



POSITION: Underground Lineman
DEPARTMENT: Electric
JOB TYPE: Full-time
SALARY: \$56,000 - \$61,000
POSTED: 09/02/2026
CLOSING DATE/TIME: Until filled

The City of Monroe is seeking an Underground Lineman to perform skilled work in the construction, maintenance, and repair of underground electrical distribution systems. This position performs new construction and maintenance on energized and de-energized electrical systems, installs, and services underground electrical equipment, and operates specialized tools and equipment used in utility line work. Work is performed around high-voltage systems and requires adherence to established safety procedures and proper use of personal protective equipment. Salary is commensurate with qualifications. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions of the job.

Qualifications & Experience:

- High school diploma or GED required; an equivalent combination of related training and experience may be considered.
- Completion of an apprenticeship or internship, or one to two years of experience in a similar position, preferred.
- Valid Georgia driver's license appropriate for the type of vehicle or equipment operated required, or ability to obtain.
- Flagging certification required, or ability to obtain.

Skills & Abilities:

- Knowledge of electrical construction, maintenance, repair, and safety practices.

- Ability to safely work with high-voltage electrical systems.
- Skill in operating line-work tools, vehicles, and equipment.
- Ability to work at heights, in trenches or confined spaces, and in varying weather conditions.
- Ability to perform physically demanding work and follow verbal and written instructions.

Duties & Responsibilities:

- Constructs, maintains, and repairs underground electrical distribution systems.
 - Performs work on energized and de-energized electrical systems and equipment.
 - Installs and services transformers, electrical services, and related underground equipment.
 - Operates and maintains utility vehicles, tools, and specialized equipment.
 - Follows established electrical safety procedures and properly uses required PPE.
 - Performs underground, elevated, excavation, and related line work as assigned.
 - Assists other utility operations and performs other related duties as needed.
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Selection Process:

Applicants who meet the minimum qualifications may be invited to participate in the selection process, which may include application review, interviews, reference checks, and other job-related assessments. Employment is contingent upon the successful completion of all applicable pre-employment requirements, which may include, but are not limited to, a criminal background check, drug screening, motor vehicle record review, physical examination or physical abilities testing (when required), and any additional job-related screenings deemed necessary.

How to Apply:

Interested candidates should submit a completed City of Monroe employment application to **Sarah Johnson, Manager of HR Development**, at SJohnson@MonroeGA.gov. Applications are also available at and may be returned to City Hall, 215 N. Broad St, Monroe, GA 30655.

The City of Monroe is an Equal Opportunity Employer and a Certified Drug-Free Work Place. Per Georgia Code 34-9-414, be advised that the City of Monroe does pre-employment, reasonable suspicion, post-accident, post-rehabilitation, and routine fitness-for-duty (random) drug testing.