The City of Merkel is accepting applications for positions in the street department and the public works department.

Applicants must have the following:

\*High School Diploma or Equivalent

\*Valid Texas Driver’s License

\*Ability to obtain TCEQ water and sewer licensing.

\*Ability to perform heavy manual labor; Lift up to 100 pounds occasionally and 30-50 Pounds regularly; use shovel, rake, and common hand tools; working in all types of weather conditions.

\*Ability to operate a variety of construction and maintenance equipment including dump truck, utility truck, backhoe, air compressor, generator, lawnmowing equipment, chainsaw, and common power tools; provide routine inspection, maintenance, cleaning, and repairs.

\*Ability to read and understand rough plans and diagrams.

\*Ability to understand and follow oral and written instructions.

\*Ability to work effectively, efficiently, and safely in a small group or alone, without continuous supervision.

\*Ability to conduct other tasks as required including those in the water, sewer, and parks departments.

\*Ability to be in the “on-call” rotation and work after hours in emergency situations.

Pay is D.O.E.

City of Merkel is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Applications are available at and must be returned to City Hall, 100 Kent, Merkel, TX 79536 on or before April 18, 2025.