**Position:** Facilities Technician  
**Location:** Kendalia, TX  
**Website:** www.wildlife-rescue.org  
**Apply to:** WRRapplication@wildlife-rescue.org  
**Job Type:** Full-time

**History:** Established in 1977, Wildlife Rescue & Rehabilitation (WRR) receives over 10,000 wild animals per year for rehabilitation and release as well as providing permanent sanctuary for more than 600 resident non-releasable indigenous wildlife, non-native wildlife (large mammals, primates, reptiles and birds) and farmed animals. Wildlife Rescue is located on 212 acres in the beautiful Texas Hill Country, near Austin and San Antonio.

**Description:** The Facilities Technician’s role is responsible for performing a variety of duties that include installing, troubleshooting, repair and maintenance of facility equipment. The Facilities Technician will report to the Facilities Supervisor. Work Schedule will be for an 8-hour work day, 5 of the 7 days in a week, generally between the hours of 7:30 am and 5:30 pm.

**Primary Position Duties and Responsibilities:**

Primary areas of responsibility are tending to the maintenance of the facilities and equipment used in Kendalia to safely and efficiently operate the Sanctuary.

- Assist in the construction of new or expanded enclosures, buildings, and structures
- Perform necessary maintenance and repairs to all WRR enclosures, buildings, and structures on WRR Properties (Kendalia and San Antonio, Texas)
- Perform regular preventive maintenance on WRR machinery, vehicles, equipment on-site
- Coordinate work projects with Animal Care Staff to ensure the safety of all employees and animals
- Perform routine landscape work: mowing, edging, trimming shrubs and/or trees as necessary
- Ensure that the facility grounds and building are kept in an attractive and safe condition and take the necessary and prompt initiative in responding to all repair needs
- Assist in inspection of all animal enclosures to identify and repair any existing or potential issues with fence integrity, hotwires, or other materials
- Perform a variety of plumbing, electrical and carpentry maintenance functions
- Use a variety of hand and power tools, electric meters and material handling equipment in performing duties
- Communicate and assist vendors on ongoing construction projects
- Other duties as assigned

**Requirements:**

- Education: High School Diploma/GED, Trade School, or comparable skill set obtained through experience
- Experience: 2-3 years of facilities, general maintenance or construction experience
• Skills: Basic welding and carpentry skills preferred, any electrical experience a plus, able to operate heavy duty machinery, ability to work in a fast-paced environment, work efficiently as a team and independently
• Attendance: Must maintain regular and acceptable attendance
• Must be able to frequently lift and/or move items over 50lbs
• Must be able to work in diverse weather conditions

**Compensation:**
$12.00 - $14.50 per hour depending on experience, plus benefits (WRR will pay 55% of your monthly insurance premium) including paid vacation of 18 days per year and paid Holidays. Candidates selected for interview will be requested to provide references. Position open until filled.

*Persons interested in applying for this position should send a cover letter & resume (email preferred):*

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Attn: Facilities Supervisor
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