



We are looking for an experienced

Maintenance Manager/Plant Engineer

The job we offer

Fibertex Nonwovens is expanding its activities in North America at our plant in Gray Court, SC. We are looking to add an experienced **Maintenance Manager** to our Team.

The Maintenance Manager manages and coordinates the maintenance functions of the facility and capital equipment, including management of production maintenance, preventative and predictive maintenance, and maintenance of building, grounds and utilities. As Maintenance Manager you report directly to the Plant Manager and will work closely with the Plant Superintendent and Operations, outside vendors and contractors and the maintenance team.

Essential job responsibilities

- Coordinate and manage installation of new equipment installation and commissioning for start-up.
- Develops and implements plant maintenance program based on best practices in support of efficient business operations.
- Manage continuous improvement projects,
- Direct supervision of electrical and mechanical maintenance technicians.
- Oversees and participates in tracking work, spare parts and maintenance history. Ensures good controls are in place and best practices are utilized to manage spare parts, inventory levels and spare parts replenishment.
- Troubleshoot complex maintenance problems and provide technical guidance. Approves escalation to colleagues outside of the outside the department or outside contractors
- Work closely with HS&E to ensure a safe and healthy workplace for all employees. Supports Company and Site safety objectives and works with HS&E to manage and develop programs to ensure facilities operations and projects to comply with applicable codes, regulations and standards.

- Manage facility maintenance contracts, including communication with contract companies for supplies, services and support of systems and equipment. Acts as main point of contact for public utility, environmental and energy agencies.
- Manage annual capital and expense budgets for department.
- Adhere to the Fibertex Nonwovens Quality Policy to ensure our products and services meet customer's expectations.

Qualifications/Competencies

- BS Degree in Electrical or Mechanical Engineering or Equivalent
- 5–8 years' experience as Supervisor or Manager in manufacturing environment.
- Nonwovens, textiles or pulp & paper industry experience a plus
- "Hands-on" Manager
- Good written and verbal communication skills
- Available to be "on call" to assure equipment and plant are running in an efficient and safe manner
- Experienced in TPM programs and electrical (PLC's – Siemens & Allen Bradley)
- Ability to drive improvement in processes and equipment
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office including Word, Excel, Powerpoint and SAP.

Application and contact

Please send your resume to careers@fibertex.com. Contact Gwen Seagraves, HR Manager, Fibertex, Gray Court with any questions you may have about this position or the application process.