

Career Opportunities: Construction Technician

Starting pay: \$35.71 - \$39.73 hourly

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Join SoCalGas today and share our vision of becoming the cleanest natural gas utility in North America. Headquartered in the heart of downtown Los Angeles, we deliver affordable and increasingly renewable energy to 22 million customers across central and Southern California. We currently have opportunities for individuals to perform a range of independent services related to Gas Distribution as a Construction Technician.

We are looking for mechanically inclined and tool-oriented individuals who have an aptitude for maintenance and construction within the Gas Distribution Organization. With pay starting at \$35.71/ hr. we are offering a full-time opportunity as a Construction Technician that will prepare you for a career with SoCal Gas. *Current openings are at various locations*. This is a DOT position

Successful candidates will be responsible for following established safety procedures and Company guidelines to perform a wide range of physical and semi-skilled work associated with the operation maintenance and construction of the Gas Distribution system.

Job Duties and Responsibilities:

On some assignments, maintains natural gas regulator stations and performs plastic pipeline joining, Installs Pressure control equipment and operates those that are two inches smaller. Digs and back-fills excavations using manual and/or powered tools and equipment. Inspects, identifies maintains and operate basic types of mainline pipeline valves. Assembles, alters, rebuilds, tests, and repairs, meter set assemblies and restores service to appliances. Will be required to perform leak surveys. Connects, operates and maintains tools and works with other groups as needed.

Minimum Qualifications:

- Successful candidates must possess a valid California driver's license and a safe driving record.
- Must possess a minimum of one (1) year of experience involving mechanical, or construction skills.
- Must pass pre-qualification examinations: mechanical pipeline test battery, physical abilities test, structured interview, pre-employment drug screen and a security background check.
- All incumbents participate in the D.O.T. random drug testing program.



Preferred Qualifications:

- Experience in Plumbing/Technical Trade Certificate in maintenance or utility programs.
- Welding pressure control and the ability to perform basic installation, repair, and maintenance on pipeline facilities.
- Leadership ability and customer contact skills.

Other:

Physical Demands

Will be required to work on-call on a rotating basis and will be required to work emergency callouts and be able to work occasional extensive hours.

Frequent lifting and/or carrying of objects weighting 50 pounds or more with lifting objects in excess of 100 pounds as required. This job requires a very significant level of physical strength and endurance needed to effectively and safely perform the job duties as listed above (e.g., upper body/lower body/torso/back strength).

Tools and training are furnished by the Company. Employees are represented by a bargaining unit.

Benefits

SoCalGas offers a comprehensive, flexible benefits program to help support employees both personally and professionally. These benefits include, but are not limited to:

- Competitive wages
- Medical, dental and vision packages
- 401K match
- Pension Plan

We also offer tools and resources through SoCalGas University, our career development center.

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