



JOB POSTING

GIS Technician II

COMPETITION NO: 2017-031
TERMS: Permanent Full-Time
HOURS OF WORK: 35 Hours per Week
APPLICATION DEADLINE: 4:00 p.m., July 11, 2017

Encompassing an unparalleled geographic region in the heart of British Columbia, the Thompson-Nicola Regional District (TNRD) offers the best of both worlds. Urban life within vibrant communities and outlying rural regions that showcase the region's beauty - pristine but rugged mountains, rolling grasslands, lush evergreen forests and both historic and modern areas, all within approximately 45,000 square kilometres. Headquartered in the City of Kamloops, the TNRD provides a wide range of local government services to a population of 130,000 located within its 11 diverse municipalities and 10 electoral areas.

The Role:

This position formally reports to the Manager of Technology Services, with daily activities being coordinated and reviewed by the GIS Coordinator. The position is responsible for assisting in the on-going development, maintenance and expansion of geographic information and peripheral systems. Your role will require you to create and maintain spatial and attribute data; prepare maps, reports, and related information; review and consult with end users regarding information requests; write, modify, and test GIS scripts to generate and access data or reports; participate in the development and implementation of GIS workflow procedures; and provide end user support and training assistance as required.

The Ideal Candidate - You are an experienced professional with:

Required Education and Experience

- Completion of a recognized degree or diploma relating to digital mapping or GIS technology
- Minimum of two years hands-on GIS-related work experience, preferably in a local government environment

Other Skills and Abilities

- Thorough understanding of cartographic standards, principles, and techniques
- In-depth knowledge of GIS analysis techniques, concepts, procedures, and project design as it relates to GIS
- Considerable experience maintaining a cadastral fabric
- Considerable experience with ESRI and Geocortex software
- Awareness of provincial and municipal government mapping standards
- Substantial expertise and ability to apply cartographic concepts in both hardcopy and electronic environments for the purpose of clearly communicating geographic information

- Knowledge of legal land surveying, coordinate geometry, and property database systems
- Ability to correspond with courtesy, tact, diplomacy, and persuasion, when interacting with staff members and external agencies
- Ability to complete assignments under the pressure of competing deadlines and frequent interruptions.
- Ability to provide one on one training, guidance and support to users
- Working knowledge of Tempest is preferable

This position falls under the provisions of the Collective Agreement with the Canadian Union of Public Employees, Local 900 and is subject to a market rate adjustment. The biweekly salary for this position is \$2,357.78.

Please email your application to humanresources@tnrd.ca by **4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 11, 2017 quoting Competition No. 2017-031.** Applications **must include a cover letter and a resume** outlining your qualifications and experience.

Working together, we provide exceptional public service in a supportive, flexible environment

Thank you for considering the Thompson-Nicola Regional District as a place to share your talents!

While we appreciate the interest of all applicants, only those candidates under consideration will be contacted.