

DIRECTOR  
WATER DISTRIBUTION AND TRANSMISSION DIVISION  
SEATTLE PUBLIC UTILITIES

The Seattle Public Utilities Department (SPU) is seeking qualified candidates to lead the Water Distribution and Transmission Division. The SPU is one of the nation's most respected and innovative public utilities and provides water supply to more than 1.5 million customers as well as essential wastewater, storm water, and solid waste services. The Water Distribution and Transmission Division provides drinking water to 600,000 retail customers in Seattle and 900,000 wholesale customers served by 21 local utilities. This position reports to the SPU's Deputy Director for Field Operations and Maintenance and leads a division with 170 employees. The Division Director is responsible for overseeing a major operational and water delivery system; guiding a large diversified unionized workforce; developing programs and initiatives to implement asset management principles; and building a team culture based on accountability, accomplishments and customer service.

Candidates must possess a track record of demonstrated leadership, proven accomplishments and superior performance in a water utility or a closely related organization. Experience must include a minimum of 5 years managing a municipal drinking water operation or significant section. Additionally candidates must be skilled in budgeting and personnel management and possess outstanding interpersonal and communication skills. Candidates must possess the knowledge and professional competence required to effectively lead field operations and maintenance functions and work cooperatively and collaboratively with other divisions and stakeholders. The ideal candidate will have a Bachelors degree in business, public administration or closely related discipline.

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