Public Works & Utilities

The department manages multiple infrastructure systems, asset groups, and environmental compliance activities. It is the City’s largest department with 858 positions, an annual operating budget of $255 million, and nearly $1.7 billion in Capital Improvement Program projects through 2025. There are 12 funds and 24 division budgets that support annual activities.
The Position

The primary work function of this position is to oversee the coordination of schedules and construction progressions for major capital projects. Projects will include the Northwest Water Treatment Facility and the Biological Nutrient Removal project. Combined, these projects represent $1 billion dollars in investment.

Supplementary work in civil or mechanical engineering coordinating contracted public infrastructure projects, which generally includes supervision of project inspectors and managing project budgets. Projects generally include construction of sanitary sewers, water mains, storm sewers, site grading, street pavement, and sidewalk.

Work is directed and reviewed through the establishment of goals and subsequent evaluation progress toward goal attainments.
Required Experience and Training

Bachelor’s degree in civil or mechanical engineering, with preference for the civil discipline. An equivalent combination of experience and training may be considered. Preference for persons with experience using PrimaVera P6 or other advance construction scheduling and tracking software applications. Offers of employment are contingent upon passing a pre-employment physical, which includes drug screening, and upon satisfactory evaluation of the results of a criminal records check.

To Apply
governmentjobs.com/careers/wichita

Application Deadline
December 8, 2020

“The City needs a motivated and experienced engineer capable of managing large capital projects.”
Wichita Metro Area Facts and Numbers

- Population 390,000 and 645,000 in the metro area
- 1,000+ restaurants
- 33 museums
- 22 art galleries
- 35 golf courses
- 100 miles of bicycle paths
- 30 annual festivals
- 11 local breweries
- 7th largest zoo in the United States
- 225 days of sunshine
- Pollution index is 95% better than the national average

“Wichita is a premier community for opportunity”