

City of Bridgeport, Public Works Director

The City of Bridgeport is accepting applications for newly-created position of Public Works Director, key leadership position. Under the guidance of the Mayor and City Council, the Public Works Director manages the Electric, Water, Wastewater, Solid Waste, Street, and Park, department, with possible management oversight of other departments. The qualified candidate will have the necessary education, certification, licenses, and skillset to ensure compliance with federal, state, and local regulations to provide routine, safe operations of all public works.

The ideal candidate has knowledge and understanding of utility systems and treatment, paving and street repair, pool and park operations, management principles including personnel management, workforce control and budget, and utility financing principles, among other associated skillsets. The candidate should easily convey knowledge to others through good written and oral communication, have a high degree of computer and organizational skills, and be self-motivated to plan, organize, and direct work objectives. The candidate must be able to obtain State certification for water and wastewater within one (1) year. The candidate is expected to oversee and manage multiple individuals.

This is a salaried position, with a competitive salary being offered dependent on experience and qualifications, which may include incentive pay for reaching or exceeding objectively measurable goals set for the department. A full benefits package is included with the position. The successful applicant must pass a pre-employment drug test.

Interested candidates may obtain an application packet with instructions by emailing a request to dhuck@cityofbport.com with the subject line "Public Works Director Application". Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. The City of Bridgeport is an Equal Opportunity Employer. This position is subject to Veteran's Preference.