



**DEPARTMENT:** Water Works

**POSITION:** Lab Technician

**TYPE:** Full Time

**SALARY:** \$35,363-\$38,278

**BENEFITS:** Full Benefits

**CLOSING DATE:** Until Filled



**Overview:** We are Salisbury, Maryland, and our town was born from the headwaters of the **Wicomico River**. This special place, nestled squarely between the beaches and the bay, has been attracting people to its stunning location for almost **300 years**. Now one of the largest cities on the peninsula, Salisbury serves as the *Capital of the Eastern Shore*, combining vibrant economic opportunity, quality public education, world-class healthcare, reinvigorated environmental stewardship, globally known corporations, and an energetic and inspiring team of community leaders, to chart its own course, and craft a sound plan for its future.

**Department:** The Department of Water Works is responsible for the City water, wastewater, and utility systems, including the water and wastewater treatment facilities. The Department has three Divisions, Water, Wastewater, and Utilities, with a total staff of **75 professionals**. The Department is responsible for: The treatment and reliable delivery of potable water to City homes and businesses. Storage of water and maintenance of a network of piping, valves and hydrant for fire protection. Collection of wastewater and conveyance to a state of the art treatment facility to protect public health.

**Profile:** Performs standard chemical and biochemical analysis of wastewater and sludge as required by Federal and State guidelines to ensure safe and efficient operation of the wastewater treatment plant. Including BOD, TSS, pH, phosphorus, and nitrogen. Cleans, calibrates and maintains lab equipment. Performs routine calculations.

**Preferred Education:** Associate's degree in science

**Preferred Experience:** 2 years

**Requirements/Certifications:** Drinking Water Collections Certification from Maryland Department of the Environment

**How to Apply:** Submit City application, cover letter, driving record and resume to the following address or apply online at [www.salisbury.md/apply](http://www.salisbury.md/apply)

Studies have shown that women and people of color are less likely to apply for jobs unless they believe they can perform every job description task. We are most interested in finding the best candidate for the job, and that candidate may come from a less traditional background. The City may consider an equivalent combination of knowledge, skills, education, and experience to meet minimum qualifications. If you are interested in applying, we encourage you to think broadly about your background and skill set for the role.