



OPERATIONS MANAGER – UTILITIES

INFORMATION

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EXPERIENCE

- Water
- Wastewater
- Drainage systems
- Project management
- Local government

SKILLS & COMPETENCIES

- Communication
- Team leadership
- Political and business acumen
- Collaboration

TO APPLY

Letter of Introduction &
resume via email to
Harbour West Consulting



ORGANIZATIONAL PROFILE

Centrally located on Vancouver Island, the City of Campbell River is a growing municipality that is creating and sustaining a vibrant, healthy, and safe community for its residents. Through the delivery of local services and amenities, the City has prioritized livability, economic health, and the environment, grounded in management and governance, relationships, and growth management.

The City employs approximately 250 people in permanent positions and approximately 85 more in seasonal or auxiliary roles. As an employer, the City is recognized for providing a respectful, collaborative, and inclusive workplace that supports professional growth and development to attract, engage, and retain employees.

ABOUT THE ROLE

Reporting to the Director of Operations, the Operations Manager - Utilities has overall responsibility for the management, performance, and operation of the City's water, wastewater and drainage systems and is responsible for developing and maintaining a long-range infrastructure asset management strategy for utilities. The incumbent will provide engineering expertise and guidance in support of and in collaboration with utility operations, capital projects and development services, and will work closely with other departments to collaborate on relevant City initiatives.

The ideal candidate will have a minimum of seven (7) years progressive experience in a municipal water and/or wastewater environment, with recent applied experience with municipal engineering projects, including the design and construction of municipal works and services. The ideal candidate also brings a minimum of five (5) years of managerial experience including three (3) years of direct supervisory experience, preferably within local government. This position requires a degree in Civil Engineering or related field and registration or immediate eligibility with Engineers and Geoscientists BC. The Operations Manager role requires excellent communication skills, relationship building, and political acumen with the ability to interpret local government legislation, bylaws, and policies. Current project management experience and/or certification with Asset Management and general infrastructure planning experience is required.

CONTACT DETAILS

Harbour West Consulting believes equity, diversity and inclusion are essential for the organizations we serve to achieve the business goals they strive for. We believe that everyone - no matter their gender, racialized identity, ethnicity, sexual orientation, age, ability, religion, political beliefs, family status, socioeconomic status, citizenship status, or Indigenous status – should have equitable access to jobs and opportunities. We strive to ensure the recruitment process unfolds in a fair, transparent, timely and open manner to include individuals previously underrepresented or discouraged from participating.

Should you be interested in learning more about this unique opportunity with the City of Campbell River, please contact Carol Robinson or JT Pawar at 604-998-4032 or forward your resumé, a letter of introduction and the names and contact information for three references, in confidence, to info@hwest.ca.