

The Town of York is currently seeking any interested applicants for the P/T position of Water Treatment Plant Operator Trainee involving the daily responsibilities and routine operation/maintenance of a municipal water system.

The position is approximately 20-25 hours per week with an hourly rate of \$25.00. Applications and a job description may be found online at www.yorkny or in person at the Town Clerk's office, 2668 Main Street York, NY 14592

All applications must be received by Friday, May 31st, 2024.

WATER TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR TRAINEE

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: This is a Trainee position involving learning the duties, responsibilities and routines involved in the operation and maintenance of a water treatment plant. The successful applicant will have a basic knowledge of science and elementary chemistry. A good knowledge and/or aptitude in the following areas is highly desirable; plumbing, electrical and mechanical systems. The incumbent will undergo on-the-job training to become qualified as a Water Treatment Plant Operator and will assist in all aspects of the operation and maintenance of a water treatment plant. An employee in this class is required to satisfactorily complete the training and experience requirements of the New York State Department of Conservation for certification appropriate for the appointing authority's facility/facilities where they will be working. The work will be performed under the direct supervision of a licensed Water Treatment Plant Operator. A Water Treatment Plant Operator Trainee does related work as required.

TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:

- Performs study and reading assignments, observes demonstrations and otherwise learns the techniques of operation and maintenance of a water treatment plant;
- Learns the techniques of operation and maintenance of the water treatment plant;
- Learns and assists in the operation and adjustment of pumps, valves, and related mechanical equipment;
- Learns and assists in the inspection, maintenance, and repair of pumps, valves, and related mechanical equipment;
- Learns and assists in the making of physical tests of water for color, odor and taste;
- Learns and assists in the making of chemical tests of water for alkalinity residual and chlorine;
- Learns and assists in regulating and adjusting chlorinators and other chemical feeders, washing filters and settling basins;
- Learns and assists in the preparation and maintenance of activity records and reports;
- Performs increasingly responsible duties as assigned in the operation and maintenance of a water treatment plant;
- Performs housekeeping duties as required in all areas of the facility; and
- Performs other related duties as assigned.

FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES, AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:

Basic knowledge of plumbing, electric, overall mechanics, basic chemistry and general science; familiarity with elementary principles of chemistry and general science; ability to learn principles and procedures relating to operation and maintenance of the facility; ability to develop skill in the operation and maintenance of pumps, valves, and related mechanical equipment; ability to get along with others; ability to understand and follow oral and written instructions; ability to communicate effectively both orally and in writing; ability to perform activities in a variety of environments, temperatures, and weather conditions; mechanical aptitude; basic keyboarding and computer skills including a knowledge of Microsoft Word and Excel; physical condition commensurate with the demands of the position.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Applicants must meet all requirements described in the following table in order to be approved for examination and/or appointment:

Qualification Option #	1
Training/Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Possession of a high school diploma or a high school equivalency diploma.
General experience	<input type="checkbox"/> None required.
Supervisory experience	<input type="checkbox"/> N.A.
License/Certification	<input type="checkbox"/> Possession of a valid New York State driver's license. (If required to drive.)
Other requirements	<input type="checkbox"/> See Special Qualifications below.

SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1.) An appropriate driver's license must be maintained throughout employment, if required to drive by appointing authority.
- 2.) A driving record evidencing safe and responsible vehicle operation is required, if required to drive by appointing authority.
- 3.) Must authorize and execute any necessary releases to enable the appointing authority to verify licensure and driving history involving violations and/or crimes, if required to drive by appointing authority.
- 4.) Licensure and certificates must be maintained in good standing throughout employment.
- 5.) An employee in this class is required to satisfactorily complete the training and experience requirements of the New York State Department of Conservation appropriate for the facility where they will be working.

SPECIAL NOTE: This is a trainee position in the competitive class.

To be promoted without further examination to a position as a Water Treatment Plant Operator, a candidate must:

1. Serve a minimum of one year as a Water Treatment Plant Operator Trainee;
2. Be appointed from a certification of eligibles to the position of Water Treatment Plant Operator Trainee;
3. Receive satisfactory ratings as a Water Treatment Plant Operator Trainee; and
4. Attain Water Treatment Plant Operator certification appropriate for the appointing authority's facility/facilities.

NOTE: The appointing authority is responsible for verifying the appointee's special qualifications at appointment and throughout employment.

