

# **POSITION POSTING**

## **Journeyman Lineman or Apprentice Lineman**

**Available: 1 Position in the Socorro Area**

### **About us:**

The Socorro Electric Cooperative, Inc. is a trusted and community-focused rural electric cooperative, committed to providing safe, reliable, and affordable power to our members. We take pride in our close-knit team and our dedication to making a positive impact in the communities we serve. As we continue to grow, we are looking for skilled and motivated individuals to join our team in the vital role of **Journeyman Lineman** or **Apprentice Lineman**.

### **Position Overview:**

As a Lineman, you will be responsible for the construction, maintenance, and repair of overhead and underground electrical lines safely and efficiently. You will work in challenging and rural environments, ensuring reliable service to our members. Whether you're an experienced Journeyman Lineman or an enthusiastic Apprentice Lineman, this role offers opportunities for growth and development in the electrical trade.

### **Responsibilities:**

- **Journeyman Lineman:**
  - Perform maintenance, repair, and construction of electrical distribution lines (overhead and underground).
  - Install, maintain, and troubleshoot electrical equipment, such as transformers, circuit breakers, and switches.
  - Ensure work is completed safely, according to all OSHA standards and cooperative safety policies.
  - Lead and supervise crew members, providing training and guidance to apprentices.
  - Respond to emergency outages and perform emergency repairs as necessary.
  - Maintain accurate records of all work performed, including maintenance logs and reports.
  - Operate aerial lifts, digger derricks, and other specialized equipment.
- **Apprentice Lineman:**
  - Assist in the construction, repair, and maintenance of overhead and underground distribution lines.
  - Support Journeyman Linemen in line work, learning the craft under supervision.
  - Perform routine inspections and maintenance of electrical equipment.
  - Safely operate equipment such as trucks, hand tools, and power tools under the guidance of experienced linemen.
  - Attend training sessions to acquire the necessary skills and knowledge to become a certified Journeyman Lineman.
  - Participate in on-the-job training, following safety procedures and cooperative protocols.

### **Requirements/Education:**

- **Journeyman Lineman:**
  - Completion of a recognized lineman apprenticeship program and Journeyman Lineman certification.
  - Strong knowledge of electrical theory, safety procedures, and applicable regulations.
  - Ability to work in various weather conditions and rural locations.
  - Valid commercial driver's license (CDL) with a clean driving record.
  - Willingness to work on-call, overtime, and weekends as needed.
- **Apprentice Lineman:**
  - High school diploma or equivalent (preferred: completion of electrical training or technical courses).
  - Valid driver's license with a clean driving record.
  - Ability to work at heights and in varying weather conditions.
  - A strong willingness to learn and advance within the field.
  - Previous experience in the electrical trade is a plus but not required.
  - Recommended commercial drivers license (CDL)
- **Benefits:**
  - Health, dental, and vision insurance.
  - Retirement plan with employer contributions.
  - Paid time off (PTO) and holidays.
  - Opportunities for professional development and career advancement.
  - A supportive and inclusive work environment where safety and teamwork are top priorities.

***JOB WILL REMAIN OPEN UNTIL FILLED***

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