

MAINLINE CONSTRUCTION (2014) LTD. POSITION PROFILE

Position:	Mainline Hoe Operator	Status:	Seasonal - Hourly
Company:	Mainline Construction (2014) Ltd.	Location:	Grande Prairie, Alberta
Division:	Operations	Supervisor:	Foreman

Volker Stevin Canada and its subsidiaries across **Western Canada** are dedicated to providing the highest level of quality services in the areas of: construction, project management, highway maintenance, civil works and bridge construction, maintenance and rehabilitation expertise, and asphalt/aggregate plants and pits.

In anticipation of our client’s needs, we strive to build and maintain long term relationships based on safety, quality, value, trust, and timely service. In addition to upholding professionalism, integrity, honesty, and fairness in our relationships with our clients, professional associates, subcontractors, and suppliers we ensure the longevity of the Company while sustaining growth and profitability.

Holding a moral obligation to a safe, environmentally responsible work environment we model safety excellence as our way of life – where individual professional growth is the foundation for company growth. Our culture of building and maintaining successful partnerships instills confidence in achieving both employee and client goals.

Position Rationale

Mainline Construction Ltd. is seeking an experienced Mainline Hoe Operator. Reporting to the Foreman, the Mainline Hoe Operator is responsible for the safe and efficient operation of the construction hoe and to perform duties as assigned to ensuring the work completed is delivered according to contract specifications.

Position Accountabilities

Equipment Operations:

- Operate the hoe and other heavy equipment in a safe and appropriate manner.
- Perform daily maintenance and safety checks on equipment.
- Conduct pre-operational checks on equipment, and clean, lubricate and refill equipment, as necessary.
- Work with ground personnel in the excavation and installation process of laying pipe on line and grade.
- Ensure trench is excavated to the proper depth/grade.
- Responsible for placement of water, storm, and sanitary sewer pipe in the excavation.
- Follow directions of ground crew regarding craning, gravel placement and grading.
- Cut grade with minimal time spent on excavating to ensure production is on schedule.
- Conduct trench work, which meets OH&S (Occupational Health and Safety) requirements.

- Operate Hoe on public roadways, maintaining proper awareness of one’s surroundings.
- Ensure a sound understanding of the issues involving ground disturbance.
- Be aware of proper rigging of pipe, manhole barrels, etc. and ensure safe work procedures are followed during the lowering of materials into the excavation.
- Perform routine cleaning and maintenance to ensure smooth operation of the Excavator/Hoe.

Technical Knowledge:

- Knowledge of Hoes and other heavy equipment.
- Knowledge of water, storm, and sanitary sewer instillation.
- Understanding of computerized controls and electronics.

Work Environment / Conditions:

- Out-of-town travel is required.
- Overtime as required.
- Work is performed in an outdoor setting, which could include inclement weather, heat, and humidity.
- Must be physically able to lift and carry at least 20 LBS.
- Use of Personal Protection Equipment is required.
- Use of sunscreen, long sleeves, and appropriate headgear is recommended.
- Must comply with the company’s drug and alcohol testing requirements.

Safety:

- Actively engage in Mainline Construction Ltd.’s safety culture.
- Engage senior management on an ongoing basis regarding safety activities and successes.
- Remain visibly committed to the safety excellence way of life by:
 - Participating in all relevant safety training.
 - Attend weekly safety meetings.
 - Actively and positively participate.



Position Requirements

Qualifications & Experience:

- High school or equivalent; with experience in related construction activities.
- Class 5 license; clean abstract.
- Minimum 3 – 5 years’ experience within the Construction Industry.
- 2 – 3 years’ experience operating a Hoe is required.
- Ability to work in adverse weather conditions.