Job Posting – Township of Langley

Job Title: Trades 1 - Trees

Competition Number: 25-U046

Employment Type: Temporary Full-Time

(from approx. April 25, 2025 - April 24, 2026)

Pay Rate: \$40.38 per hour (2024 rates) plus 13.5% in lieu of benefits **Hours of Work:** 40 hours per week; Monday to Friday, 8:00am – 4:30pm

Competition Opening Date: April 3, 2025
Competition Internal Closing Date: April 11, 2025
Competition External Closing Date: April 17, 2025

Job Overview

The Township of Langley is currently recruiting for a temporary full-time **Trades 1 – Trees** (from approx. April 25, 2025 – April 24, 2026) to join our team of professionals in the Public Works Division, Parks Operations Department. Reporting to the Manager, Parks Operations, in this unionized position you will be expected to perform semi-skilled arboricultural and/or horticultural work involving the planting of trees, tree watering, pruning and maintenance. You may assign, supervise, and check the work of one or more staff assisting in the more routine tasks and provides training as required; may assign and oversee the work of contractors: ensures safe work practices and environment according to municipal and WorkSafeBC standards.

Responsibilities

- Perform tree related maintenance tasks including pruning, removals, pest control, watering, and planting
- Respond to service requests from the public
- Operation of a truck and chipping machine
- Complete and maintain a variety of records, forms and maps related to the work
- · Perform related work as required

Qualifications

- Completion of Grade 12 supplemented by courses in Arboriculture and/or Horticulture plus sound related experience, including some supervisory experience; or an equivalent combination of training and experience. Certified Tree Risk Assessor Qualification is desirable.
- Considerable knowledge of the methods, practices, materials, tools and equipment used in arboricultural and related to the work
- Sound knowledge of the names and varieties of a wide variety of trees, plants, shrubs and flowers, their characteristics and requirements and the application of an integrated pest management program
- Ability to provide routine information to the public and provide follow-up to their complaints and enquiries
- Ability to assign, supervise and check the work of one or more staff and provide training to same

This position is defined by the Township of Langley as a position of trust (Child Safety). The successful candidate(s) will be required to have a Police Information Check as a condition of employment (Note - Not required as part of the application process, however will be required upon consideration for employment).

Required Certifications/Licenses

Candidates **must** have the following valid and **current** certifications/licenses (must be valid at the time the posting closes) and these **must** be attached with your application.

- BC Class 5 (full privilege) Driver's License. You must include with your application a current Personal Driving
 Record (select the 5-year option if obtaining online) that has been obtained within 6 months of the closing
 date. To obtain a copy of your Personal Driving Record, please contact ICBC directly or the driving authority
 where you reside. Please note that a copy of your Driver's License and the Driver Factor Report will not be
 accepted.
- Certification as an Arborist with the International Society of Arborists
- Pesticide Applicators Licence Landscape General

Applications without the attached required documents above will be deemed incomplete and may not be considered. Please title your attachments with the number of this competition and have these documents ready to upload when you apply.

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We appreciate all applications; however, only short-listed candidates will be contacted for an interview.

