

Line Mechanics

About Us:

EA Networks is a cooperative network company based in Mid Canterbury. It owns and operates the region's electricity distribution network, as well as an advanced fibre optic communications network. Being locally owned and operated means EA Networks and its 130 staff have strong ties with the community that they work and live in. The core focus for EA Networks is maintaining a resilient electricity and fibre network while supporting the local economy and community. For more information about the company visit www.eanetworks.co.nz

The Role:

We have an exciting opportunity for **two Line Mechanics** to join our Overhead Services team.

Reporting to the Overhead Services Manager, you'll be responsible for safely providing line maintenance, line construction and fault repair services across our network supporting the reliable delivery of electricity services to customers. Working as part of a skilled and supportive team, you'll help ensure our work is completed safely, efficiently and to the highest industry standards.

Got what it takes?

To be successful in this role you will have:

- New Zealand Line Mechanic Registration or Electrician Registration
- A full New Zealand Class 1 Manual Driver Licence. Class 2 – 5 are desirable
- Experience in overhead electricity distribution construction and maintenance
- Strong commitment to health, safety and wellbeing
- Ability to work effectively as part of a team and communicate well with team members
- Good organisational skills and the ability to think clearly under pressure
- Physical fitness and willingness to work outdoors in a range of weather conditions and at heights
- TMO and STMS A & B qualifications or willing to obtain
- Live line glove and barrier qualifications and experience will be looked upon favourably, along with previous fault response and high voltage construction experience

On Offer:

We prioritise providing our people with the best possible experience. In addition to a great workplace, we operate a strong reliable network and have modern, well-maintained vehicles and gear. Our employee benefits scheme offers rewards and benefits to help cover life's costs and support personal wellbeing. We also offer competitive remuneration, with overtime rates plus allowances and enhanced annual leave benefits. We have an active Social Club with activities throughout the year, discounted gym/fitness centre memberships, an expansive break room and free on-site staff parking. You'll get to work with like-minded people who are passionate about keeping the lights and internet on throughout the Ashburton District.

Being a part of the Ashburton District means you're a part of a strong supportive community with a great semi-rural lifestyle. With a variety of local dining and services, and excellent skiing, hunting, tramping and fishing spots nearby, you'll be spoiled for choice. As it's only a 60-minute drive from Christchurch Airport, it doesn't take long to experience city life.

Join Us:

To apply, please submit your CV and Cover Letter. Applicants must be residing in and have the right to work in New Zealand. Pre-employment checks including a medical, drug and alcohol test and Ministry of Justice checks will apply. For further information please contact Sarah Green 027 355 6914. **Closing Date for Applications 14th August 2026** however applications will be reviewed as they are received so the advertisement may close early.