

## Surface Water Treatment Plant Operator (TCEQ Class C)

Wellborn Special Utility District

Brazos County, Texas

Wellborn Special Utility District is seeking a motivated and dependable Surface Water Treatment Plant Operator to assist with the operation and maintenance of the District's surface water treatment facility. This position plays a critical role in ensuring the delivery of safe, reliable drinking water in compliance with all federal and state regulations.

The ideal candidate will possess a TCEQ Class C Surface Water Operator License (or equivalent certification from another state eligible for Texas reciprocity) and have experience in water treatment plant operations, mechanical systems, and regulatory compliance.

### Pay Range

\$21 – \$30 per hour, depending on qualifications and experience.

### Schedule

4/10 schedule (four 10-hour days per week)

### Benefits

The District offers a competitive benefits package including:

- Health Insurance
- Dental and Vision Insurance
- Life Insurance
- Paid Time Off (PTO)
- 403(b) retirement plan
- Paid licensing and continuing education coursework

### Essential Duties and Responsibilities

- Operate and monitor surface water treatment plant equipment including pumps, chemical feed systems, filters, clarifiers, and related facilities.
- Monitor plant performance and water quality through laboratory sampling and testing.
- Record operational data including flows, chemical dosages, pressures, and other regulatory monitoring parameters.
- Adjust treatment processes to maintain compliance with TCEQ and EPA drinking water regulations.
- Conduct routine inspections of treatment plant equipment and systems.
- Perform preventive maintenance and minor repairs on pumps, motors, valves, and treatment equipment.
- Respond to alarms and operational issues to maintain continuous plant operation.

- Collect water samples, perform laboratory analysis, and maintain accurate operational logs.
- Occasionally assist with distribution system operations as needed, including pump stations, storage facilities, and pressure zones.
- Maintain plant grounds, buildings, and equipment in a safe and orderly condition.
- Participate in emergency response activities including severe weather events.
- Maintain compliance with all safety policies and procedures.

#### Minimum Qualifications

- TCEQ Class C Surface Water Operator License or equivalent certification from another state eligible for reciprocity.
- High school diploma or GED.
- Basic mechanical aptitude and ability to operate treatment plant equipment.
- Ability to perform laboratory testing and maintain accurate operational records.
- Ability to read gauges, meters, and instrumentation.
- Valid Texas driver's license (or ability to obtain).
- Clean driving record.
- Clean criminal record.

#### Preferred Qualifications

- Experience operating a surface water treatment plant.
- Knowledge of coagulation, flocculation, sedimentation, filtration, and disinfection processes.
- Familiarity with SCADA systems and automated control systems.
- Knowledge of TCEQ drinking water regulations.
- Basic electrical, mechanical, or instrumentation experience.

#### Physical Requirements

- Ability to lift up to 50 pounds.
- Ability to work around treatment chemicals and mechanical equipment.
- Ability to climb ladders, work outdoors, and stand or walk for extended periods.
- Ability to respond to plant alarms or operational needs as required.

Qualified candidates interested in the position should send a resume to [mgregory@wellbornsud.com](mailto:mgregory@wellbornsud.com). Please call 979-690-9799 with any questions.