

Computer Systems Technician - GIS

Term Posting No. 067-23

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Situated within the shared, unceded territory of the Lilwat7úl (Lílwat People) and Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish People), the Resort Municipality of Whistler (RMOW) is a vibrant destination resort community, local government organization and leader in providing municipal programs, services, progressive planning and infrastructure. The RMOW is a high performance municipal organization and significant tourism economy serving a community of 14,000 permanent residents and over three million annual visitors. Whistler's vision is to be a place where our community thrives, nature is protected and guests are inspired.

The Information Technology (IT) department has an opportunity for qualified individuals to apply for the position of Computer Systems Technician - GIS. Reporting to the Manager of IT, this position offers 72 hours bi-weekly starting as soon as possible for a period of 1 year.

The main responsibilities are to support the administration and ongoing development of the RMOW's GIS platform. This position will support the GIS Supervisor to manage the RMOW's spatial data catalog and integrated GIS system which is utilized and relied upon by staff and RMOW residents for online, location-based information. This role will also assist with the collection, validation and entry of data to the GIS system and support the GIS Supervisor as needed.

Qualified candidates have completed a bachelor's degree or diploma in GIS, training and experience using Esri's ArcGIS software (supported versions only) and awareness of GIS trends and best practices required, specific to local government considered a strong asset. Qualified candidates demonstrate knowledge and strong understanding of GIS principles, cartography and mapping systems; of GIS geodatabase and application development; of ArcGIS for Server architecture would be considered an asset; familiarity with and commitment to following spatial data management best practices and working knowledge of applications including Microsoft Office Suite, Microsoft SharePoint, FME and AutoCAD.

The successful candidate is a positive and approachable individual with excellent communication skills and a customer service focus and is organized, analytical and process oriented. The successful candidate also demonstrates commitment to promoting a diverse and inclusive workplace within their team and will create and maintain effective working relationships with others while contributing to a positive environment. As a requirement of the position, the successful applicant must hold a valid BC class 5 driver's license and must provide a satisfactory driver's abstract and a satisfactory Police Information Check prior to beginning employment.

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

Posting No. 067-23 | Deadline for applications is Sunday, June 11, 2023

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.