Safety Officer - Rail Operations & Facilities

Pittsburgh Regional Transit is seeking a Safety Officer – Rail Operations & Facilities to provide technical and field support to the Deputy Chief Safety Officer, and all Division Management as needed.

Essential Functions:

- Assists Division Directors and Deputy Chief Safety Officer and other Safety Officers in identification and resolution of employee and operations safety issues.
 - Provide safety support during all construction projects including design/specification review, site inspections and regulatory reviews.
 - Conduct periodic reviews of work zones along the rail alignment to ensure compliance with Rail SOP's.
- Assists the DCSO and other Safety Officers with regulatory compliance issues, developing and implementing accident and injury prevention policy, procedures, and programs.
 - Assist with security assessments of divisions and other infrastructure in response to Homeland Security initiatives.
 - Assist with development of internal and multi-agency response drills and tabletop exercises.
 - Maintain thorough knowledge of State Oversight Rule 49CFR 672, 673, 674.

Job requirements include:

- BA/BS in Safety Science, Occupational Safety and Health, Environment Health and safety or related field from an accredited school. Related experience may be substituted for education on a year-for-year basis. Minimum of three (3) years' experience in occupational safety or related field.
- Ability to obtain the FTA required TSSP-Rail and PTSCTP certifications within 3 years of hire.
- Effective and professional communication skills.
- Valid driver's license.
- Demonstrated ability in the use of Windows, Microsoft Word, and Excel.

Preferred attributes:

- Qualified accident and injury prevention provider as defined by Pennsylvania Worker's Compensation Regulations.
- Prior work in union environment.
- Certified safety professional or associate safety professional designation.
- Heavy machinery/construction experience.
- Mass/rail transit safety experience.
- Investigative and/or police work experience.



We offer a comprehensive compensation and benefits package. Interested candidates should forward a cover letter (*with salary requirements*) and resume to:

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