



# CHEROKEE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

## WEB Job Posting

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<b>Job Title:</b>	Wastewater Operator	<b>Open Date:</b>	Wednesday, July 28, 2010
<b>Posting No.:</b>	201001	<b>Close Date:</b>	Wednesday, August 03, 2010
<b>Salary Range:</b>	\$15.00 - \$16.50/hr DOQ		

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The Cherokee Metropolitan District has one opening for the position of Wastewater Operator. The incumbents will perform the full-range of semi-skilled and skilled duties involved in the operation, maintenance and repair of the District's Black Squirrel Wastewater Treatment Facility, wastewater lift stations and water replacement basins. In addition, incumbents will perform general facility maintenance and landscaping duties. Responsibilities will include but are not limited to:

- Operate and adjust controls on treatment plant and lift station equipment and machinery, including: valves, pumps and motors.
- Assist lab technician in the collection of wastewater and sludge samples and perform field/laboratory tests and analyses to identify chemical, physical and/or biological characteristics of wastewater.
- Collect and document data from plant charts, gauges and other instrumentation; perform calculations to ensure proper plant operations; maintain operation records and files reports as needed in accordance with local, state and federal guidelines and/or requirements
- Operate facility centrifuges and direct the sludge cake to the appropriate roll off and evenly load the roll off for transport to designated disposal location.
- Monitor water replacement basin operations and functions; make necessary control adjustments to ensure proper operation of the facility.
- Conduct routine and special maintenance, including: equipment repair; calibration and adjustment.
- Other duties as assigned

### **Knowledge, Skills and Abilities**

- Strong attention to detail & legible handwriting
- Knowledge of wastewater treatment/collection process and the operation, maintenance and repair of related equipment
- Biology, chemistry and mathematics related to wastewater treatment processes
- Excellent interpersonal skills & communication (written & oral)

### **Minimum Qualifications**

- High-school diploma or GED
- Colorado Class D Wastewater Treatment Certification
- One year experience and progressive responsibility working at a wastewater treatment facility or in the field of wastewater treatment and collection
- Colorado Class C Wastewater Treatment Certification is desirable or ability to obtain within 12 months
- Valid Driver's License with an acceptable Motor Vehicle Record
- Aptitude for operating tools & equipment

Interested applicants should submit their resume and letter of interest to Sean Chambers or Art Sintas no later than 5:00 p.m. on the close date.