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WATER TREATMENT SUPERVISOR

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(Exam Open to Current City Employees)

ANNUAL SALARY

\$102,583 to \$108,304 and \$113,775 to \$120,122 Candidates from the eligible list are normally appointed to vacancies in the lower pay grade positions.

NOTES:

- For information regarding reciprocity between the City of Los Angeles departments and LADWP, go to http://per.lacity.org/Reciprocity_CityDepts_and_DWP.pdf.
- The current salary range is subject to change. You may confirm the starting salary with the hiring department before accepting a job
- Candidates from the eligible list are normally appointed to vacancies in the lower pay grade positions.

DUTIES

A Water Treatment Supervisor assigns, reviews, and evaluates the work of a group of employees engaged in the operation, regulation, maintenance, and repair of equipment and facilities used in the treatment, and disinfection of water; applies sound supervisory principles and techniques in building and maintaining an effective work force, and fulfills equal employment opportunity responsibilities.

REQUIREMENT

Four years of full-time paid experience as a journey level or lead Water Treatment Operator with the City of Los Angeles.

NOTES:

- 1. Only applicants that are currently or have previously worked in the Department of Water and Power in DDR Numbers 93-58108, 93-58137, 93-58101 or 93-58138 and meet the above noted requirements qualify to take this examination. Time spent as a Water Treatment Operator in temporary training DDR Number 93-58109 does not count toward this requirement.
- 2. A valid T4 (or higher) Water Treatment Operator license and a valid D1 (or higher) Water Distribution Operator license issued by the California Department of Health Services are both required at the time of appointment. Future examination bulletins may require a higher level Water Distribution Operator license at the time of appointment.
- 3. Applicants who lack six months or less of the required experience may file for this examination. However, they cannot be appointed until the full experience requirement is met.
- 4. Some positions may require a valid California driver's license. Candidates may not be eligible for appointment to these positions if their record within the last 36 months reflects three or more moving violations and/or at-fault accidents, or a conviction of a major moving violation (such as a DUI).

WHERE TO APPLY

Applications will only be accepted on-line. When you are viewing the on-line job bulletin of your choice, simply scroll to the the page and select the "Apply" icon. On-line job bulletins also available of at http://agency.governmentjobs.com/lacity/default.cfm?promotionaljobs=1 for Promotional Examinations.

NOTE:

Applicants are urged to apply early to ensure you have time to resolve any technical issues you may encounter.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Applications must be received by FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2015.

SELECTION PROCESS

Examination Weight: Essay	 Advisory
Interview	

The examination will consist entirely of an evaluation of professional and personal qualifications by interview. In the interview, emphasis may be placed on the candidate's experience, training and professional development as they have provided the knowledge of: principles, operation and maintenance requirements of water treatment equipment; the use of the main control computer system applications; principles of chemistry and biology relating to proper sampling methods, data interpretation, and performance of basic laboratory tests; principles and practices of water treatment for distribution pipelines, reservoirs, and biological growth control in reservoirs; Cal/OSHA and other regulatory requirements related to working in confined spaces and around chemical and hazardous materials, or on mechanical and electrical equipment; supervisory principles and practices such as, assigning and reviewing work, training, handling grievances, employee relations, progressive discipline, and equal employment opportunity; the ability to: operate, perform minor repairs, and develop and maintain a preventive maintenance program for water treatment or filtration equipment; inspect water treatment facilities; interpret and apply City personnel policies; plan, organize, and schedule the work of a group of employees; maintain stocks of chemicals and supplies; communicate technical and non-technical information orally in a clear and effective manner to a wide variety of individuals; deal tactfully and effectively with others; prepare clear and concise reports; and other necessary skills, knowledge, and abilities.

At the time of the interview, candidates will be required to prepare some written material in response to a problem related to the duties of a Water Treatment Supervisor. This material will not be scored separately, but will be presented to the interview board for consideration in the overall evaluation of the candidates during the interview. Candidates must complete the advisory essay. Those who do not complete the advisory essay will not be considered further in the examination, and their application will not be processed.

Candidates will be notified by e-mail of the date, time, and location of the interviews, which will be held in Los Angeles. It is anticipated that interviews will begin during the period of **JANUARY 4**, **2016 TO JANUARY 15**, **2016**.

NOTES:

- 1. As a covered entity under the Fair Employment and Housing Act and Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Los Angeles does not discriminate on the basis of disability and upon request, will provide reasonable accommodations to ensure equal access to its programs, services, and activities. To request a disability accommodation, please complete the Disability Accommodation Form within 14 calendar days of the submittal of the City application. The Disability Accommodation Form can be obtained at https://per.lacity.org/exams/verify_disability.pdf.
- 2. Applications are accepted subject to review to ensure that minimum qualifications are met. Candidates may be disqualified at any time if it is determined that they do not possess the minimum qualifications stated on this bulletin.
- 3. A final average score of 70% is required to be placed on the eligible list.
- 4. Seniority credit at the rate of 0.25 of a point for each year of continuous service will be added to the weighted test score of each candidate.
- 5. You must have received a regular appointment to a City position or be on a reserve list to file on a promotional basis.
- 6. If in accordance with the Rule of Three Whole Scores all applicants are eligible for appointment consideration, the examination will consist entirely of an evaluation of the candidates' City applications by Personnel Department staff to ensure that the minimum qualifications have been met.
- 7. In accordance with Civil Service Rule, Sec. 4.24, review periods may be combined. Candidates in the examination process may file protests as provided in Sec. 4.20, 4.22 and 4.23 as applicable and within the required time frame; however, the Personnel Department may respond to and resolve protests prior to the establishment of the eligible list.

THIS EXAMINATION IS TO BE GIVEN ONLY ON AN INTERDEPARTMENTAL PROMOTIONAL BASIS

The City of Los Angeles does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, national origin, sex, age, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, disability, creed, color, ancestry, medical condition (cancer), or Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome.

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