Job Description – Service/O&M Technician

Established in 2006, LightWave Solar is the trusted source for solar PV and energy storage installations in the Southeast.

We are looking for a Service/O&M Technician to work with existing photovoltaic (PV) systems installed by LightWave Solar and others. Technician will be called on to perform Service, Warranty and Operation & Maintenance duties. Systems range from 1kW to multiple MW, and project types vary and include residential, commercial, industrial and utility-scale grid-tied, off-grid and hybrid/battery storage systems. Project locations span a large part of the TN Valley region and include ground-mounted, roof-mounted and carport installations as well as fixed-tilt and tracking systems. Position includes troubleshooting and maintenance of monitoring systems as well as analysis of data obtained from monitoring systems.

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES:
• Respond to Service calls as dispatched, drive assigned issues and seek advice/counsel as needed
• Track progress of cases and log communications with clients and manufacturers as detailed notes in Sugar CRM
• Perform troubleshooting and implement Code compliant fixes in the field in a safe manner
• Work with OEMs to determine warranty status of installed equipment
• Fill out Service Work Orders, track travel and labor time as well as used materials for billing
• Communicate all matters with Service Manager
• Confirm accuracy of, red-line and/or modify As Built Drawings as needed
  o Bring changes to Service Manager’s attention for inclusion in archived documents
• Secure additional field help for Service work, as needed, through Service Manager
• Work on PV Installation team(s) as necessary and when available
• Perform PV system commissioning and testing processes
• Assist Service Manager in feedback loops to Install, Project Management and Engineering teams
  o Critically examine installations and pass on findings through constructive feedback to constantly improve quality

KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL REQUIREMENTS:
• 1+ year minimum experience as a solar PV Installer preferred
• Full NABCEP PV certification preferred
  o Additional Electrical licensure or formal technical education a plus
• Strong understanding of grid-tied, off-grid and hybrid PV system design and installation, commissioning procedures, shut down / LOTO procedures, programming, troubleshooting, monitoring and repair
• Knowledge of the NEC Code and the ability to use and reference the Code as required

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• Proficient skills with computers including Windows OS (multiple versions), Microsoft Office and document/content creation
• Industrial Communications & Networking knowledge, including wired and wireless networks and system topologies
• Excellent interpersonal skills and attention to detail. This position educates and interacts with customers.
• Positive ‘can-do’ attitude and creative problem-solving ability required.
• Ability to work both under close direction and in a self-directed manner, as needed.
• Valid driver’s license is required.
• This position may require significant overnight travel.

Please send your resume and cover letter to jobs@lightwavesolar.com.