

CAREER OPPORTUNITY



CANADIAN NIAGARA POWER INC.

A FORTIS ONTARIO
Company

JOURNEYPERSON POWERLINE TECHNICIAN

Looking for a career in which you can perform one of the nation's most important jobs for an employer who truly cares about your knowledge and contribution?

Canadian Niagara Power Inc. (CNPI), located in beautiful Fort Erie, is looking for a motivated, safety-focused problem-solver with a positive attitude to set up and maintain power lines that keep electricity flowing into the homes and business of our over 24,800 customers.

Under the general direction of the Lines Supervisor, the Journeyman Powerline Technician will be responsible for the maintenance, troubleshooting, and construction of overhead and underground distribution lines. This position is part of a team who constructs, repairs, maintains, and performs live line work on overhead/underground electrical distribution lines at voltages of up to 115,000v.

What this role does:

- Install, maintain, or repair power lines that keep the lights on for our customers.
- Identify defective devices, voltage regulators, transformers, and switches.
- Inspect and test power lines.
- String power lines between poles, towers, and buildings.
- Climb poles and transmission towers and use truck-mounted buckets to get to equipment.
- Operate power equipment when installing and repairing poles, towers, and lines.
- Provide training to junior team members as required to maintain a safe and skilled crew.
- Foster positive relationships amongst team, company, and customers.
- Comply and be familiar with all industry standards and work practices, operating rules, regulations, as well as all pertinent OHSA regulations.
- Be able and willing to respond to work for unplanned events such as car accidents, storms, fires, and any emergencies.
- Perform regular on-call duties as assigned.
- Perform other duties as reasonably assigned.

What makes you a successful candidate?

- Live or be willing to relocate within twenty (20) minutes of the Fort Erie service center to better respond to emergencies and on-call duties.
- Certified as a Journeyman Powerline Technician through the industry recognized training program or equivalent. Must be licensed to work in Ontario.
- Must possess a valid Ontario "Restricted" AZ driver's license or the ability to obtain one within six (6) months to operate the vehicles handled in this position. Must maintain a clean driving record.
- Must be physically able to perform the essential duties in all weather conditions.
- General knowledge of line materials, trade related practices/standards and operating rules and regulations.
- Good communication (verbal and written) skills as well as the ability to establish and maintain an effective working relationship with co-workers, customers, and industry partners.
- Must have an excellent safety record, and commitment to ongoing high standards of safety.
- Must work effectively in a team environment and follow instructions from supervisor and peers.
- Thorough understanding of equipment, standards, and practices applicable.
- Ability to think critically and analytically with strong problem solving and decision-making skills.
- Unrelenting commitment and passion to safety, ethics, and continuous improvement.

If you are looking for to make a direct impact on the success and satisfaction of a company and its customers, while being part of a collaborative and dynamic team with an attractive compensation package – **go ahead and apply!**



Submit your cover letter and resume in pdf to HR@FortisOntario.com by **May 3, 2021.**

Indicate "CNP-JPLINES" within the subject line.

Visit www.cnpower.com to learn more.

We thank all respondents, however due to volume we will only contact those selected for an interview.

Canadian Niagara Power Inc. (CNP) together with FortisOntario, is committed to nurturing a positive, professional, and equal opportunity workforce. In accordance with the Ontario Human Rights Code and the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, we are equipped to accommodate individual needs identified to us throughout our hiring process.