The Resort Municipality of Whistler is a one-of-a-kind community and is often recognized as the number one mountain and ski resort destination in North America. It has a thriving four-season events calendar, and arts and culture sector. Whistler was the Host Mountain Resort for the 2010 Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games.

Financially sound and responsive to an engaged mayor and council, this is a high performance municipal organization serving a community of almost 12,000 people and three million annual visitors. As an economic generator of over $1.53 billion annually, Whistler is key to British Columbia’s tourism economy.

The Information Technology (IT) department of the Corporate and Community Services division has an opportunity for qualified individuals to apply for the term position of Student Computer Systems Technician – Geographic Information System (GIS). Reporting to the Manager of IT, this position offers 72 hours bi-weekly starting approximately September 3, 2019 through to December 31, 2019.

The Student Computer Systems Technician – GIS’s main responsibilities will be to assist with key tasks and projects that support the ongoing development of the RMOW’s spatial data, mapping products, and related business processes including; the collection, creation, and validation of data; scripting and automation of workflows; and the improvement of web-based mapping applications.

Qualified candidates possess training and experience using Esri’s ArcGIS software (version 10.3 or greater), supplemented by some previous work experience in a similar role and will be currently enrolled full-time in a recognized post-secondary GIS or a directly related degree and be returning on a full-time basis in January 2020. Candidates must have knowledge and an understanding of GIS principles, cartography and mapping systems; be committed to following spatial data management best practices; and a working knowledge of applications such as Collector for ArcGIS, Microsoft Office Suite, and FME.

The successful candidate will be approachable, helpful and customer service focused; demonstrates the ability to organize, prioritize and work independently; and to work closely with others, contributing to a positive team environment.

Interested candidates are invited to submit a resume and cover letter online at www.whistler.ca/careers

Posting No. 80-19 | Deadline for applications is Thursday, August 15, 2019

We thank all applicants for their interest however, only those candidates selected for further consideration will be contacted.

The Resort Municipality of Whistler is committed to being an equal opportunity employer who embraces and respects diversity.