

Greater Vancouver Regional District

Position Description: CONSTRUCTION WORKER I / II (G774 / G775) Nov. 2006

Purpose: Under the direct supervision of senior construction staff, performs a wide variety of semi-skilled and unskilled tasks that assists in the construction, upgrade, repairs and tie-ins to GVRD utilities.

Duties: *(The duties described are representative of the position and are not all-inclusive.)*

Level I:

Performs general labour tasks.

Operates hand and small power tools.

Assists journeymen in their daily tasks.

Pickup and deliveries of material and equipment

Works in compliance with all Corporate, Departmental and Divisional safety programs and procedures and also WorkSafe BC regulations.

May be required to work within a confined space.

Assists in utility construction work such as sewer and water tie-ins, pipeline installation, underground chambers etc.

Performs simple survey requirements.

Additional Duties for Level II:

Assists in the development of safety documents.

Requirements for Construction Worker I and II:

Grade 12 education or equivalent training and experience.

Ability to operate small hand tools and small power equipment, pneumatic or hydraulic tools.

Must have a clear understanding of safe work practices on a construction work site in accordance with the Corporate, Departmental and Divisional safety programs and procedures, and the WorkSafe BC regulations.

Physically capable of performing manual and labourer construction duties.

Able to work in an outdoors environment for extended periods.

Proven commitment to working within a team.

Ability to communicate effectively both verbally and in writing.

Must be able to deal effectively with the public.

Valid BC Class 5 Driver's License.

Additional Requirements for Level II:

Minimum 2 years construction experience.

Supplementary courses in basic pipefitting, basic surveying, basic estimating, basic safety training or basic industrial coatings would be an asset; or equivalent training and experience.

NOTE: An incumbent in the Construction Worker I classification will progress to Construction Worker II after completing two consecutive years in the classification or by recommendation of the Construction Superintendent.