



Department of
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES
Job Postings



DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
JOB OPPORTUNITY
Transportation Principal Engineer (Construction Engineering)
Bureau of Public Transportation

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Open To: The Public (see Eligibility Requirement section below)
Location: 4 Brewery Street, New Haven, CT 06511
Job Posting No: 31504
Hours: 40 hours per week
Salary: Pay Grade FS-32a (\$97,306 to \$139,183 annually)
Closing Date: **July 27, 2017**

There is a Transportation Principal Engineer (Construction Engineering) opportunity currently available in the Bureau of Public Transportation, Office of Rail, located in New Haven. This position is in the P-4 bargaining unit.

Position Description: This position will be responsible for leading and supervising the Supervising Engineers and Supervising Rail Officers.

Duties will include assigning, and overseeing the work of Supervising Engineers and Supervising Rail Officers, setting priorities, establishing office policies, and evaluating performance in areas of rail facilities and infrastructure construction, rail facilities and infrastructure maintenance, including bridges, structures, catenary, signal systems, highway grade crossings, yard facilities and oversight of safety directives.

This position requires considerable knowledge of relevant agency policies and procedures; considerable knowledge of relevant state and federal laws, statutes and regulations; considerable knowledge of latest techniques and procedures employed in the field of engineering as applied to the Department of Transportation; considerable interpersonal skills; oral and written communication skills; considerable ability to select consultants to augment staff, assigns tasks to consultants and contractors, negotiates fees and monitors payment; determines the validity of contractor claims brought against the State; approves changes orders and schedule changes; works directly with management an Metro-North, Amtrak and freight operations to set priorities related to track usage, staff resources, and equipment resources. Mediates conflicts between projects; responsible for the oversight of federal and coordinating with federal agencies.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING:

General Experience: Nine (9) years of experience in land surveying or transportation construction engineering projects.

Special Experience: One (1) year of the general experience must have been in a supervisor capacity over complex transportation construction engineering projects. For state employees supervisor capacity is interpreted at the level of Transportation Supervising Engineer (Construction Engineering),
OR

Two (2) years of the general experience must have been in a lead capacity over complex construction engineering projects in surveying. For state employees lead capacity is interpreted at the level of Transportation Engineer 3 (Construction Engineering).

Special Requirements: Incumbents must possess Land Surveyor (LS) licensure or Professional Engineer (PE) licensure from the Department of Consumer Protection State Board of Examiners for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors consistent with C.G.S. §20-302. Incumbents may be required to travel.

Eligibility Requirement: Candidates must meet the minimum qualifications listed above by the closing date of this posting. DOT employees who currently hold this title, or those who have previously attained permanent status in this title since their most recent hire date, may apply for lateral transfer.

Application Instructions: Submit a cover letter which states your interest and suitability for the position, resume, and [State of Connecticut Application for Examination of Employment Form \(CT-HR-12\)](#). **State employees must include copies of last two service ratings received.** Your application must be received by July 27, 2017, and will not be considered without all required documents. Send to:

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2800 Berlin Turnpike, Newington, CT 06131-7546
or email to: Rose.Hunter@ct.gov

Interviews may be limited to candidates whose experience and training most closely meet the requirements of the position. The candidate pool resulting from these interviews may be used to fill future positions in same classification in the Bureau of Public Transportation, Office of Rail, within one year.

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The State of Connecticut is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and strongly encourages the applications of women, minorities, and persons with disabilities.