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## **Land Surveyor Technician**

**(\$45,000 to \$75,000 annual salary, depending on qualifications)**

Benton Engineering is a consulting engineering and land surveying firm of 50+ employees serving public and private clients throughout Illinois, Missouri, and the greater Midwest. After 55+ years in business, our employee-owned firm is looking to its future by recruiting both recent graduates and experienced professionals with a variety of backgrounds and skill sets.

Benton Engineering is seeking a candidate to fill a **full-time, entry level Land Surveyor Technician** position located in **Jacksonville, Illinois**. The ideal candidate will have the ability to assist our surveying team in performing boundary, ALTA, topographic and construction surveys utilizing GPS and Total Station instruments. The ideal candidate will also quickly grow within Benton Engineering to become comfortable working independently and leading projects from inception with our clients.

### **Responsibilities**

- Operate survey instruments and equipment on a variety of projects including topographic, ALTA, boundary, and construction staking.
- Assists the party chief in obtaining field measurements and calculating points, elevations, lines, angles, and contours.
- Assists the party chief in preparing recorded plats and other work product.
- Learn Benton Engineering's surveying standards and become proficient in utilizing them on projects to deliver quality land surveying services to our clients.

### **Minimum Qualifications**

- High school diploma (or equivalent).
- Valid driver's license.
- Strong verbal communication skills to communicate with co-workers and the public.
- Able to follow instructions from PLS and project managers.
- Able to work in varying work conditions in the field such as heat, cold, and over challenging terrain.
- Experience and comfort working in a team environment with the ability to manage multiple projects and adjust work schedule to meet project deadlines in a fast-paced work environment.

### **Ideal Qualifications**

- Associate or bachelor's degree in surveying or a related field.
- CADD experience in developing boundary, ALTA, or topographic plans.
- Familiarity and technical ability to operate GPS equipment (preferably Trimble) and robotic Total Station instruments (preferably Topcon).



Benton Engineering strives to offer competitive salaries and performance incentives. Standard benefits for full-time employment include health and life insurance, flexible spending and health savings accounts, generous 401k retirement, professional development and training and flexible work scheduling. Benton Engineering's leadership recognizes the value each team member has in the firm's success, and they aim to provide as much financial recognition to those contributions as possible.

Resumes and applications may be submitted

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