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SUMMARY

Enthusiastic service electrician with over five years of robust experience in residential and commercial electrical systems. Strongly committed to installing, repairing, and maintaining electrical equipment, responsibilities ensured compliance with city codes and safety standards. Developed reputation for outstanding problem-solving abilities, executing effective solutions under pressure, delivering high-quality service that fosters lasting client relationships. Proven track record includes conducting preventative maintenance and contributing to team training initiatives, promoting both operational efficiency and enhanced teamwork. Driven by a passion for exemplary customer service and technical excellence.

EXPERIENCE

Service Electrician

June 2021 – Present

Chicagoland Electrical Services

Chicago, IL

Oversaw all aspects of electrical installations and repairs within residential and commercial environments, significantly enhancing functional systems. Led troubleshooting efforts for motor and control systems, achieving marked reductions in repeat service calls through strategic approaches. Championed routine electrical maintenance schedules, leading to notable gains in reliability and heightened satisfaction levels among clientele. Executed comprehensive conduit-bending and wire-pulling tasks per established regulations, upholding the highest standards of compliance. Fostered collaborative efforts ensuring project alignment with City of Chicago safety codes while nurturing an atmosphere prioritizing workplace safety.

- Installed and serviced diverse electrical systems, successfully facilitating ongoing functionality in multifaceted projects.
- Executed troubleshooting protocols for motors and controls, reducing errors and improving end-user experiences.
- Devised and implemented maintenance strategies, focusing on preventative care that extends system reliability.
- Performed intricate conduit bending and wire pulling, adhering strictly to established safety guidelines.
- Teamed with colleagues to align project outputs with local safety regulations, consistently meeting compliance benchmarks.
- Mentored junior electricians on best safety practices, fostering skill development and industry knowledge.

Apprentice Electrician

March 2018 – May 2021

Northside Electrical

Chicago, IL

Contributed as an apprentice to major installation and repair efforts across numerous residential projects, gaining invaluable hands-on experience. Supported seasoned electricians with installations that required specific technical expertise, enhancing core skills and familiarity with electrical schematics. Participated actively in troubleshooting initiatives, applying critical thinking toward resolving complex challenges. Maintained tools and workspaces for optimal efficiency, ensuring uninterrupted service delivery during operations.

- Assisted effectively with installations of electrical fixtures, influencing timely completion rates on ambitious project schedules.
- Gained insights in reading blueprints and schematics, directly supporting senior engineers/fellow craftsmen in essential tasks.
- Played a key role in troubleshooting mechanical issues, showcasing adaptability in handling operational challenges.
- Ensured equipment and tools were kept in excellent condition, strengthening overall accuracy and safety practices.
- Demonstrated flexibility to support emergency service requests, responding promptly to urgent customer needs.
- Engaged in consistent skill development by exploring new technologies, thus contributing to personal and professional growth.

LEADERSHIP & AWARDS

- Received 'Employee of the Month' at Chicagoland Electrical Services for outstanding performance and dedication.
- Awarded top accolades in a safety-compliance initiative, highlighting commitment to best practices.

EDUCATION

Certificate in Electrical Technology

2026

Chicago Technical Institute GPA: 3.8

Chicago, IL

Coursework: Safety Procedures, Wiring Techniques, Motor Controls, Electrical Codes

CERTIFICATIONS

- OSHA Safety Certification 📅 2025
- Electrical License, State of Illinois 📅 2026

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Electrical Codes:** NEC, NFPA, IEC
- **Tools & Equipment:** Multimeter, Wire Stripper, Oscilloscope

- **Software Applications:** AutoCAD, Revit, ETAP
- **Safety Standards:** OSHA, ANSI, NESC
- **Wiring Techniques:** Conduit Bending, Raceways, Surface Mounts
- **Maintenance Practices:** Preventive Checks, Repairs, Upgrades
- **Power Systems:** AC/DC Circuits, Transformers, Inverters
- **Installation Skills:** Mounting Fixtures, Electrical Connectors, Circuit Outlets
- **Communication Tools:** MileIQ, Slack, Trello
- **Networking Procurement:** Supplier Coordination, Inventory Management, Resource Allocation

SKILLS

- Electrical schematics
- Control System Design
- Programmable Logic Controllers
- Energy Efficiency
- Safety compliance
- Residential wiring
- Power Distribution Systems
- Wire Management
- Troubleshooting and repair
- Circuit breakers
- Preventive Maintenance
- Voltage Testing
- Lighting Systems
- Panel upgrades
- Junction boxes

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, advancing industry networking and professional knowledge.
- Active participant in local community service initiatives focused on electrical safety education.

LANGUAGES

- English (Native)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Work Status : Authorized to work in United States. No sponsorship required.

REFERENCES

AVAILABLE ON REQUEST