

**ELECTRIC DIVISION
ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT
LINEWORKER A
LOCAL #482**

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Reports to: Lineworker-in-charge

JOB SUMMARY

This is skilled work of journeyman level position performing skilled tasks in accordance with standard trade practices in the maintenance, repair and construction of electric underground and overhead distribution facilities, sub-transmission facilities, transmission facilities and related electrical equipment.

Work includes performing as a trouble-call worker seeking to restore electrical service to customers in the event of unusual problems. Work requires working with primary and secondary lines, sometimes under adverse weather conditions.

Work is performed following all City safety practices, rules, regulations and policies.

Work is normally performed under the directions of a Lineworker-In-Charge and is subject to inspection while in progress and upon completion.

ILLUSTRATIVE JOB DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Constructs, maintains and repairs underground and overhead electric distribution and transmission systems; including activities of installing poles, crossarms, anchors, underground conduit, wire, transformers, switches, arrestors, insulators, regulators, breakers, structures, lighting and other electric related devices.

Serves as trouble-call worker and works independently to make emergency repairs to restore electrical service to customers; calls for assistance if necessary; provides emergency stand-by service in evenings and on weekends.

Install and replace customer service drops. Performs reconnects and disconnects of customer services.

Assists with instructing and training of apprentices and other new employees.

Work in a manner that all City safety rules, regulations and policies are followed.

Occasionally assist with line clearance activities.

Performs related work as required.

MINIMUM JOB REQUIREMENTS

High school graduate or GED equivalent and have completed a recognized lineworker apprenticeship program. Must have an understanding of construction and maintenance of electric underground and overhead distribution facilities, sub-transmission facilities, transmission facilities and related electrical equipment.

Knowledge of the principles involved in the operation of transformers, regulators and similar electrical devices and equipment.

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Demonstrated ability to climb utility poles and work efficiently in climbing hooks.

Ability to understand and follow oral and written instructions and work effectively with other employees.

Ability to work with the public in a courteous and professional manner.

Must possess and maintain a valid State of Michigan driver's license with appropriate CDL certification.

PHYSICAL/MENTAL/VISUAL DEMANDS

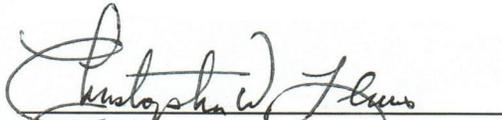
Mental, visual, and manual dexterity for sustained periods of time.

Exposure to intermittent elements.

Moderate manual labor. Work involves walking, shoveling, pushing, pulling, climbing, sitting, kneeling, lifting, twisting, stooping and squatting on a regular basis. Overhead work and elevated work routinely required. Lifting up to 50-75 lbs. and exerting force from 50-100 lbs. routinely required. Climbing poles, ladders and working in confined spaces routinely required.

Mental agility to solve moderately complex programs.

High degree of accuracy required.



Christopher W. Lewis Date
Director of Human Resources

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature of the work being performed by employees assigned to this classification. They are not intended to be construed as an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties, and skills required of personnel so classified.