



NIAGARA COUNTY JOB POSTING

DATE POSTED: 9/14/26 DEADLINE: 9/27/26

POSITION TITLE/ #: Water Treatment Plant Operator/Trainee #13502 (*Non-Residents May Apply)

POSITION CLASS: Competitive - Mandatory eligible list

PAY RATE: \$24.39 - \$27.40 (Trainee) WEEKLY HOURS: 40

DEPARTMENT/DIVISION: Niagara County Water District

WORK LOCATION: 5450 Ernest Road, Lockport, NY 14094

POSTINGS FOR CURRENT EMPLOYEES:

If this is a competitive class position, in order to apply for transfer, you must have permanent competitive status, have completed your probationary period, and be in the same or comparable title (as determined by Civil Service) as this position. Current eligible lists will also be used to fill positions. For questions about title comparability, please contact Civil Service at 716-438-4071 or civilservice@niagaracounty.com.

STATUS FOR CURRENT EMPLOYEES: Permanent

Submit letter of interest and resume to:

NAME: Send electronically to: Jennifer H. Bieber, Administrative Director

ADDRESS: jennifer.bieber@niagaracounty.gov

POSTINGS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC:

STATUS FOR PUBLIC CANDIDATES: Permanent

DESCRIPTION: For a complete job description and minimum requirements please visit:
https://niagaracounty.com/Employment/Job_Specs_for_Civil_Service_Positions.php

This is a trainee position in the competitive class for which candidates are selected on the basis of general intelligence, basic knowledge of elementary chemistry and general science and mechanical aptitude. Term of appointment is limited to eighteen (18) months, during which time employees shall be required to satisfactorily complete the training and experience requirements of the New York State Sanitary Code for a Class II A Water Treatment Plant Operator certificate. If the employee fails to obtain a Grade II-A certificate within this traineeship, his/her employment will be discontinued. Trainees who receive their Grade II-A certificate automatically will be promoted to the Water Treatment Plant Operator title without further examination and will not be required to complete the full traineeship.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Graduation from high school or possession of an equivalency diploma.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

1. In order to receive a temporary, provisional, or permanent appointment, all candidates must undergo and pass a physical/fit test required under 29 CFR 1910 of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration Labor Code of Federal Regulations.

2. Possession of a valid New York State Motor Vehicle License is required at time of appointment and for the duration of employment.

***Must live within the territorial boundaries of the Niagara County Water District. Non-residents must move within 6 months of being hired.**

Apply electronically at: <https://niagara-portal.mycivilservice.com/> or submit paper applications to: Niagara County Human Resources, 111 Main Street – Suite G2, Lockport, NY 14094

Applications, Job Specifications, Job Postings & Exam Announcements can be found here:
<https://niagara-portal.mycivilservice.com/>

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