

Journeyman Lineman-Full Time

Surry-Yadkin EMC, a Touchstone Energy Cooperative, provides electricity to 27,000 members in our five-county service territory in the foothills of North Carolina. As a member-owned cooperative, we strive to obtain professional, dedicated employees committed to serving our members with the highest regard.

Responsibilities and Duties

Provide members with service in line construction and maintenance of the co-op distribution system, serving on a line crew. Build, maintain, and repair overhead and underground power distribution lines in a safe and efficient manner of operations standards under direction of the Crew Foreman. Responsible for safe operation of equipment and operations on digger trucks (line trucks) and bucket trucks in order to construct and maintain electrical systems of de-energized and energized lines, troubleshoot problems of overhead, underground, substations, breaker stations, and transmission lines.

Required Qualifications

- **Minimum of two years** experience as a Journeyman lineman;
- Ability to ascend and descend poles of all types to change out crossarms, transformers and repair conductors, etc., as well as maintains current knowledge of equipment, RUS specifications, and OSHA regulations;
- Ability to work safely on 3 phase lines;
- Ability to lead crew during on call rotation;
- Ability to interpret maps, specifications, staking sheets, and complex diagrams.
- Ability to maintain records required for time worked and materials;
- Thorough knowledge of first-aid, safety rules, line materials and tools and their use.
- Working knowledge of URD pad mounts and URD specifications as well as reclosers, regulators, substation use, arresters, opening points and line feeds;
- Good judgment, safe work methods, and ability to work well with diverse groups of people;
- Must perform Pole Top Rescue and Bucket Rescue;
- Assist in training Apprentice Lineman;
- Ability to lead in Crew Foreman's absence;
- Valid Class A CDL Driver's License;
- Must live within a **30-mile radius** of Surry-Yadkin EMC's main office located at 510 S. Main Street, Dobson, NC 27017.

Desired Qualifications

- Five+ years of experience as a Journeyman Lineman;
- Prior supervisory experience;
- Prior work experience on a co-op distribution system.

Work Conditions:

- Must be able to work outside during all weather conditions and terrain on a regular and/on-call basis, in a safe and productive manner;
- May move up to 50 pounds in a safe manner;
- Must be able to work days, nights, weekends, and holidays on an on-call basis.

Anyone interested in and qualified for this position should apply at www.indeed.com or through NC Works. Applications are due no later than March 16th, 2018 at 5:00 p.m.