ORKNEY ISLANDS COUNCIL

Public Lighting Operative

Orkney Mainland

At a glance:

Grade: E
Salary: As per advert

Allowances:

- Distant Islands Allowance, where applicable
- Standby/On call Allowance

Job Purpose:

As part of a team, undertake the maintenance of public lighting installations and associated infrastructure, and carry out the inspection and testing of electrical systems and appliances.

For application support contact **hrsupport@orkney.gov.uk** or call **01856 873535 ext.2250**

Benefits and Support

34 days annual leave, increasing to 39 days over 5 years, inclusive of Public Holidays (pro-rata)	Supported to work and earn whilst achieving qualification
Local Government Pension Scheme	Maternity, Paternity and Sick Pay
Comprehensive induction process	Employee Assistance Programme

Main Duties and Responsibilities

As part of a team, undertake the installation and maintenance of street columns, control gear and other street furniture. This will include setting out of work in relation to the construction of public lighting installations.
Installation and replacement of lanterns, brackets, system controllers and other control gear, and associated electrical circuits.
Inspection and testing of street lighting and associated electrical circuits and equipment.
Inspection and testing of emergency lighting, fire alarm systems, portable appliances (PAT) and other general electrical duties associated with building construction and maintenance.
Driving and operation of specialist vehicles, for which training will be required.
Operation of a range of specialist electrical equipment, powered hand tools and powered light plant.
Completion of inspection reports.
Completion of timesheets, plant sheets and job cards and all other associated paperwork.
Ensure the safety of yourself, other members of the workforce and the general public.
As appropriate, wear uniform or protective clothing.

Responsibilities for All

Embody the Council Values of Accountable, Reliable, Considerate and Collaborative.	Participate in team meetings, 1 to 1s, supervision and good conversations process
Handle all information in confidence and in line with Data Protection requirements	Comply with the Council Employee Code of Conduct
Work safely to prevent risk to yourself and others	Comply with relevant professional body codes of practice/conduct
Ensure Equality, Diversity and Inclusion	Any other duties appropriate to your grade
Undertake mandatory and relevant training and development	Where required Support the Council’s emergency response

Skills and Requirements

Must have

SVQ Level 3 Installing Highway Electrical Systems, or equivalent.
17th edition Wiring Regulations certificate.
Certificate in Electrical Council ERG39.
Electrical Industry knowledge and experience.
Knowledge of the 18th edition Wiring Regulations.
Full and current Category B Driving licence.
Requirement to achieve and hold a full and current Category C1 driving licence within two years of appointment to post.

Requirements of the Role

Disclosure/PVG:	Level 1	Convictions to Declare:	Current
Politically Restricted Post:	No	Sponsorship:	No
Work Additional Hours:	No	Term Time Post:	No