

Join the Southwest Water Authority Team!

Position: Water Distribution Maintenance Worker II Location: Elgin, ND or Dickinson, ND: Full-Time

The Southwest Water Authority (SWA) is seeking a dedicated Maintenance Worker II to support the upkeep and functionality of the Southwest Pipeline Project (SWPP)—a vital water delivery system serving municipal, rural, and industrial customers across the region.

Scope of Work: This position involves a wide range of activities focused on the maintenance and repair of the SWPP infrastructure, including pump stations, reservoirs, distribution lines, and related systems. You'll be part of a mission-driven organization managed by a 15-member Board of Directors, committed to delivering clean, reliable water across southwest North Dakota.

Key Responsibilities:

- Maintain and service pumps, motors, valves, generators, and related equipment.
- Assist with valve exercises, reservoir maintenance, and generator testing.
- Support electrical, telemetry, and cathodic protection systems.
- Perform facility upkeep including snow removal, mowing, and basic building maintenance.
- Inspect contractor work involving SWA systems; locate and mark pipelines.
- Track spare parts usage and maintain digital maintenance records.
- Read and adjust flow meters and pressure-reducing valves.
- Perform rural water hookups and assist with system troubleshooting.

What We're Looking For:

- Strong mechanical aptitude and willingness to learn technical systems.
- Ability to work both independently and as part of a team.
- Respect for safety procedures and SWA policies.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills.
- Familiarity with utility systems or field service work is a plus.

Why Join Us? At SWA, you'll be making a real difference in people's daily lives. We offer a supportive environment, opportunities for growth, and the chance to be part of a resilient infrastructure project that serves our region for generations to come.

Apply now and help keep water flowing in southwest North Dakota.

Benefits include employee paid health insurance, NDPERS retirement, and life insurance, long term disability. Vacation, and sick leave based on years of service. Safety bonus and wellness benefits, and optional deferred compensation retirement plan.