

Wastewater Treatment Manager

Full-time Position

Centrally located within Nova Scotia between two extraordinary coastlines, Colchester is a progressive rural municipality that offers an unparalleled work-life balance. It is a place that is affordable, welcoming, family focused, rich in diverse culture and natural beauty with thriving businesses and access to all the modern amenities typically found in an urban setting – without the common stresses of living in an urban setting.

The Municipality of the County of Colchester is seeking a Wastewater Treatment Manager to join our team. Reporting to the Director of Public Works, the Manager is responsible for the overall operations of five wastewater treatment plants and 30 lift stations, including one Level III treatment plant which services the central areas of the County, and includes a biosolids dewatering facility. This full-time position has primary responsibility for operational control of the plants and pumping stations including process management, regulatory reporting, preventative maintenance, future planning, budget development and control, and employee oversight.

This management position requires an ambitious and organized individual who is motivated and has a sincere interest in this field of work. The candidate must demonstrate leadership skills, and have, the ability to foster effective working relationships, manage union and non-unionized staff and be able to balance daily operations.

The ideal candidate must have a minimum of 2 years of post-secondary education in the field of engineering, water treatment or wastewater treatment, or in a related science, and must be capable of obtaining Level III Wastewater Treatment certification within 4.5 years. Level I and II Wastewater Treatment certifications will be considered an asset. The successful candidate must also have management experience and must demonstrate a high level of organization and time management skills; possess problem solving ability and public relations skills; and possess strong interpersonal skills to effectively interact with various levels of staff, Council, and external agencies.

Salary Range: \$78,501 - \$91,037 based on 40 hours per week. We have comprehensive benefits including wellness services, and professional development opportunities.

We welcome applications from all qualified applicants. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted. Applicants are invited to submit a covering letter and resume by July 29, 2022, to the Municipality of Colchester, 1 Church Street, Truro, NS B2N 3Z5. Email contact kgrattomccarthy@colchester.ca