

Water Resources Specialist

Come join our team and help us protect Sebago Lake, Maine's most important natural resource.

The Portland Water District is seeking a Water Resources Specialist to join the team of professionals who work together to protect Sebago Lake. Sebago Lake is Maine's deepest and second largest lake, is a treasured vacation destination, a popular fishery, and the water supply for 200,000 Mainers. It's also so clean that the water doesn't have to be filtered before it is disinfected. As a Water Resources Specialist, your job will be to help us keep it that way.

A Water Resources Specialist designs and manages water quality monitoring programs, inspects development projects near the lake, responds to the concerns of watershed residents, prepares printed and in-person outreach products to encourage the public to help us, and supports our ongoing efforts to conserve watershed forests. You'll join the 15 professionals that make up our Environmental Services group. Our main office is in Standish and we our staff are presently working a hybrid schedule that includes some part of the work in a week from a home office.

The ideal candidate will possess a Bachelor's Degree in Environmental Science, Biology, Geology or Hydrology, will have a knowledge of limnology and experience with lake monitoring, will have experience conducting environmental site investigations and recommending and implementing erosion control practices, and a working knowledge of state and local environmental regulations related to watershed development. Experience with septic system technology and inspection a plus. Some laboratory analytical work is also part of the job. Experience utilizing GIS software to manage and display environmental or geological data will be helpful and fluency with Microsoft Office products essential. Hourly rate \$28.09 probationary rate, \$29.57 full rate.

Please visit our website at www.pwd.org. Please complete our on line application, attach a resume and a cover letter with salary requirements. You can also view a detailed job description.

Our benefit plan includes 12 paid holidays, 12 vacation days, accrued sick time, employer matching 457 retirement plan, medical, dental, vision, life insurance, and more. You can view our complete 2022 benefit guide on the website.

PWD is an EOE, offering competitive wages, tuition reimbursement, training opportunities, and a comprehensive benefit package.