

Position Description



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Construction Manager – Distribution & Extra-High Voltage (EHV) Lines

NWTD Project

Construction

Objectives

- Lead a range of duties from planning through to commissioning.
- Managing, auditing and coordinating field teams, subcontractors, and stakeholders to ensure delivery to specifications with extensive site presence.
- Supervise the execution and completion of construction projects for transmission lines and substation connections.
- Coordinate quality inspections, testing, and ensure all work complies with project specifications.
- Manage site-based teams, including engineers, supervisors, and subcontractors

Role Specific Accountabilities

- Implement and enforce strict adherence to safety regulations, building codes, and environmental standards.
- Oversee the standard and progress of subcontractors' work, managing performance and addressing any resource gaps.
- Support the auditing of construction contractors to ensure workforce capability, compliance and quality of deliverables.
- Serve as primary contact for contractors, and internal teams, coordinating activities and managing expectations.
- Lead teams, fostering a culture of innovation and collaboration ensuring effective integration and collaboration within TasNetworks business functions and project contractors.
- Travel between regional sites when required, overseeing multiple concurrent projects to maintain delivery consistency.
- Monitor construction progress, prepare reports, resolve technical and logistical challenges, and mitigate potential risks or delays.
- Any other duty or task as reasonably and lawfully directed by TasNetworks.

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To be successful in this role

- Extensive proven experience in construction and delivery of transmission line or substation projects (HV/EHV).
- Experience in leadership roles within major infrastructure, transmission, energy, or comparable complex capital projects.
- Proficiency in interpreting electrical drawings (line diagrams, schematics) and project management software.
- Thorough understanding of the OHTL (Overhead Transmission Line) sequence of work, from foundation to final sag and commissioning.
- Excellent communication skills with the ability to translate complex data into clear insights and recommendations.
- Demonstrated ability to build collaborative relationships and influence senior stakeholders, delivery partners, and technical teams.
- Tertiary qualifications in engineering (electrical preferred), construction management, project management, or a related discipline (desirable but not mandatory).
- Experience with regulated utility environments or government-owned entities (advantageous).
- Experience in proactively identifying, managing and resolving conflict and issues on complex and/or high-profile projects, while working in a politically sensitive environment.

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Compliance Requirements

- A 'critical worker' suitability assessment for the purposes of the *Security of Critical Infrastructure Act 2018* (Cth) (or any successor to that Act) and the *Security of Critical Infrastructure (Critical Infrastructure Risk Management Program) Rules 2023* (Cth) (or any successor to those Rules), comprised of:
 - a National Security Assessment by ASIO;
 - a Criminal History Check by ACIC; and
 - a Right to Work in Australia check;

Reports to:

Construction General Manager

Direct reports:

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Approved:

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