Under the general supervision of the Operation and Maintenance Coordinator, the employee will carry-out the operations and maintenance required of District equipment, facilities, and properties.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES/RESPONSIBILITIES: (A position may not be assigned all the duties listed, nor do the listed examples include all the duties that may be assigned.)

Oversees the maintenance of the District's public use areas.

Provides technical support for operation and maintenance work crews.

Conducts annual and other inspections of completed projects, recording and documenting findings. Evaluates the need for maintenance or repairs, the type of maintenance, investigates alternatives and costs, and the scheduling and procedures for accomplishing the maintenance.

Maintains NRD dam database.

Assists in implementation of District weed control program and performs weed control on District projects through either mechanical and/or chemical application. Obtains necessary training and is responsible for securing all required permits.

Prepares and provides the necessary operation and maintenance of equipment and materials for state work crews.

Solicits and oversees maintenance contracts and bidding for mowing and construction projects as directed.

KNOWLEDGE OF: Maintenance, construction, inspection techniques, repair and operation methods of vehicles, heavy equipment, facilities, and property of the District.

ABILITY TO: Supervise and direct the work of others. Prioritize and complete required duties in a timely manner with limited supervision and understand instructions. Acquire state certification for the application of pesticides. Proficiency in Microsoft Office Suite.

SKILL IN: Construction, carpentry, mechanical techniques and methods, pesticide application, operation of equipment and resource management.

Must have a valid Nebraska Drivers License.

Physical: Must be able to lift 25-50 pounds from ground level to chest. Able to work outdoors in all types of conditions.

Position Classification: Full-time/salary/option to receive overtime or compensatory time.