

**CHIEF PILOT (Mosquito Control):** Duties for this full time position include management of fixed wing and rotary wing aircraft; supervision of 2 part-time County pilots; aerial application of public health insecticides; surveillance; pre- and post-flight checks; assistance with the service, maintenance, or repair of aircraft and spray equipment; compliance with applicable FAA regulations/directives and State/Federal pesticide regulations; support of Emergency Management (Sheriff's Office) activities; and record keeping. Aircraft consist of one OV-10 Bronco (operated under public use) and one MD-500D/Hughes 369D (operated under public use and Part 91).

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:**

- Vocational/technical degree with emphasis in aviation
- Must possess and maintain valid FAA Commercial Pilots License with helicopter, multi-engine, and instrument rating
- 1,500 hours total time
- 500 hours multi-engine time
- 500 hours helicopter time with 100 hours in turbine powered helicopter
- Three (3) years previous experience or training in pesticide application
- Flight qualifications must be approved by insurance carrier
- Experience with management of crew members and interface with FAA to maintain required Congested Area Plan and Low Altitude Waiver
- Experience with aircraft maintenance preferred [Note: Mosquito Control employs one (1) full-time aircraft mechanic with an A&P and IA
- Experience with aerial navigational systems designed for mosquito control (such as AgNav Platinum with FlightMaster) preferred
- Must possess (or obtain within six months of hire date) and maintain valid South Carolina Certified Pesticide Applicator License (including Category 8 – Public Health Pest Control and Category 11 – Aerial Application of Agricultural Chemicals)
- Must possess and maintain FAA Class II Medical Certificate
- Must be able to lift up to forty (40) pounds
- Must be able to work independently
- Must possess and maintain a valid driver's license with a good driving record
- Computer proficiency
- Detail-oriented with strong organizational skills
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Work schedule is typically 6:00am to 2:30pm, Monday to Friday, but may vary

**SALARY: \$25.94 hour DOQ  
OPEN UNTIL FILLED**

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**WEBSITE:** [www.beaufortcountysc.gov](http://www.beaufortcountysc.gov) (see Mosquito Control among various Departments)

All applicants tentatively selected for a position with Beaufort County Council will be required to submit to urinalysis to screen for the illegal use of drugs and to a background check prior to appointment. Employment is contingent upon clearing both the drug screening and background investigations. Beaufort County is an Equal Opportunity Employer