

Horticulture Coordinator

The City of Campbell River is seeking a full-time **Horticulture Coordinator**.

Why Campbell River

Campbell River offers a rare combination of a welcoming small town feel with large city amenities. From an active arts and culture community to year-round, world class recreational opportunities, the Campbell River lifestyle is unparalleled. We are 45 minutes from the top of Mt. Washington and just minutes from over 100 km of all level of mountain biking and hiking trails and are surrounded by ocean, rivers and lakes for sports fishing, kayaking, paddle boarding... and whale watching.

The job

As part of the Parks department team, the Horticulture Coordinator will be responsible for supervising and directing the work of the horticulture staff; preparing annual work plans; developing and implementing plans for the design, and development of landscaped areas within the City. As a working supervisor, the Horticulture Coordinator will oversee and perform a variety of skilled horticulture and arboriculture activities. The incumbent will work closely with the Arboriculture Technician in maintaining the city's urban forest.

To be considered for this role, you must have:

- Minimum of 5 years progressive horticulture experience in the design, development, construction and maintenance of landscaped areas; in the development and implementation of annual work plans; and in arboriculture work – preferably in a municipal environment.
- Minimum of 3 years' experience in developing and implementing integrated pest management strategies, including the maintenance and the application of pesticides.
- Minimum of two (2) years supervisory experience.
- Certificate of Qualification: Landscape Horticulturist (ITA) and Current Certified Arborist (ITA)
- Current Pesticide Applicators Certificate.
- A valid Class 5 driver's license, with a clean driver's abstract.

The rewards

The rate of pay for this permanent, full-time, CUPE bargaining unit position is **\$37.27** per hour based on a 40-hour work week and includes a comprehensive benefits package.

For more information on this exciting opportunity, please visit www.campbellriver.ca/employment. Please include verification of your education and certifications with your application.

**This posting closes on Sunday, June 6, 2021.
Shortlisting of applicants will commence on May 31, 2021**

Please send your resume with covering letter, quoting **Competition EXT-21-29** to:



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We thank all applicants, however, only those selected for interviews will be contacted.