Employment Opportunity
SCOTT VALLEY AND SHASTA VALLEY WATERMASTER DISTRICT

Position: Water Measurement Technician

The Water Measurement Technician is currently a seasonal/part-time position. The selected candidate is hired by the Board of Directors and reports to the Deputy Watermaster. Candidates must have a reliable vehicle for off-road locations and will be reimbursed mileage at the federal rate (currently 58 cents per mile).

The Technician may promote to a Deputy Watermaster position after three years and with proven knowledge of interpreting the decrees and complying with District policies.

Requirements

- Experience in a related technical field is desirable.
- Experience in stream flow measurements and stream gage maintenance preferred.
- Excellent mathematical skills.
- The ability to develop and prepare effective and comprehensive correspondence, reports and other written material.
- A valid CA Driver’s license.
- Ability to traverse rugged terrain and work around fast and deep flowing water.

Responsibilities

The District will provide training during a probationary period. After the probationary period it is expected the selected candidate is able to complete the following:

- Ensure relevant tasks assigned in the Schedule of Watermaster Activities are completed on time, see Appendix H.
- Measure, obtain, or calculate flows in streams and diversions to determine the available water supply for each stream system.
- Use log books to record daily activities, all communications, stream and diversion flows, all adjustments/activities and results.
- Assist the Watermaster in maintaining field schedules for consistency with court decrees as changes occur.
- Complete time recording and administrative documents to support program purchases, contracts, travel, and meetings – documentation should be of such clarity and completeness that it provides the program with defensible information in an audit.
- Assist the Watermaster in preparing annual summary report or technical memorandum at the end of each season for services provided, conditions encountered, and issues found during the irrigation season.

Posted March 3, 2020

No closing date, position to remain open until filled with a qualified individual.
With training and direction by the Deputy Watermaster, proportion diversion volumes according to actual stream flows per court decree schedules
  o Distribute flows through structures, ditches, and gates.
  o Construct, maintain and adjust diversion structures for accuracy of flow measurements.

### Hourly Rate and Compensation Schedule

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The Water Measurement Technician is currently funded as a seasonal part-time position (approx. $10,000 for the 2020 irrigation season (including mileage reimbursement) beginning as soon as possible.

More information about our District can be found on our website [sswatermaster.org](http://sswatermaster.org)

### How to Apply

Send résumé and 3 reference letters (at least 1 from a previous employer) to our Business Manager at:

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SSWD Business Manager  
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