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Water Treatment Plant Operator

Who We Are:

AVANTech, a rapidly growing technology company with extensive experience in the design, fabrication, and operation of water and wet waste treatment equipment for government and commercial clients., is seeking a full-time **Water Treatment Plant Operator** interested in joining our team at **McEntire Produce** in **Columbia, SC**.

Who You Are:

The successful **Water Treatment Plant Operator** candidate will be responsible for the operation and maintenance of an offsite water treatment system where activities will include the following duties and responsibilities:

A Day in the Life:

- Start up and shut down of equipment as directed.
- Monitor equipment for optimum operational efficiency.
- Collect water samples and perform frequent routine laboratory analyses, record results.
- Weekly system cleaning and maintenance.
- Refill, clean, re-calibrate and assist in the maintenance and repair of laboratory and other plant equipment and instruments.
- Monitor and perform routine upkeep of pumping systems.
- Calculate feed rates and recovery percentages; adjust water flow and chemical feeds as necessary to maintain balance.
- Perform frequent plant and equipment inspections to ensure safe and proper operations; detect operational and mechanical problems; perform and/or request equipment maintenance and repair work as needed.
- Perform on-site tests to ensure discharge compliance.
- Prepare and maintain accurate and complete records and reports as required.
- Monitor, receive and stock supplies and materials necessary for daily operations.
- Perform general building and grounds maintenance tasks as required.

What Will Set You Up for Success:

- Three plus (3+) years of previous wastewater or water treatment operations experience.
- Valid driver's license required.
- Experience with reverse osmosis, ultrafiltration, and multi-media technologies is preferred.

- Minimum education requirement is a high school diploma or equivalent.
- Manufacturing environment experience preferred.
- Requires lifting to 50 lbs., sitting for extended periods, standing for extended periods of time, reading, and walking.
- Ability to work with multiple priorities.
- All candidates must be able to pass drug test, pre-employment physical, and background investigation.

Benefits of Working at AVANTech:

- Medical, dental, vision, disability, and life insurance with employer contributions
- 401(k) savings plan with employer match
- Generous paid time off and holidays

Job Type: Full-time, hourly, non-exempt

Schedule: First shift, determined by plant needs Monday – Friday. On-call and weekend work required, as well as assistance in the event of an outage.

Wage Range: \$22/hour – \$27/hour based on experience, skill level, and certifications.

To apply, send resume, cover letter, and salary history to: tfranklin@avantechllc.com

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