



**Ugu District Municipality  
Distrik Munisipaliteit  
Umasipala Wesifunda**

**EXTERNAL VACANCY**

**The Municipality seeks to appoint suitably qualified person to the following position within the WATER SERVICES DEPARTMENT:**

**FITTER AND TURNER  
Total Annual Salary: R 362 537.13 pa**

Reporting to the Manager: Mechanical & Electrical, the successful candidates will be responsible for the following, inter alia:

- Reading and interpreting drawings/works orders detailing layout and specifications.
- Stripping and repairing of all mechanical plant and equipment.
- Testing, using testing equipment and keep records of tests on all lifting equipment.
- Aligning, turning and/or overhauling of pumps and motors.
- Constructing/ welding of steel structures using welding equipment and applying finishing procedures, sealing joints etc.
- Inspecting works prior to commissioning and communicating with the immediate superior with regards to tests, adjustments, and functionality of the installation.
- Examining seams, joints and welds on systems, fixtures, and fittings.
- Completing 'critical inspection point' cycle and attending to the servicing of mechanical plant and equipment at prescribed intervals.
- Removing and replacing valves, seals and filtration devices controlling high and low pressure on water reticulation pumps and plants.
- Inspecting and identifying faults in the system, isolating defective area and commencing with repair sequence.
- Cutting/removing and replacing defective sections using welding techniques and/or couplings to secure joins.
- Co-ordinates specific administrative and reporting requirements associated with the key performance and result indicators of the section.
- Ensuring that the team is working in line with health & safety standards.

**Requirements:**

- A valid grade 12 Certificate
- Must be in a possession of a valid Trade Test Certificate for Fitter and Turner
- A minimum of 2 - 3 years practical experience as a Fitter and Turner
- Candidates must be willing to perform standby duties
- Proficiency in both English and isiZulu would be advantageous.
- Must be in a possession of a valid, clean code 08 drivers' license is essential.

**Benefits:**

- 13<sup>th</sup> Cheque
- Subsidized Pension and Medical Aid Schemes (subject to certain conditions)
- Subsidized Housing Scheme (subject to certain conditions)

**The canvassing of councillors and/or management in respect of this position will lead to disqualification of the applicant.**

Letters of application indicating the position being applied for, together with a comprehensive Curriculum Vitae and certified copies of qualifications to be forwarded to: [Recruitment@ugu.gov.za](mailto:Recruitment@ugu.gov.za) or The Manager: Human Resources, Ugu District Municipality, PO Box 33 (96 Marine Drive, Oslo Beach), PORT SHEPSTONE, 4240.

**The closing date for applications will be 16h00, Wednesday, 20 August 2025 (If you do not hear from us within 30 days of the closing date, regard your application as unsuccessful)**

**The Municipality is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer and in this vein, appropriately qualifying women and disabled persons are encouraged to apply.**

***The Municipality reserves the right not to make an appointment***