



# Leakage Detection Technician

Portsmouth Water is a community focused water company that has been supplying water to Portsmouth and the surrounding area since 1857. We provide high quality public water supplies to a domestic population exceeding 698,000, as well as many important industries, large defence establishments and varied commercial businesses. During the past year (2019-20), the Company has reduced leakage by 19%, putting us at the top end of the league table of UK water companies for its low leakage rate. We are looking to recruit a Leakage Detection Technician to fulfil an important position in the business, and offer a role that offers a great start into the water industry and good opportunities to progress.

We are looking for a driven, trustworthy, technically minded person who is keen to learn new skills. Working at all times in line with our values of excellence, integrity and respect, you will be working as part of the team to further reduce leakage on the water network. Key activities of the role include carrying out reactive and proactive leak detection and acoustic logger deployment/collection. The individual will need to use analysis skills and state-of-the-art equipment to find hidden leaks below ground.

The role is customer facing and involves use of technology, so good personal and technical skills are essential. Experience is not necessary as full training will be provided, but a positive attitude is a must.

Applicants must have a valid Driving Licence and will be required to undertake our Driving Assessment. Self-motivation is important as the individual will be expected to work primarily outside in most weather conditions using a Company van. In return we offer a 36.25 hour working week, 24 days annual leave (rising to 28 based on continual years' service) and a stakeholder pension scheme. Typically working from 8am to 4pm, Monday to Friday, although occasional night work will be required.

**£21,867 to £25,041**

**Based in Havant**

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**Applicants should send a CV outlining current salary with 2 referees.**

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We are happy to consider flexible working arrangements. This can include alternative days / hours of work or work location. Please specify any request in your application.

**Closing date: 10 AUGUST 2020**