

Job Title: Irrigation Technician
Job Type: Field Agronomy
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Company Description

JMLord, Inc. has provided agronomic, engineering, and environmental consulting services to the agricultural and irrigation communities of California's Central Valley for over 40 years. JMLord is a highly mobile and responsive firm of engineers and scientists with expertise in civil, hydrological and agricultural engineering, practical agronomy, soil and plant science, irrigation scheduling, computer science and management.

Our multi-disciplined team provides professional services tailor-made for nearly any agricultural project. In addition to providing the professional services of certified crop advisors (CCAs), agronomist, pest control advisors (PCAs) certified agricultural irrigation specials (CAIS) and professional engineers (PEs), JML also operates a complete agronomic laboratory. Our expertise stems not only from theoretical knowledge, but also from the practical application and on-site management of production and engineering situations. In our work environment, you will be exposed to projects and ideas in which you might not have formal background. With effort, diligence, and desire, you will become an expert. We take pride in our professionalism and support our staff's efforts to learn and qualify their achievements.

Position Description

This position is an excellent opportunity to earn experience in agricultural technical consulting. Duties include data collection under field conditions, data management and analysis, agronomic and engineering calculations, preparation of reports and recommendations. Fundamental to the job is effective communication with growers, regulatory personnel, and fellow JMLord personnel. Essential job functions include evaluating irrigation and drainage system performance, monitoring field moisture levels in relation to plant growth and crop evapotranspiration. Provide growers with weekly irrigation recommendations. Read and understand maps, drawings, regulatory documents, reports, schematics, and other written or verbal directions to complete project tasks successfully.

Qualifications

Ideal candidate will have agricultural and irrigation experience. Candidate must be highly motivated and be able to work independently. A Bachelor degree in agricultural engineering, soil science, plant or crop science or related field. Certified Agricultural Irrigation Specialist (CAIS) license is not required but preferred and if accepted would be required to obtain said license. Good computer, writing, and communication skills a must. Clean DMV record and current California Driver's License required. Experience with Microsoft Office Google earth, Google maps, Access and ability to learn new software quickly.

Salary & Benefits

Competitive salary, depending on experience and qualifications. Anthem health insurance for employee. Flexible 401k and profit-sharing program. Paid vacation and sick leave. Company vehicle provided for business use only.