

Notice of Employment Opportunity
Water Treatment Operator – Small Water System Operator
(Part-Time, Permanent Position)

The Van Anda Improvement District (VAID) has an employment opportunity for a Water Treatment Operator. Reporting to the VAID Trustees, the operator will be responsible, in conjunction with a co-worker, for overseeing the activities and processes that go into treating and distributing VAID drinking water, performing skilled and semi-skilled maintenance work, and operating a variety of equipment in the operation, repair and maintenance of Van Anda water facilities & system. Duties also include taking samples to be sent to Vancouver Coastal Health and responding to call outs.

Applicants must be a Secondary School Graduate and possess or be willing to obtain a Small Water System Certificate within a year of being hired. The successful candidate must possess a valid Class 5 BC Drivers license. The position requires residency on Texada Island.

This is a permanent part time position (minimum 10 hours a week) that will, in time, increase in the hours worked per week. The rate of pay for this position commensurate with experience. Please send your cover letter and resume, including a list of 3 references, by mail or email to Sandra Hazard, Administrator, Van Anda Improvement District, PO Box 115, Van Anda, BC, V0N 3K0; email: contact@vananda-id.ca

Applications will be reviewed starting on December 1, 2022, with the position remaining open until filled. Thank you for your interest in this position. Only those under consideration will be contacted.

Van Anda is an active community situated on Texada Island, the largest of BC's Gulf Islands. The community consists of stores, a hotel, a Legion, a Post Office, a Boat Club, gas station and marinas and an Elementary School (with the Island also having a medical center, airport, library, and community center) and is home to about 375 people who enjoy the local parks and the marine and forest environments. We have recently installed (2020) a new water treatment system, consisting of filtration, ion exchange, UV treatment and chlorination, a new water storage tank, and are making upgrades to our water distribution system.