

The following is an application for membership into Pipeliners Local Union 798 as a Welder Helper. If accepted, the Welder Helper initiation fee is \$1200.00.

It is very important that you understand that this is an opportunity for membership only, and is not a guarantee of a job. Pipeline jobs average 1 week to 2 ½ months in duration and are often done in remote areas, which may require substantial travel to all parts of the United States. You also have to pay for your own travel and living expenses while employed on a pipeline job. The Welder Helper job includes assisting the Welder with his or her equipment, and grinding and buffing the weld to eliminate slag. Welder Helpers are expected to work 10 hour shifts and occasional overtime, six to seven days a week and must be able to operate in a fast-paced, drug-free environment. Work includes prolonged standing, bending, stooping, reaching, heavy lifting, working on irregular surfaces while using hand/power tools, ability to perform assigned tasks in an outdoor production environment in all types of weather (i.e., extreme temperatures, loud noises, heavy equipment, and other hazards associated with an outdoor heavy construction environment). Welder Helpers must also be willing to travel for extended periods of time. In time, Helpers may advance to Welder or Journeyman Spacer status by learning the trade from an experienced Journeyman and meeting the policy requirements to change their classification.

If you are still interested in applying for Welder Helper membership, please complete the pre-qualifying application, print, and mail to Helper Application, PO Box 470798, Tulsa, OK 74147-0798. Applications are only reviewed as Helper Members are needed according to industry requirements. **You will be notified by mail once your application has been reviewed.** It is not necessary for you to contact us regarding your application.

Local 798 is committed to nondiscriminatory treatment of all members (and potential members) working in the Pipeline Construction Industry. Any member who interferes with Local 798's EEOC efforts will be subject to discipline, up to and including expulsion from Local Union 798. In accordance to EEOC guidelines, all membership applications are considered regardless of a person's race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or disability.

YEAR	TECHNICAL SCHOOL	DEGREE/DIPOLMA	LOCATION

YEAR	MILITARY EXPERIENCE	MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALITIES	LOCATION

Experience References:

1. _____
 (Name) (Address) (Phone)
2. _____
 (Name) (Address) (Phone)
3. _____
 (Name) (Address) (Phone)
4. _____
 (Name) (Address) (Phone)
5. _____
 (Name) (Address) (Phone)

Where did you hear about Pipeliners Local Union 798? _____

Why do you want to be a member of Pipeliners Local Union 798? _____

