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[» Apply Now](#)**Title** Operations Service Worker 3**Department** Engineering Operations**Job Status** Regular Full Time**Posting Status** Accepting Applications**Employment Group** CUPE**Job ID** 19-161

**Nature & Scope of Work** This is maintenance, construction and ditching work, primarily in the agricultural areas. The incumbent will work with hired equipment and assist a supervisor in implementing an annual drainage and irrigation program. The incumbent responds to complaints and emergencies received from farming community and takes appropriate action, as well as completing various programs and requests assigned by the superintendent. An incumbent in this position exercises independence of action and judgement in troubleshooting and resolving problems.

The incumbent must have considerable knowledge of the practices, methods, materials, tools and equipment, as well as the occupational hazards and proper safety practices associated with agricultural ditching. He/she must also have a good working knowledge of Delta's Master Utility Specifications and underground utility systems.

An incumbent must communicate effectively with their foreman/superintendent to ensure that they are aware of all work requests/complaints and their current status. The incumbent may direct and supervise the work of others. Customer service is an important aspect of this work and tactful, diplomatic, and persuasive communication with the public and farming community, external agencies and co-workers is expected.

**Required Knowledge, Skills and Abilities** An incumbent will perform a variety of tasks including, but not limited to the following:

- Assist in job site setup to ensure the safety of the public, fellow staff and hired equipment
- Understand the best practices of agricultural drainage maintenance in and around fish bearing watercourses
- Ability to develop and apply new and improved work methods and techniques.
- Ability to perform skilled pipe-laying work.
- Ability to maintain all records relating to the position e.g. Service Work Orders.
- Considerable knowledge of methods, techniques, materials, tools, and equipment used in agricultural drainage maintenance
- Ability to lay out, direct, check and participate in the work of subordinates performing skilled and semi-skilled manual construction or maintenance tasks.

**Required Licences, Certificates and Registrations**

- A valid BC Class 5 Driver's Licence for the Province of British Columbia
- Completion of Secondary School or equivalent

**Safety Requirements** Incumbents are required to follow all applicable Safe Work Procedures, participate in Occupational Health & Safety training, meetings and to report any hazards in the workplace.

**Hours of Work** 40 hour work week**Pay Grade** 108**Pay Rates** 29.04**Posting Date** 9/18/2019**Posting Closing Date** 9/25/2019[» Apply Now](#)