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Meet an Engineer

ERIKA GOMEZ

Assistant Utility Engineer

Erika Gomez, E.I.T., is an Assistant Utility Engineer with McAllen Public Utility (MPU). Erika has worked for MPU for the past 14 years. She first held administrative roles, before moving to an engineering position after graduating in 2017 with a BS in Civil Engineering and receiving her Engineer-In-Training (E.I.T.) certification. As an E.I.T., Erika assists the Utility Engineers with oversight of engineering infrastructure projects designed to expand and improve MPU's water, reclaimed water and wastewater systems. In her position, she reviews and designs plans in the office and she also has to check the quality of the work being done in the field. Besides a BS in Civil Engineering, Erika holds a BA in Psychology and a MS in Human Services Management. When she is not studying for her Professional Engineer licensure exam, Erika likes to decorate and remodel her home. Erika lives in McAllen, Texas with her husband and two daughters, who are interested in science related careers.

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