

Job Description

Journeyman Lineman

Title: Journeyman Lineman

Department: Line Crew

Reports to: Line Foreman

FLSA Status: Non-exempt, Hourly

Position Summary:

Constructs, maintains, and operates overhead and underground distribution lines and substations and keeps informed on and complies with all safety policies, procedures, rules and regulations. The scope and duties of a given position may change or be temporarily altered based on the business needs of BEC.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

- Construct and maintain dead or energized overhead and underground lines
- Operate diggers, bucket trucks, hand tools near and around electrical distribution lines
- Locate underground cable faults for repair
- Ensures trucks, tools and assigned equipment are used properly and kept in good working order
- Patrols lines checks for defective materials, equipment or unsafe
- Inspects work after completion ensuring it has been done in accordance with applicable specifications and codes
- Observes all safety rules

Skills and Qualifications:

- High school diploma or equivalent
- Journeyman's certificate
- Electrical power distribution coursework preferred
- Valid Wisconsin Class A commercial driver's license (CDL), current or obtained within 15 days following the date of employment, and maintained during the period of employment
- CPR and First aid certification
- Must be able to climb and pass pole top rescue

Environment/Working Conditions:

- Ability to work in outdoor weather conditions, including potential inclement and extreme conditions
- Ability to exert heavy physical effort (lifting, pulling, climbing, etc.)
- Ability to work irregular hours including nights, weekends and holidays
- Ability to work overtime
- Ability to serve on-call rotation as assigned

Residency Requirement:

- Within 90 days of hire, must reside at a primary permanent residence within 20 minutes of the BEC office in Iron River, Wisconsin

Other:

- Employment is contingent on passing required physicals, which includes drug testing