

***Town of South Kingstown
Wastewater Division
Wastewater Operator II***

The Town has an opportunity for an experienced Wastewater Operator to join the team at the Wastewater Treatment Facility. This position, referred to as the Chief of Operations, performs the duties of a foreman on a daily basis and is in charge of the treatment plant in the absence of the Wastewater Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent. The Operator II is responsible for process control of the entire plant, assigning operating staff to the liquid and solids handling systems, performing routine plant testing program and research work and providing the Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent with information on treatment status and process efficiency, as well as some administrative tasks as needed.

The ideal candidate will have a high school diploma or equivalent with additional course work as required by the RI Wastewater Board of Certification as well as a minimum of three (3) years of experience at a wastewater treatment facility as a plant operator holding a Grade II or higher State of RI Wastewater Operator's License. Candidates with a Grade III license are preferred. Those without a Grade III license will be required to obtain one issued by the RI Board of Certification of Operators of Wastewater Treatment Facilities within twelve (12) months of hire. In addition, the WW Operator must have a valid RI Driver's license with a CDL Class B endorsement, or the ability to obtain one, within three (3) months of hire. This position is considered essential and must be available for all shifts and during emergency events.

The starting salary for this 40-hour/week Council 94 position is \$46,806 or \$22.50 per hour and includes a full benefit package. To apply, please submit an application, cover letter and resume to: jobs@southkingstownri.com or by mail to Personnel Administrator, Town Hall, 180 High Street, Wakefield, RI 02879. Applications are available for download on our website www.southkingstownri.com, and hard copies are available at Town Hall. Application materials will be accepted until Thursday, August 24, 2017 or until position is filled.