

VOLKER STEVIN POSITION PROFILE

Position:	Pipelayer Helper	Status:	Seasonal - Hourly
Company:	Volker Stevin Contracting Ltd.	Location:	Calgary, Alberta
Division:	Underground Utilities	Supervisor:	Foreman
Is this Safety Sensitive position?		Yes	

Volker Stevin Canada and its subsidiaries across **Western Canada** are dedicated to providing the highest level of quality services in the areas of: construction, project management, highway maintenance, civil works and bridge construction, maintenance and rehabilitation expertise, and asphalt/aggregate plants and pits.

In anticipation of our client’s needs, we strive to build and maintain long term relationships based on safety, quality, value, trust, and timely service. In addition to upholding professionalism, integrity, honesty, and fairness in our relationships with our clients, professional associates, subcontractors, and suppliers we ensure the longevity of the Company while sustaining growth and profitability.

Holding a moral obligation to a safe, environmentally responsible work environment we model safety excellence as our way of life – where individual professional growth is the foundation for company growth. Our culture of building and maintaining successful partnerships instills confidence in achieving both employee and client goals.

Position Rationale

Reporting to the Foreman and their Pipelayers, the Pipelayer Helper is responsible for providing physical labor support to the pipelayer during all phases of construction and helping to achieve productions safely.

Position Accountabilities

General Accountabilities:

- Load, unload and move construction materials around the worksite.
- Manually remove large rocks and debris turned up by heavy equipment, ensuring all revealed rocks and debris are clear.
- Flagging traffic when necessary.
- Understand, interpret, and follow directions from supervisors as to required work area.
- Signal operators of construction equipment to facilitate alignment and movement of materials.
- Using a rake or shovel, spread gravel and other construction materials for padding or setting structures or other utilities and piping.
- Shovel around live utilities to expose them without damaging.
- Operate equipment, such as pneumatic hammers, vibrators, tampers, and packers as required.

- Ensure the worksite is organized and free of clutter, rubble, and garbage.
- Other construction and general labor related duties as required.

Customer Service:

- Project a professional image in dealing with the public, internal and external clients, suppliers, and subcontractors.
- Model a clear understanding of who the internal and external customers of the Volker Stevin Group of Companies are.
- Demonstrate a “can do,” “problem solving” approach to all inquiries and concerns.
- Know when to seek assistance from supervision for issues or concerns

Working Environment / Conditions:

- Possible out of town and weekend work as required.
- Overtime and days of continuous service may be required.
- Work will be performed outdoors in various weather conditions; extreme cold, ensure preparedness with proper clothing and Personal Protective Equipment. Must comply with the Company’s drug and alcohol testing requirements.

Safety:

- Actively engage in Volker Stevin Canada’s safety culture.
- Engage supervisory staff on an ongoing basis regarding safety activities and successes.
- Remain visibly committed to the safety excellence way of life by:
 - Participating in all relevant safety training.
 - Actively and positively participating in weekly safety meetings, worksite inspections and daily FLHA’s.

Position Requirements

Qualifications & Experience:

- High School Diploma or G.E.D. preferred.
- Class 5 Driver’s License with a clean Driver’s Abstract (as per Company policy), is preferred.
- Physically fit and ability to repetitively lift and carry at least 40 lbs. on a regular basis.
- Preferred minimum 1 – 3 years of experience within the underground utility construction industry.