Water Treatment Plant Operator Trainee – C in all divisions
 Water Treatment Plant Operator Trainee – NC- Part-time, Towns

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LIVINGSTON COUNTY APPLICATION FOR EXAMINATION OR EMPLOYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY. IF YOUR APPLICATION IS NOT PROPERLY COMPLETED, IT WILL BE DISAPPROVED.

1. **Fully Completed.** An application must be completed fully. If a field is not applicable, write "NA." If additional forms are required, an application is not complete without such completed forms.
2. **Deadline for Submission.** Applications must be received by the stated deadline to be accepted. Late applications will be disapproved. An application is "received" when:
 - a. It is actually received by the Livingston County Personnel Office within normal office hours (8 AM - 4 PM), whether delivered, faxed, or emailed; or
 - b. As of the United States Postal Service postmark date on the mailing envelope.Applications placed under the office door or emailed after hours are deemed received the next business day. Faxes actually received after hours are deemed received the next business day. Applications sent by interoffice mail are received when actually received.
3. **Exam Fees.** Exam fees must be paid by cash or money order. Exam fees or fee waiver forms should accompany the application. Fees must be received or postmarked by the stated deadline. Late fees will result in application disapproval. The fee is non-refundable. No refunds will be made if your application is disapproved or you fail to appear for the test. We will not prescreen applications.
4. **Form of Application.** Application may only be made on the Livingston County Application for Examination or Employment form. Fully completed applications will be accepted in the following forms:
 - a. The original paper application (Submit to: Livingston County Personnel Office; 6 Court Street, Room 206; Geneseo, New York 14454);
 - b. A copy of the paper application;
 - c. A scanned and e-mailed application (Submit e-mail to: livcopers@co.livingston.ny.us); and
 - d. A faxed application (Submit fax to: 585-243-7936).The application *must* contain the applicant's true signature (i.e. written *not* typed), and *must* have a current date.
5. **Applicant Qualifications.** In order for an application to be approved, the applicant must clearly show the training, education, experience and/or licensure/certification stated in the minimum qualifications for the title. All qualifying information must appear on the application form. The applicant has the burden of proving he/she has the required qualifications for the position. No credit will be given for information that is illegible and/or unclear.
6. **College Credit Hours.** If a position requires the applicant to have completed a number of college credit hours in a specified field of study, the applicant must submit a copy of his/her college transcript evidencing credit hours. If the application is conditionally approved, the applicant will be notified to have his/her college *directly* send an official transcript to the Livingston County Personnel Office. The original transcript must be received by the Livingston County Personnel Office before the eligible list is established if applying for an exam, or before appointment if applying for a vacant position.
7. **Related College Degrees.** If the applicant is relying on a related college degree to qualify for an exam or position, the applicant must supply a copy of his/her college transcript with the application. In the event the application is conditionally approved, the applicant must make arrangements to have an original transcript sent as described in paragraph 6.
8. **Resumes.** Resumes *may not* be submitted with applications. Resumes *may* be taken to employment interviews.



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Livingston County Personnel Office

Livingston County
Government Center
6 Court St., Room 206
Geneseo, NY 14454

E-mail address: LivCoPers@co.livingston.ny.us
Telephone: (585) 243-7570
Fax number: (585) 243-7936

Do not mark in this area – official use only.

A D C _____

1. Examination/Position Title

Complete all parts of this section.

I am applying for:	<input type="checkbox"/> A Civil Service examination. The exam number is: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> An open position with Livingston County.
The title of the exam or position is:	

2. My Personal Information

Complete all parts of this section.

My name is:	
My current mailing address is:	
I currently live at (i.e. my physical address is):	<input type="checkbox"/> The same as my mailing address. <input type="checkbox"/> Different from my mailing address. My physical address is: _____
My physical address is my permanent residence.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. <input type="checkbox"/> False. My permanent residence physical address is: _____
I have lived within Livingston County for at least the last 4 months.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. <input type="checkbox"/> False.
My permanent address is located within (complete all categories that apply):	State: _____ County: _____ Town: _____ Village: _____ School District: _____
My e-mail address is: [Providing this address is optional. If you provide your e-mail address, it may be used for communications with you.]	
My phone number is:	

3. My Right to Work in the United States

Complete all parts of this section.

I have the legal right to accept employment within the United States.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. <input type="checkbox"/> False.
I am at least 18 years of age.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. <input type="checkbox"/> False. I have working papers that allow me to do the type of work for which I have applied. <input type="checkbox"/> True. <input type="checkbox"/> False.

