Two Great Opportunities to Join the City of Portage la Prairie

Have you ever thought about where your tap water comes from or where it goes? Have you ever wondered who is responsible for ensuring you have immediate access to clean drinking water and who is responsible for ensuring the wastewater is safe to return to the environment?

These behind-the-scenes people play a vital role in maintaining public and environmental health within the region. Water Treatment and Wastewater Treatment experts both have the crucial task of guaranteeing the consistent operation of systems, effective treatment of potable water, and preventing any negative impact on the health of our local ecosystems.

The City of Portage la Prairie has immediate openings for a permanent full-time (40 hours per week) Water Treatment Operator and a permanent full-time (40 hours per week) Wastewater Treatment Operator. The successful applicants for these 2 positions will have a valid MB class 5 driver's license, a grade 12 education or GED and a minimum of 2 years post-secondary education in the Water or Wastewater Treatment, Sciences, Civil Engineering Technology, Environmental Studies, or related fields. The ideal candidate will have excellent mechanical aptitude and skills and a commitment to continued education to obtain class 4 certification.

The City of Portage la Prairie offers an extensive benefits package, a great pension/retirement plan, generous compensation for on-call duty, with a starting hourly rate of \$27.72 to \$37.76 per hour (dependent upon qualifications, experience, and certification).

To apply, please submit your cover letter and resume to hr@city-plap.com. Cover letter should indicate if you have a preference for water, wastewater or either.

For more information on the requirements needed to achieve a Province of MB Class 4 certification go http://www.gov.mb.ca/sd/eal/certification/info_cert.pdf. For a detailed job description please email hr@cty-plap.com or go to the City's website at www.city-plap.com. We thank all applicants for applying; however, only those being considered for an interview will be contacted