

STRATEGIC PARKS PLANNER

Regular Full-Time

Development Services / Planning & Development

Contribute to the Growth and Development of Prince George!

About our community:

Boasting a high quality of life and standard of living, Prince George has all the amenities of a large city mixed with the friendliness and appeal of a smaller community. It is a regional centre for close to 326,000 people for shopping, education, health care, the arts, and sports. Prince George's central location in the province offers work/life balance with unparalleled access to four-season outdoor recreation activities that are complemented by a full range of urban amenities and a comprehensive transportation infrastructure that connects residents, businesses, resources, and agricultural products to markets around the world. And it is only a short drive to almost anywhere in Prince George – spend less time commuting and more time doing what matters most to you! Discover all these opportunities and more!

About our organization:

The City of Prince George is committed to ensuring a positive, well-balanced work environment for its employees. With opportunities for employee training, wellness programs and professional development the City of Prince George offers a safe and supportive workplace in which to serve our community.

About the opportunity:

We have an exciting opportunity for a motivated professional with a parks planning background. The Strategic Parks Planner sets the direction for parks, open spaces, trails, and outdoor recreation facility planning and design. This role leads cross-functional teams and is responsible for developing policies, plans, designs, special projects, and public consultation processes. The role engages in long-range activities, including data collection, analysis, research, and report writing, while consulting with government officials, staff, consultants, community stakeholders, and the public. This advanced planning position requires strong independent judgment, creativity, and proactive action.

About Your Background:

To qualify for this role, you have a Bachelor's degree in Community and Regional Planning, Landscape Architecture, Parks, Recreation & Leisure, or a related field, along with relevant experience in a municipal setting. Membership or eligibility for registration with the British Columbia Society of Landscape Architects is ideal. Full membership, or eligibility for full membership, in the Canadian Institute of Planners is an asset. Candidates should have at least five years of parks planning experience in a government environment, which includes managing planning projects, studies, and policy or program development, demonstrating proven skills in engaging with the community and various stakeholder groups. **A valid full privilege Class 5 BC Drivers' License (or out-of-province equivalent) is required.**

Why You Will Love Working for our Planning & Development team at the City of Prince George:

- Utilize your considerable knowledge in planning & development processes!
- Enjoy a competitive wage of \$47.41 - \$49.00 per hour plus an excellent pension and benefits package.

If you are interested in joining our team, please apply by April 16, 2025 to:

<http://princegeorgejobs.prevueaps.ca/jobs/>

Want to know more about this exciting career?

Please refer to the job description on our website for more details!

Want to know more about living and working in Prince George?

Please visit: [Move Up Prince George / City of Prince George](#)

The City of Prince George thanks all those who apply, however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.