



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR

**One position available at either a grade III, IV or V
\$33.30/Hr – \$56.43/Hr
plus benefits**

The District is located in the town of Oak View, 13 miles inland from Ventura. Casitas serves approximately 3,000 direct customers and supplies other water agencies from the west end of Ventura, through the Ojai Valley and along the Rincon area. Its main source of water is Lake Casitas, which is operated as a recreational facility and offers camping, boating, fishing, hiking, picnicking and a water playground facility.

THE POSITION:

The Treatment Plant Operator is responsible for performing routine tasks and duties related to the operation of Casitas treatment facilities, dam and SCADA systems including performing assigned treatment plant rounds, analyzing data, operating and maintain surface water and groundwater treatment facilities including multimedia filters, wells, pumps, motors, chemical feeds and other equipment. Operates distribution SCADA and makes independent decisions regarding pumping schedules and tank levels. Monitors water quality by performing laboratory tests. Employees will assume shift operations and standby duties. One position is available at either a Grade III, Grade IV or Grade V level.

POSITION REQUIREMENTS:

Knowledge of principles, methods, and practices of water treatment. Basic principles of reservoir limnology and watershed management. Three years experience operating a potable water treatment facility and valid Grade III or higher Water Treatment Plant Operator Certificate and possession of a valid Grade II or higher Water Distribution Operator Certificate. CPR/First Aid certificate and a valid California driver's license with a good record. Basic computer skills including the ability to utilize word processing, spreadsheets, databases, email and internet. Must be able to follow oral and written instructions of job functions and safety requirements and establish and maintain effective relationships with others. Must be able to work on a standby basis.

EDUCATION: High School diploma.

BENEFIT INFORMATION:

Medical Insurance: Casitas offers three health insurance plans through the Association of California Water Agencies Joint Powers Insurance Authority.

Dental Insurance: The District provides dental insurance for employees and their dependents.

Life Insurance: Life insurance coverage is provided and paid for by the District.

Vision Coverage: The District provides vision care for employees and dependents.

Vacation: Accrues at the rate of 8 hours per month; increasing with length of service.

Holidays: 11 paid holidays

Sick Leave: Accrues at the rate of 8 hours per month

Deferred Compensation Plan: Employees may voluntarily elect to defer a percentage of their salary on a pre-tax basis for investment purposes. The District has two Deferred Compensation Plans to choose from.

Retirement: Membership in the California Public Employees Retirement System (CalPERS): Under the Public Employees' Pension Reform Act, employees meeting the definition of "New Members" will be enrolled in the 2% at 62 Plan. Employees meeting the definition of "Classic Members" will be enrolled in the 2% at 60 Plan. Employees also participate in Federal Social Security.

Flexible Spending Accounts: Employees have the opportunity to participate in Flexible Spending Accounts for pre-tax dependent daycare and unreimbursed medical expenses.

Supplemental Benefits: Employees have the opportunity to purchase supplemental benefits via payroll deduction from Aflac.

APPLICATIONS:

Job descriptions and application can be obtained at www.casitaswater.org

Please send your application and resume to:

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