



LEAD PIPE FITTER

Job Code: 460BOE
Bargaining Unit: 25
Effective Date: 3/7/1991

Description of Work

General Statement of Duties

Supervises and participates in performing pipefitting work involved in the installation, maintenance and repair of steam piping, fixtures, apparatus and accessories for power and heating or for refrigeration or temperature control; and performs related work as assigned.

Supervision Received

Works under the general supervision of a unit supervisor.

Supervision Exercised

Exercises close supervision over journey level and apprentice pipefitters.

Typical Duties Performed

The listed examples may not include all the duties performed by all positions in this class.

Supervises, assigns and performs work involved in the installation of steam and hot water heating plants, the repair of steam lines, the packing of valves, the cutting and threading of pipes, the installation and repair of steam and hot water radiators, the covering of pipes and the installation, maintenance and repair of refrigeration systems or temperature control devices.

Estimates quantities of materials needed.

Prepares reports and makes recommendations.

Maintains records of materials, supplies, employees and work performed.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities

Considerable knowledge of the standard tools, materials, methods and safe work practices of the pipefitting trade.

Considerable ability to supervise the installation and repair of pipes, fixtures, and apparatus for heating, refrigeration and temperature control devices.

Considerable ability to supervise, train and provide work direction to employees.

Minimum Qualifications

High school graduation and possession of a certificate evidencing the completion of training as an apprentice pipefitter, and three years of experience as a journey level pipefitter; or seven years of experience as a journey level pipefitter. Must possess a certificate of competence issued by the City of Saint Paul.