4. Examination Information

Only complete this section if you are currently applying to take a Civil Service exam. If you are not applying for an exam, proceed to section 5.

I have taken this exam within the last 6 months.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. <input type="checkbox"/> False.
I am applying for the Police Officer and/or Deputy Sheriff/Road Patrol exam.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. My date of birth is: <input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/> False.
I wish to apply for veterans' credits.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. You must attach a completed veterans' credits form with your DD214 form. Contact the Personnel Office for the veterans' credits form. <input type="checkbox"/> False.
I need an alternate test date.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. You must review the alternate test date policy to determine if you are potentially eligible. If so, you must apply for the alternate test date at least 2 weeks prior to the exam if the need for the alternate test date is known at that time. Otherwise, you must apply within 3 business days of the date on which you become aware of your need for an alternate test date. Contact the Personnel Office for the request form. <input type="checkbox"/> False.
I need special arrangements for this exam due to my religious observance.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. No later than 2 weeks prior to the exam, you must submit a written request explaining the special arrangements you need and providing an explanation of why the arrangements are needed. <input type="checkbox"/> False.
I need special arrangements for this exam due to my disability.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. No later than 2 weeks prior to the exam, you must submit a completed Exam Accommodation Request form. Contact the Personnel Office for this form. <input type="checkbox"/> False.

5. My Background Information

Complete all parts of this section.

<p>I have :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Been discharged from employment for reasons other than lack of work; ▪ Resigned from employment in lieu of termination; AND/OR ▪ Been <i>dishonorably</i> discharged from the U.S. Armed Forces. 	<p><input type="checkbox"/> True. Submit a completed Employment Discharge form with your application for <i>each</i> of your terminations that fall within any of these categories. Contact the Personnel Office for this form.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> False.</p>
<p>I have been convicted of one or more misdemeanor and/or felony crimes.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> True. Submit a completed Sworn Statement form with your application for <i>each</i> conviction. Contact the Personnel Office for this form.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> False.</p>
<p>I work for Livingston County presently.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> True.</p> <p>I work for the following department: <div style="background-color: #cccccc; height: 15px; width: 100%;"></div></p> <p>I work in the following job title: <div style="background-color: #cccccc; height: 15px; width: 100%;"></div></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> False.</p>
<p>I have worked for Livingston County in the past.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> True.</p> <p>I worked for the following department(s): <div style="background-color: #cccccc; height: 15px; width: 100%;"></div></p> <p>I worked in the following job title(s): <div style="background-color: #cccccc; height: 15px; width: 100%;"></div></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> False.</p>

6. My License Information

Complete all sections.

<p>I have a valid New York State driver's license.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> True.</p> <p>My license has no restrictions that would affect my ability to work.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> True.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> False. The restrictions on my license are: <div style="background-color: #cccccc; height: 15px; width: 100%;"></div></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> False.</p> <p>I have a valid driver's license from another state within the U.S.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> True. My license is from the state of: <div style="background-color: #cccccc; height: 15px; width: 100%;"></div></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> False.</p>
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<p>I have a valid New York State commercial driver's license.</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> True. The class of my license is: _____ I have endorsements. <input type="checkbox"/> True. My endorsements are: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> False. My license has no restrictions that would affect my ability to work. <input type="checkbox"/> True. <input type="checkbox"/> False. The restrictions on my license are: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> False.</p>
<p>I have one or more New York State professional licenses and/or certifications (not including a commercial driver's license).</p> <p>(If you have more than one New York State professional license and/or certification please use page 13 for the others.)</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> True. For each professional license/certification, provide the following: The type of license/certification: _____ License/certification number: _____ Date license/certification first issued: _____ Date current license/certification expires: _____ Whether the license/certification is currently in good standing with no restrictions? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. <input type="checkbox"/> No. If there are any restrictions on the license, explain those restrictions and how they affect your ability to work in the title for which you are applying: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> False.</p>
<p>I have one or more currently valid professional licenses and/or certifications issued by a state within the U.S. <i>other than</i> New York.</p> <p>(If you have more than one currently valid professional license and/or certification please use page 13 for the others.)</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> True. For each professional license/certification, provide the following: The type of license: _____ The state that issued the license: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> False.</p>

7. My Education

Complete this table fully.

