

Utilities Engineer (Permanent, Full-Time) # 743

Closing Date: Open until filled

At the City of Kamloops, we believe in progressive and barrier-free recruitment for everybody every day. This means employment opportunities for all in a safe, inclusive and diverse workplace. We know our city is stronger when we hire qualified individuals from different backgrounds with diverse experiences, cultures and perspectives.

We are focused on creating the highest levels of service excellence, based on an organization-wide community culture that celebrates our employees who make it all happen. We are known as Canada's Tournament Capital and are famous for our hospitality and community spirit, traits that make us a leader! Recreation, sports, arts and culture, health care, social activities, volunteerism, and affordable housing all meld to form a unique blend of big-city amenities with small-town ambience. This is Kamloops!

Let's make Kamloops shine! Join our team today.

Position Overview

The Utilities Engineer is responsible for ensuring that the sanitary sewer, municipal water systems and drainage systems are planned and expanded in a manner such that the medium- and long-range utility development plans for the City of Kamloops are properly accommodated. This position provides professional engineering services to support Civic Operations and the City's capital works program. If you are someone who shares our corporate values and are Trusting, Health Conscious, Cooperative, Inclusive, Purposeful, and Resilient and someone who wants to contribute to the development of their community in a meaningful way, then the Utilities Engineer position may be a great fit for you!

Please note that the preference will be to hire a Registered Professional Engineer (P. Eng.) with the Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of BC or equivalent in an exempt management position. However, applicants registered as an Engineer-in-Training in the Province of BC or equivalent may be considered in a CUPE unionized position. We will also be giving preference to an individual with experience in drainage.

The successful candidate must have the following qualifications:

- University Degree in Engineering with a specialization directly relevant to municipal water, wastewater, and stormwater systems.
- Registered as a Professional Engineer in the Province of British Columbia OR registered as an Engineer-in-Training in the Association of Engineers and Geoscientists of BC.
- Minimum five years municipal engineering experience, either in government and/or in a private consulting capacity.
- Minimum two years of supervisory experience.
- Minimum two years of experience relevant computer modelling.
- Strong organizational and public relations skills.
- Excellent communication skills, both written and verbal.
- Positive, dynamic, results-oriented engineer that possesses exceptional people skills.

For new hires, and for those working in designated positions of trust, including those working directly with vulnerable persons, no formal offer of employment will be made until an applicant completes a police information check. A comprehensive benefits package is included with this position.

This position has a starting salary of \$120,685.50 annually, with a performance-based progression through a step-based process to \$130,728.00 annually. The City has a comprehensive benefit package including generous vacation and an Earned Days Off program.

Effective November 1, 2021, the City of Kamloops implemented a Covid-19 Vaccination Policy that defines the conditions and expectations for employees regarding vaccination against COVID-19. The policy requires all employees hired after October 31, 2021, to be fully vaccinated, unless they can establish that they cannot be fully vaccinated for a valid reason related to a protected ground under the BC Human Rights Code. It is a term of acceptance of employment that you agree to comply with all vaccination requirements that apply to the City of Kamloops.

Hours & Days of Work

Monday - Friday:

8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (winter)

8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (summer)

Hours per Week

37.5

Please note if you need assistance or have individual needs or requirements throughout the application process, contact the Human Resources Department by telephone, email hr@kamloops.ca or in person at 105 Seymour Street so we can better support you.

External job postings are open to everyone. We are an equal opportunity employer and thank all applicants for their interest. Please be sure to review the application requirements of each job you apply for. Only those selected to participate in the recruitment process will be contacted.

Applications are accepted online at kamloops.ca/careers.