



TOWN OF GANDER
Journeyperson Mechanic
Competition # TOG2024-010

The Town of Gander is currently accepting applications for a full-time permanent Journeyperson Mechanic position within the Planning and Public Works Department.

POSITION DESCRIPTION

Journeyperson Mechanic installs, maintains, troubleshoots, and repairs machinery. This includes fabricating, welding, operating, installing or repairing design products such as motors, instruments, control panels, and other machines.

MAJOR DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES

Diagnose, repair, overhaul, maintain and services vehicles and heavy equipment owned or operated by the municipality, ensuring continuous effort to improve operations, decrease turnaround times, and streamline work processes; Test mechanical products and equipment after repair or assembly to ensure proper performance and compliance with manufacturers' specifications; Read and understand technical service manuals; Diagnose faults or malfunctions to determine required repairs, using engine diagnostic equipment such as computerized test equipment and calibration devices; Inspects machines at intervals, for worn or damaged parts according to maintenance schedule for each machine; Writes reports indicating data pertaining to the nature and extent of repairs; Repairs or replaces broken or worn parts using mechanics hand/power tools and welding equipment; Installs accessories such as lights, back racks, radios and GPS for Town requirements as per OEM specifications; Execute preventative maintenance program; Disassembles engines and examines parts for defects and excessive wear replacing parts as required; Verifies dimensions of parts (i.e. shafts, bearings, bushings, pins, gears, and rollers) by gauging or measuring with calipers or micrometers to ensure compliance with manufacturers specifications; Overhauls or replaces auxiliary equipment such as carburetors, generators, distributors, starters, pumps, and hydraulic systems; Welding and machine work as required; Other duties as required.

WORKING CONDITIONS

Ability to meet the physical demands of the job, including ability to lift 50 lbs (22Kgs); Hazards associated with the trade; Working indoors and outdoors in all types of weather; Subject to call in or to remain on the job for emergencies; Work with and control pedestrian and vehicle traffic; Exposed to elements such as noise, dust, odors, fumes and oils; Physical dexterity required includes but is not limited to walking, bending, kneeling and lifting; Manual dexterity is required to operate and calibrate field equipment, tools, and computer peripherals; Demonstrated ability to work with minimal supervision, coordinate/plan work and function as part of a team; Exceptional customer service skills with a strong sense of public service and cooperation, and well-developed abilities to deal with the public and citizens' groups; May be exposed to construction sites.

EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS

Completion of high school or equivalent; Valid Journeyperson Mechanic's Certificate from the Provincial Department of Education or equivalent; Minimum of three (3) years' work experience; Valid Class 3, 5, 8 and 9 driver's license and a driver's abstract is required; Standard First Aid/CPR Certification; Suitable inventory of mechanic tools to be supplied by the mechanic for personal use; Clear certificates of conduct including a RCMP Criminal Record Check and a Provincial Court Check is a condition of employment; Medical clearance certificate is a condition of employment.

SALARY: Unionized position - \$32.36/hour – 40 hours/week

Interested and qualified applicants are invited to submit their **cover letter and resume** on or before
Monday, September 2, 2024, to the attention of:

Human Resources
Town of Gander
100 Elizabeth Drive
Gander, NL, A1V 1G7

Email: humanresources@gandercanada.com

Please note: The Town of Gander appreciates all applicants for their interest, however, only individuals selected for interviews will be contacted.