

**Date Posted: May 23, 2013**

**Employment Opportunity  
External Posting**

**Apprentice Lineman  
Electric – PW Department  
Full-Time**

**Overview** - *Position Description is available on the City Website.*

The apprenticeship-training program involves semi-skilled maintenance and construction work on the 130MW municipal electric utility system serving approximately 15,000 residential, commercial, and industrial customers. The Apprentice Lineman shall assist in construction and maintenance of overhead and underground 35kV transmission, 12kV distribution, and distribution substations.

**Requirements**

The City is seeking a mid-level Apprentice Lineman. Applicants must have successfully completed a certified Pole Climbing program (ALBAT preferred). The position requires a high school diploma or equivalent with strong mechanical aptitude and dexterity, in addition to the ability to perform difficult and hazardous assignments under harsh conditions, i.e., severe weather and varying environments. A minimum of three years electrical or construction experience is preferred. Applicants must be able to lift up to 75 pounds and be able to work at heights of at least 50 ft. Applicants must also be willing to respond to emergency calls 24 hours a day, 7 days a week and carry a wireless communication device.

In addition, candidates must possess a valid CDL or acquire one within 6 months of hire. Residency within the boundaries as defined by the IBEW collective bargaining agreement must be maintained after 1 year (see attached). If selected, successful completion of a background check, physical, functional capacity evaluation, and drug screen are required.

**Salary**

Salary for this position is based on the IBEW collective bargaining agreement and depends on qualifications. Excellent benefit package provided.

**Application Instructions**

Please apply on line at [www.stcharlesil.gov](http://www.stcharlesil.gov) by **4:30 PM on Friday, June 14, 2013**. Thoroughly complete the employment application including salary history. Resumes should be attached in the on-line application. Any additional documents can be sent to [hr@stcharlesil.gov](mailto:hr@stcharlesil.gov). If you are unable to apply online, or for other assistance, please contact 630-377-4415.

The City of St. Charles is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

**IBEW Residency Boundaries:**

Commencing at the center of the intersection of Route 20 and IL Route 59 proceed westerly along Route 20 to Plank Road (Kane County Route 22 and 38), continuing west along Plank Road to County Line Road, continuing south along County Line Road to the Union Pacific Railroad tracks, continuing northwesterly along the Union Pacific Railroad tracks to the northerly extension of South Kincaid Street (on the west side of Maple Park), continuing southerly along South Kincaid Street extended southerly to IL Route 38, continuing southeasterly along IL Route 38 to County Line Road, continuing southerly along County Line Road to Perry Road (Kane County Route 4), continuing easterly along Perry Road to Harter Road, continuing southeasterly along Harter Road to Lorang/Dugan Roads, continuing south along Lorang/Dugan Roads to Route 30, continuing east on Route 30 to IL Route 56, continuing easterly along IL Route 56 to Galena Boulevard, continuing easterly on Galena Boulevard to Orchard Road, continuing northerly along Orchard Road to Indian Trail Road, continuing easterly along Indian Trail Road to IL Route 31, continuing northerly along IL Route 31 to I88, continuing easterly along I88 to IL Route 59, continuing northerly along IL Route 59 to Route 20, also including the City of West Chicago that is westerly of County Farm Road.