I have participated in the following type(s) of education. (Check every category that applies.)	<input type="checkbox"/> High school. Complete the “a” section below. <input type="checkbox"/> Trade School or Program. Complete the “b” section below. <input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate Degree Program. Complete the “c” section below. <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate Degree Program. Complete the “d” section below. <input type="checkbox"/> Other schools or special courses. Complete the “e” section below. <input type="checkbox"/> I have college credit hours meeting the minimum qualifications of the title for which I am submitting this application. Complete the “f” section below.
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For each of the types of education you checked above, complete the corresponding section(s) below.

a. High school

I have a high school diploma or high school equivalency diploma.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. My diploma was issued by: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> False.
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b. Trade school or program

I participated in an official trade school and/or trade program.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. The school or program was: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> False.
The trade for which I received training was:	_____
I successfully completed the program.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. <input type="checkbox"/> False.
The trade for which I received training is a skilled building and/or construction trade.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. My training and/or experience places me at the following skilled trade level: <input type="checkbox"/> Apprentice. <input type="checkbox"/> Journeyman. <input type="checkbox"/> Master. <input type="checkbox"/> Other. Please specify: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> False.

c. Undergraduate degree program (for Associate's and/or Bachelor's degrees)

The name(s) of the college(s)/university(ies) I attended was/were:	
My major(s) was/were:	
The degree I received was:	<input type="checkbox"/> Associate's degree in: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor's degree in: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> I did not receive a degree.
My degree is:	<input type="checkbox"/> A degree named in the minimum qualifications for this title. <input type="checkbox"/> Closely related to a degree named in the minimum qualifications for this title. (Complete section "f" below.) <input type="checkbox"/> I do not have a degree. <input type="checkbox"/> None of the above apply.
Date degree expected.	

d. Graduate degree program (for advanced degrees, i.e. beyond Bachelor's degrees)

The name(s) of the college(s)/university(ies) I attended was/were:	
My major(s) was/were:	
The degree I received was:	<input type="checkbox"/> Master's degree in: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Doctorate degree in: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> I did not receive a degree.
My degree is:	<input type="checkbox"/> A degree named in the minimum qualifications for this title. <input type="checkbox"/> Closely related to a degree named in the minimum qualifications for this title. (Complete section "f" below.) <input type="checkbox"/> I do not have a degree. <input type="checkbox"/> None of the above apply.

e. Other schools or programs

School or program #1	The name of the school was: _____ The subject of study was: _____ The degree or certification I received was: _____
School or program #2	The name of the school was: _____ The subject of study was: _____ The degree or certification I received was: _____
School or program #3	The name of the school was: _____ The subject of study was: _____ The degree or certification I received was: _____

8. My Work Experience

Current job. (If you have more than one current job, enter data here for the job you consider to be your primary job.)

I am currently working.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. <input type="checkbox"/> False. Proceed to the next table.
My current job is paid.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. <input type="checkbox"/> False. Complete the remainder of this table with "employer" meaning the person for whom you do work. I work as a/an: <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer. <input type="checkbox"/> Intern. The Type of Work is: <input type="checkbox"/> Other unpaid worker.
My current employer is:	Employer name:
My employer's address is:	Town/City: State:
My job title is:	
I began working in this title in:	Month Year
My primary job duties are: (If you need more space, please use page 13)	1. 2. 3. 4. 5.
Other job duties I perform regularly are:	
My average hours of work per week are (<i>not</i> including overtime):	
OPTIONAL. This is additional information I would like to provide about this work experience.	

Current or prior relevant jobs.

I have had prior employment or other current employment not described above that is relevant to the title for which I am applying.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe your relevant prior experience below. ▪ All qualifying experience must be described fully on this application. ▪ You do not need to repeat the current job you described above. ▪ "Employer" as used below means any person for whom you worked, even if not paid. <input type="checkbox"/> False. Proceed to section 9.
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Relevant Job #1

- **Note: If you had more than one job with the same employer, each job should be listed as a separate job.**

My employer is/was:	
My employer's address is:	Town/City: _____ State: _____
My job title is/was:	
I began working in this title in:	Month _____ Year _____
My work ended:	<input type="checkbox"/> My work ended in: Month _____ Year _____ My work ended because: <input type="checkbox"/> I resigned or retired. <input type="checkbox"/> I resigned/retired to avoid being fired. <input type="checkbox"/> I did not resign/retire to avoid being fired. <input type="checkbox"/> I was fired. <input type="checkbox"/> I was laid off due to lack of work. <input type="checkbox"/> This employment has not ended.
My primary job duties are: (If you need more space, please use page 13)	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____ 5. _____
Other job duties I perform regularly are:	
My average hours of work per week are (not including overtime):	
This work is:	<input type="checkbox"/> Paid. <input type="checkbox"/> Unpaid volunteer. <input type="checkbox"/> Unpaid intern. <input type="checkbox"/> Other unpaid work. The type of work is: _____
OPTIONAL. This is additional information I would like to provide about this work experience.	
I have had other relevant job experience I would like to describe.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. Continue below. <input type="checkbox"/> False. Proceed to section 9.

