

Telecommunications Manager

Chicopee Electric Light (“CEL”), a municipal electric utility in Chicopee, Massachusetts is seeking a dynamic individual to lead its fiber optic broadband efforts. The utility currently leases dark fiber to customers and third party providers throughout the City. Chicopee Electric Light is planning a phased approach to provide high speed fiber services (internet and voice) to business and residential customers.

The Telecomm Manager will be responsible for managing and overseeing CEL’s start up of the fiber to the premise venture. These responsibilities include:

- Work with third parties to design, purchase equipment and construct the fiber optic network.
- Hiring and management of personnel to run the department.
- Development of network policies and procedures.
- Implementation of fiber broadband business plan.
- Overseeing the voice and internet service offerings

The ideal candidate must have bachelor’s degree in engineering or equivalent experience. A minimum of 7-10 years experience in the fiber optic and communications industry is required. Potential applicants should possess excellent communication skills and have the ability to communicate with all levels of employees within the company. Management experience and the ability to manage large scale telecommunications projects are essential. Interested candidates should send their resume and references to Human Resources at Chicopee Electric Light. blemanski@celd.com. 725 Front Street P.O. Box 405 Chicopee MA.

Substation Maintenance Technician

Chicopee Electric Light is currently seeking a Substation Maintenance Technician to operate and maintain the station and distribution equipment. Under the direction of the Substation foreman, install, maintain, repair, test and adjust electrical equipment and machinery for the purpose of generating electrical power. Install and wire switchgear, controls, relays, transformers, circuit breakers and charging equipment; clear short circuits; make electrical tests on various S/S equipment and cables, tag and switch power lines. Perform property maintenance, wireless fire alarm system maintenance, minor radio system maintenance, R.F. I investigations, periodic inspection and maintenance as well as emergency repairs. This position will also perform Electric Station Operator Attendant shift work as required.

The successful candidate should have 3-5 years practical experience in station maintenance and an associate degree in Electric Technology or related field.

Send resume to Human Resources, Chicopee Electric Light, 725 Front St., Chicopee, Ma 01020

Or email to blemanski@celd.com

