

## **WATER RESOURCE PLANNER**

**Job Code**  
8509C3

**Job Title**  
Water Resource Planner

**Pay Grade**  
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### **CONCEPT:**

This is specialized, technical work in gathering and evaluating data to formulate and implement the State Water Plan. Work involves collecting, compiling and analyzing water resource data from a variety of resources; evaluating and reporting on results; and making written recommendations for water resource planning, issues, and policies. Work also includes coordinating the development and implementation of the State Water Plan with local, regional and national water resource activities. May often be assigned to conduct or chair meetings in order to gather information, determine issues, provide consultation or serve as a technical resource.

### **TASKS:**

- Coordinates formulation of assigned sub-sections of a state plan to manage, conserve and develop the water resources of the state by working with river basin committees, governmental personnel, private interest groups and the general public.
- Develops legislation and policy guidelines to implement, operate and evaluate the State Water Plan by gathering information on its effectiveness.
- Recommends action to resolve water planning issues in accordance with state laws governing water resource management.
- Monitors water supply and use in the state by collecting and compiling data pertaining to the state's water resources.
- Coordinates water resource management activities by serving as negotiator/liaison between local, state and federal agencies and other states.
- Chairs interdisciplinary committees to address water resource management issues.
- Travels to various locations of the state to study the water resources of the area, participate in meetings, and serve as a technical resource in the field.

### **LEVELS OF WORK**

- Class Group consists of one level.

### **Minimum Requirements:**

Four years of direct experience in geology/hydrogeology/earth science/geoscience.

NC: 9/15  
REV: 6/24  
REV: 7/25