Relevant Job #2

My employer is/was:	
My employer's address is:	Town/City: State:
My job title is/was:	
I began working in this title in:	Month Year
My work ended:	<input type="checkbox"/> My work ended in: Month Year My work ended because: <input type="checkbox"/> I resigned or retired. <input type="checkbox"/> I resigned/retired to avoid being fired. <input type="checkbox"/> I did <i>not</i> resign/retire to avoid being fired. <input type="checkbox"/> I was fired. <input type="checkbox"/> I was laid off due to lack of work. <input type="checkbox"/> This employment has not ended.
My primary job duties are: (If you need more space, please use page 13)	1. 2. 3. 4. 5.
Other job duties I perform regularly are:	
My average hours of work per week are (<i>not</i> including overtime):	
This work is:	<input type="checkbox"/> Paid. <input type="checkbox"/> Unpaid volunteer. <input type="checkbox"/> Unpaid intern. <input type="checkbox"/> Other unpaid work. The type of work is:
<i>OPTIONAL.</i> This is additional information I would like to provide about this work experience.	
I have had other relevant job experience I would like to describe.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. Continue below. <input type="checkbox"/> False. Proceed to section 9.

Relevant Job #3

My employer is/was:	
My employer's address is:	Town/City: _____ State: _____
My job title is/was:	
I began working in this title in:	Month _____ Year _____
My work ended:	<input type="checkbox"/> My work ended in: Month _____ Year _____ My work ended because: <input type="checkbox"/> I resigned or retired. <input type="checkbox"/> I resigned/retired to avoid being fired. <input type="checkbox"/> I did not resign/retire to avoid being fired. <input type="checkbox"/> I was fired. <input type="checkbox"/> I was laid off due to lack of work. <input type="checkbox"/> This employment has not ended.
My primary job duties are: (If you need more space, please use page 13)	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____ 5. _____
Other job duties I perform regularly are:	
My average hours of work per week are (<i>not</i> including overtime):	
This work is:	<input type="checkbox"/> Paid. <input type="checkbox"/> Unpaid volunteer. <input type="checkbox"/> Unpaid intern. <input type="checkbox"/> Other unpaid work. The type of work is: _____
OPTIONAL. This is additional information I would like to provide about this work experience.	
I have had other relevant job experience I would like to describe.	<input type="checkbox"/> True. Obtain additional work experience pages and attach them to your application. The additional pages may be obtained from the Personnel Office or from the Personnel page of the County's website at: www.livingstoncounty.us (go to "Departments," select "Personnel Department," and select "Employment Application and Other Forms." <input type="checkbox"/> False. Proceed to section 9.

9. Equal Employment Opportunity statement

New York and Federal law prohibits discrimination in employment because of race, creed, color, sex, sexual orientation, religion, age, national origin, familial status, marital status, disability, military status, predisposing genetic characteristics, domestic violence victim status, gender identity, gender expression, pregnancy and/or pregnancy-related conditions. Accordingly, nothing in this application should be viewed as expressing any limitation, specification, or discrimination as to these protected classifications or any others, in connection with employment by Livingston County municipalities.

10. Affirmation, Signature, and Date

I affirm that the statements made in this application, including any attached/included documents (in any format including, but not limited to, electronic and paper), are true under penalties of perjury. I understand that any misrepresentations may result in my disqualification for examination/appointment or my removal from employment following appointment.

My signature: <i>(Signature must be hand written. It may not be typed.)</i>	
Date:	

Do not mark in this area. Reserved for use by Livingston County Personnel.

Date Received: _____

Fee Received: _____

By: _____

Reasons for disapproval or conditional approval:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Prior County employment? Yes No

If so: Dept. _____ Title _____

Dates of most recent employment: _____

Additional Information

Please note that this page is to provide more detail where you may not have had enough room within the application. This is not space to provide a resume and/or cover letter. Resumes and cover letters are not accepted at the time of application and will not be reviewed.

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