



## Painter – Full Time

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**Location:** 617 NW 40<sup>th</sup> St, Seattle, WA

**Job type:** Full time/Permanent

**Compensation:** \$23-\$25 + OT

**Post date:** July 19, 2024

### Job Description:

Western Towboat Co. is searching for a **Painter** to join our team working in our Ballard shipyard. The marine Painter will prepare and coat steel, aluminum, and wood surfaces to support a fleet of tugboats. This position will work under the direction of the Lead Painter and assist in tasks related to the maintenance of our vessels. This is an opportunity to learn from and contribute to an industry leader that has been in the business for over 75 years.

### What we are looking for:

- Strong work ethic, punctuality, & flexibility.
- Painting experience, preferred.
- Marine painting experience, preferred.
- Experience prepping surfaces to be painted, preferred.
- Experience using power tools, preferred.
- Experience in and around a waterfront work setting, preferred.
- Ability to lift 50lbs without assistance.
- Ability to stand and walk for long periods of time.
- Ability to climb ladders and work at height.
- Ability to wear a respirator.

**Job Duties:**

- Prep surfaces to be painted using sandpaper, sanders, and needle guns.
- Paint a variety of surfaces including steel, aluminum, and wood.
- Work outside in every type of weather.
- Assist other departments of the company as needed.

**Schedule:**

- Western Towboat's normal working hours are 0600-1500 M-F.
- Painters typically work 10 hours a day, M-F.
- Special projects and deadlines often require evening and weekend work.
- Some travel to vessels and dry docks may be required.
- Applicants must be able to work daily at our facility in Seattle, WA.

**Benefits:**

- 401(k) Plan 4% match at 100%
  - Medical +HSA
  - Prescription Drug
  - Dental
  - Vision
- Paid Time Off
  - Vacation Pay
  - Paid Sick and Safe Time
  - Paid Holidays (6x)
- Employee Assistance Program
- Professional Development

Applicants must be 18 or older and authorized to work in the United States for any employer. Western Towboat Co. is a drug-free work environment and an equal opportunity employer. A criminal history background check and pre-employment drug screen may be conducted prior to beginning employment. Western Towboat is a family-owned company that builds, operates, and maintains tugboats. We have a fleet of over twenty-two tugs specifically designed for our unique work, primarily in Alaska and Puget Sound.