

APPRENTICESHIP

Congratulations Graduates of the Department of Water Resources Apprenticeship Program!

The California Department of Water Resources held a celebration honoring the hard work and dedication of 18 new apprentice graduates last December in Bakersfield. Graduates included three hydroelectric plant electricians, three hydroelectric plant mechanics, five hydroelectric plant operators and seven utility craftworkers. The Hydroelectric Plant Mechanic and Electrician Apprentices completed a 4-year program while the Hydroelectric Plant Operators and Utility Craftworker Apprentices completed a 3-year program. Over the last 48 years, the DWR Apprenticeship Program has had 450 Hydroelectric Plant and 119 Utility Craftworker Apprentices successfully complete the program and become qualified journeyworkers.

For more information about the DWR apprenticeship, please visit the [Department of Water Resources apprenticeship program page](#).



Department of Water Resources apprentice graduates and instructors.