

LEAD ELECTRICAL HELPER

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DEFINITION

Under direction leads and performs electrical and general construction work related to the construction, repair and maintenance of overhead and underground electrical transmission and distribution systems; performs other related work as required.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES

1. Oversees, monitors and participates in electrical and general construction work related to the construction, repair and maintenance of overhead and underground electrical transmission and distribution systems and street light systems.
2. Oversees maintenance of tools and equipment.
3. Maintains various time, work, equipment, and supplies records.
4. Reads and interprets plans and diagrams.
5. Drives and operates specialized vehicular equipment.
6. Provides direction and training for assigned employees.

EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS

Education/Experience

Any combination equivalent to education and experience likely to provide the required knowledge and abilities. A typical way to obtain the knowledge and abilities would be:

Education: Graduation from high school.

Experience: Two years of skilled or lead capacity experience in electrical and general construction work related to overhead and underground electrical transmission and distribution systems construction, repair and maintenance.

Knowledge

Knowledge of modern practices and procedures in electrical and general construction work related to overhead and underground electrical transmission and distribution systems and street light systems construction, repair and maintenance; related materials, tools and equipment; safe work practices and procedures.

Ability

Ability to effectively schedule, oversee, monitor and participate in electrical and general construction work for assigned overhead and underground electrical transmission and distribution systems and street light systems construction, repair and maintenance projects; operate specialized vehicular equipment and other applicable tools and equipment; read and interpret plans and diagrams; maintain accurate records; communicate effectively; establish and maintain effective working relationships with employees and the general public; provide direction and training to assigned employees.

Special Requirements

Willingness and/or ability to respond to after-hours emergency calls as required.

Other Requirements

Possession of a valid Class A State of California Driver=s License (or possession of a valid Class C license at the time of employment and the ability to obtain Class A within six months of employment) and a satisfactory driving record as a condition of initial and continued employment. Employees in positions requiring a Class A license are subject to provisions of the Department of Transportation=s drug and alcohol testing program.