



2500 Lake Avenue, Village of Lakewood, IL 60014  
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The Village of Lakewood, IL is recruiting a full-time position within the Public Works, Utilities Division; Utilities Operator. The Public Works Department maintains 35 miles of streets, 26 miles of water main, 29 miles of sanitary sewer and 7 sewer lift stations. Two water treatment plants, two water towers and a Class II wastewater treatment plant.

Lakewood is a dynamic, growing community and conveys a small-town atmosphere with charm; but minutes from major commercial and retail stores. The successful candidate will have an opportunity for growth and advancement within the Public Works Department.

### **Utilities Operator**

This position performs a variety of skilled work, some technical, in the monitoring, operations and maintenance of the Wastewater Treatment Plant and the Sanitary Sewer Collection System, as well as assist with Water Treatment and Distribution Operations and Maintenance. Exercise technical and functional supervision over departmental employees. This position reports to the Director of Public Works or designee.

This position primary function is to operate and maintain the Villages Wastewater Treatment Plant. Other duties as assigned; such as Infrastructure repairs to both the water, sanitary and storm sewer systems as well as plowing snow

### **Minimum requirement**

- High school diploma or equivalent,
- Must possess an Illinois Class "B" commercial driver's license with Air Brake and Tanker Endorsement with good driving record
- EPA Class III Wastewater Treatment Works Operator; or have the ability to obtain within a year
- Four years of increasingly responsible experience in the operation and maintenance of Wastewater or Water Treatment Operations and Maintenance

Applicants for this position must be willing & able to respond to emergencies after normal work hours, and work overtime as needed. Reliable attendance, punctuality and availability are essential to this position.

Salary Range Base; \$64,480 to \$72,000 annually; plus overtime.

The Village of Lakewood is an Equal Opportunity Employer. In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act

Submit application and resume with cover letter to [hr@village.lakewood.il.us](mailto:hr@village.lakewood.il.us)

Position open until filled

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