Example of Pipelayer Job Description



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Our growing company is looking to fill the role of pipelayer. Please review the list of responsibilities and qualifications. While this is our ideal list, we will consider candidates that do not necessarily have all of the qualifications, but have sufficient experience and talent.

Responsibilities for pipelayer

- Placing, pushing, pulling, shoveling concrete, dirt, or pipe bedding
- Provides work direction and guidance to laborer
- Direct the backhoe operator and act as spotter for Excavator Operator
- Direct the moving pipes into trenches
- Set up and use site level and grade rod to shoot grade
- Raise manhole tops to their proper grades in accordance to the blueprints
- Attention to detail when installing pipes
- Assists in the placement, moving and dismantling or signs, barricades, cones and other traffic control devices
- Grade and level trench bases, using tamping machines and hand tools

Qualifications for pipelayer

- 2 year's experience installing underground utilities
- Positive attitude and ability to take direction is a must
- Ability to work with tools and equipment, such as, power and non-powered hand tools, vibrators, pumps, drills and jackhammers, forklifts, skid loaders and compaction equipment
- Basic survey experience including ability to shoot grade and calculate rise over run
- Understanding of water and sewer system installation
- Understanding of basic soil classification and excavation/trench safety