Company Description

Shell is a global group of energy and petrochemicals companies with over 90,000 employees in more than 70 countries and territories. In the US, we have operated for over a century and are a major oil and gas producer onshore and in the Gulf of Mexico, a recognized innovator in exploration and production technology, and a leading manufacturer and marketer of fuels, natural gas and petrochemicals. We deliver energy responsibly; operate safely with respect to our neighbors and work to minimize our environmental impact. We are in search of remarkable people who will thrive in a diverse and inclusive work environment to deliver exciting projects locally and globally. People who are passionate about exploring new frontiers. Innovators and pioneers. People with the drive to help shape our future. Because remarkable people achieve remarkable things.

Job Description

The successful candidate will be committed to the Safe, Clean, Reliable and Efficient operation of Shell Southern California products pipeline systems, SJV Pipeline and Station Assets. The successful candidate will perform general pipeline and pump station maintenance activities. This includes interfacing with and directing the work of contractors.

Duties will include but not limited to:

- Responsible for the on-going maintenance and housekeeping of pipeline systems and pump stations; which includes but not limited to monitoring oil levels and operations of pumps, checking packing and leaks on station equipment, inspecting and reporting issue of integrity of tanks, mixers, valves, and gauges, utilize the station monitor system to run an operation assessment to ensure station is running with standards, and perform all required site inspections within specified timelines.
- Right-of-way maintenance and inspection to ensure accessibility, operability, and security; conducting regulator inspection on mainline block valves, maintaining pipeline markers, and reporting right-of-way access issues for maintenance.
- Responsible for completing regulatory documents and manuals and ensure they are on site.
- Lead/direct contract workers in support activities such as general maintenance, construction, vacuum trucks, pigging activities.
- Conduct standby activities for third party damage excavation when working around Shell pipelines to ensure 3rd party compliance with Shell standards and pipeline regulations.
- Required to work with Asset Integrity group in assisting with running smart tools, purging pipeline systems and performing pipeline repairs.
- Opening of pipeline systems for installation and removal of internal pipeline cleaning and inspection tools.
- Actively support and participate in the LEAN processes, audits, inspections, and other Pipeline Initiatives.
- Complete and stay in compliance with all Operator Qualification and HSSE training.

This position is considered an "individual contributor" position; however, there will be situations where it is necessary to lead contractors, inspectors and field personnel in the execution of maintenance work. Additionally, much of the work is self-driven; teamwork is a must within this group. The position will be on a team supporting 250 miles of pipeline and 8 Terminals within the Los Angeles Basin.

This position covers a large area and wide range of equipment. This position requires up front planning to execute tasks safely in areas that may involve high traffic.

The successful candidate is expected to meet the level of proficiency of a Pipeline Technician within a reasonable period of time on the job dependent on the experience they bring to the role. Once proficient, they will be expected to develop secondary skills in order to provide relief to Gaugers or Right-of-Way Technician and support in their own continuous development.

Requirements

• 2 years’ experience working as a Terminal, Depot, or Pipeline Operator preferred
• Experience working in Construction or Mechanical related trade is an asset
• Experience demonstrating safe work practices and compliance in a hazardous work environment
• Have a strong working knowledge of hand tools, power tools, and construction activity such that they have the ability to monitor and oversee 3rd party activities
• Required experience in conducting Job Hazard Analysis
• Preferred experience in obtaining and issuing Work Permits
• Preferred experience in applying Lockout/Tag Out
• Preferred experience overseeing and influencing 3rd party contract workers
• Must have proficiency in working on a computer, using standard operating programs, and entering information into systems
• Must be proficient in planning, coordinating, and executing preventative and reactive maintenance programs
• Must be proficient in performing preventative maintenance, troubleshooting, and making minor repairs to valves and pumps or other facility assets
• Must demonstrate written and verbal communication skills required to work well and influence others
• Must have demonstrate experience working in an environment which requires multi-tasking and the continuous re-prioritization of work tasks due to the demand of keeping the systems operational
• Daily activities may include heavy lifting, bending, kneeling, squatting, crawling, standing, walking on uneven ground, climbing, twisting, pulling and pushing
• Report to work whenever requested, and work extended hours if required, including holidays.
• Be available/on-call for emergency response and reactive maintenance activities
• Be available for night shift as necessary
• Work outdoors in adverse weather conditions in summer and winter, as well as working and driving in highly congested traffic areas on city streets
• Must be able to respond to emergencies within 60 minutes
• Require high school diploma or equivalent; prefer AA degree in Process Technology or Industrial/Mechanical field
• Must have a valid driver’s License
• Must be able to obtain a TWIC card
• Must be able to obtain Hazardous Materials Certification
• Must be able to obtain a HAZWOPER/OPA First Responder Certificate
• Must be able to meet the requirements to obtain a Forklift Operator Certification

Instructions on how to apply:

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• Once you have found Explore our current opportunities, select Downstream Supply Chain and click on the image of the magnifying glass. This will pull up all Operations and Craft openings
• Search for: Pipeline Technician - Carson, CA
• Scroll down to the bottom of the selected posting and click on View Job -- opens in new window this will take you to the page where you may apply for the position

Candidates must complete and submit an on-line application form, together with an up-to-date resume. First-time users of the Shell system are required to validate their email. During the application process, candidates will answer questions that help us look at profiles and resumes in a structured way. After the application is submitted, an email is generated to inform the candidate it was successfully received. All candidate correspondence will be conducted electronically via the email they supply with their application.

To be considered, all candidates must submit their resume and application online. No walk-in, telephone, or mail expressions of interest will be accepted.

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