

Careers

Mapping Technician (1 year term)



Do you have a passion for data and GIS?

We are seeking a technically skilled, detail-oriented individual with a strong passion for data and GIS to join the Data Services & Analytics team as a Mapping Technician. This role offers a unique opportunity to contribute directly to a high-profile, special project focused on integrating external GIS assets into the City's corporate GIS. If you thrive in a collaborative, agile environment that embraces innovation and data-driven decision making, we would be excited to have you join our fast-paced and forward-thinking team.

As a valued member of our data specialist group, you will play a key role in maintaining and updating datasets within our corporate spatial database while ensuring the highest standards of data quality and accuracy. In this special project role, you will actively help shape the design, workflows, and outcomes of a major GIS enhancement initiative. Your ideas, enthusiasm, and commitment will directly influence how external datasets are acquired, validated, and integrated into our enterprise systems.

Qualifications

The ideal candidate will hold a GIS or Drafting Diploma and bring strong computer proficiency with hands-on experience using GIS technologies. A solid understanding of ESRI ArcGIS products and relational database design is essential, along with the ability to interpret survey data for the creation and updating of civil drawings. Familiarity with utility datasets and As-built drawings will be considered strong assets. We are looking for someone imaginative and proactive—an individual who communicates effectively, pays close attention to detail, and demonstrates a genuine commitment to staying current with emerging technologies and evolving GIS skill sets. Most importantly, you should be eager to contribute your expertise and creativity to a special, city-wide initiative that will have a lasting impact on our corporate GIS.

Help create Kelowna as a *City of the Future*. Our diverse and dynamic team strives to innovate to make things better, work as one team, serve proudly and lead responsibly. Live, work and play in one of Canada's fastest growing cities. Kelowna boasts miles of lake access, public areas and outdoor recreation opportunities, a vibrant downtown and cultural scene, healthy and connected neighbourhoods. With modern technology and an ever-changing virtual landscape, we may be willing to consider applicants who are wanting to work from home, provided you reside in the Okanagan region, with the ability to come into the office, as required.

Grow your career in an organization that supports employee work-life balance and career and professional development. This is a CUPE bargaining unit position with an hourly rate starting at \$40.22 per hour plus plus 14% in lieu of benefits, vacation and statutory holidays. The position has a confirmed term of 12 months.

For further information or to apply, please check our website at www.kelowna.ca/careers

Applications must be received by end of day **January 27, 2026**

Applicants not contacted within three weeks of the closing date are thanked for their interest