

# GIS Technician

*Come work at a rapidly growing engineering firm that is staffed with industry experts, has great benefits, and prides itself on developing our people.*

## The Company

Planview Utility Services is an engineering firm that provides engineering design, sub-surface investigation and GIS services to telecommunication, gas, electric utilities and the utility industry at large. Our workforce is a mix of veterans of the industry and youthful enthusiastic technical resources. We have pride in our collegial culture and host multiple regular corporate sponsored social activities. Our embrace of the use of technology plays a large part in our success.

## The Position

The role of the GIS Technician is to carryout GIS related services to support Planview Utility Services customers both internal and external. A GIS Technician is responsible for ensuring tasks are completed within the allotted time budget and to the appropriate specifications as outlined for each project task. Tasks will vary from data management to data modeling and scripting.

This position is an office-based position with a possibility of 10% to 15% field work and out of office meetings. Currently due to the COVID-19 restrictions this position will be work from home initially.

## Responsibilities

- Work with project coordinators and other technical staff to complete tasks of varying skill levels
- Editing spatial datasets in a variety of GIS applications
- Spatial data manipulation and conversion using FME
- Digitizing landbase, utility networks and assets
- Strong attention to detail
- Excellent communication skills to liaise with team, clients and management
- Working on multiple projects and conflicting deadlines
- Data management and manipulation
- Programming and configuration of GIS related solutions
- Maintaining project documentation
- Share and communicate job specific knowledge with other team members as required
- Update project tracking systems on assigned projects and program activities
- Monitor personal work performance and strive for continual improvement
- Responsible for ensuring Weekly Timesheets are completed
- Carryout technical activities and tasks as required

## Requirements

- Minimum of 1 to 3 years relevant work experience
- Demonstrated experience working within a team

- Strong understanding of GIS applications through experience and/or post-secondary education
- GIS post-grad certification or equivalent education and experience
- Utility GIS industry experience is an asset
- Working knowledge of ArcMap / ArcGIS Pro
- Experience with Geodatabase (SQL, Oracle, Postgres)
- Experience with FME is an asset
- Must be a permanent resident of Canada
- Able to work in a team atmosphere
- Excellent spoken & written communication skills
- Valid class G drivers license

### The Location

Planview Utility Services has 3 offices – Markham, London and Ottawa. Our clients and their projects are based throughout Ontario and North America. ***This position will be based out of our Markham or Ottawa offices.***

### Why You Should Apply

If you like to work as a part of a team, work on challenging projects, use a variety of software, learn new skillsets, deal with a dynamic slate of technical work, and come up with new ideas.

### Note

Planview Utility Services Ltd is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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