



Trent Valley Internal Drainage Board

Water Management Consortium

LAND DRAINAGE OPERATIVE

Salary: £33,159.77 to £33,769.49 from 1st April 2024

Full Time, Permanent

38 hours per week (plus overtime subject to workload)

Holidays - 23 days rising to 27 over five years

All bank holidays and three additional statutory days

NEST Pension Scheme - 6% Employer contribution.

A vacancy has arisen for a Land Drainage Operative to join a small team working across the Trent Valley area, providing flood protection and water level management for the local communities. This will be based at one of our Depots (Orston, Torksey, Sturton Le Steeple or Southwell) but will involve working on site across the district.

Duties include:

- Watercourse maintenance - relief driver
- General labouring
- Pumping station checks and general grounds maintenance
- Chainsaw and strimming operations
- Clearance of weed grids (mechanically and by hand)
- Piling and building of headwalls
- Fuel delivery

The ability to work on your own initiative in a responsible and safe manner is essential. A full driving licence is required.

The ideal candidate will have relevant experience, be familiar with the area and the work of an IDB, and experienced in the operation of plant and machinery such as tractor and flail or excavator. NPTC chainsaw, strimming and spraying qualifications would be an advantage.

The Board also provides 24/7 emergency response and in the event of flooding or heavy rainfall, staff may be called upon to respond; this could involve working weekends and unsocial hours on occasion.

An application form and job description can be downloaded from the jobs page of our website. For more information, please contact us on 01507 328095.

Completed application forms should be returned to enquiries@lmdb.co.uk.