

CITY OF ABBEVILLE

The City of Abbeville is currently accepting applications for a qualified **Wastewater Plant Operator**. Positions of this class are responsible for the operation and maintenance of wastewater treatment equipment, together with collecting of samples, conducting laboratory tests, reflecting status of treatment by maintaining records of operations as required regulations and for identifying operational flows and defects in the operating systems and components. The employee of this class works around unpleasant odors, various chemicals, and in varying weather conditions.

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TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS

Graduation from high school or GED equivalent including or supplemented by courses in chemistry or equivalent course work; three years' experience in the operation and maintenance of wastewater treatment facilities or related experience, or any equivalent combination of education, training and experience accepted under the Louisiana State Operator certification law. Applicant must be a registered voter.

NECESSARY SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Maintain a functional telephone in his/her residence. Must possess a Class B CDL license and be able to pass the Class III Wastewater Treatment examination for permanent certification as administered by the State of Louisiana within two years after appointment or allocation to this position.

POSITION WILL BE OPEN UNTIL FILLED