

ARBORIST 1

Regular Full-Time

Parks & Solid Waste / Civic Operations

Help Enhance Prince George's Urban Forest in this Specialized Role!

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:

As an Arborist 1, you'll help care for Prince George's urban forest by inspecting, planting, pruning, maintaining, and removing trees across municipal parks, greenbelts, streets, and other City properties. You'll identify trees and tree pests, assess hazardous trees and recommend appropriate action, and help keep our urban landscape healthy and safe. This is a physically active, skilled role that will have you working outdoors in all kinds of weather and interacting with City staff, contractors, and members of the public.

About your background:

The ideal candidate will have completed Grade 12 and hold a Certified Arborist Technician designation, as well as an ISA (International Society of Arboriculture) Certification. A minimum of one year of relevant work experience in the arboriculture field is required, along with a strong commitment to safety and customer service excellence. The successful candidate must also obtain a WUAA/HEBC Felling & Bucking Endorsement, a Pesticide Applicator's License, and certifications in Chainsaw Safety and Fall Protection within six months of being hired. A qualification as a Tree Risk Assessor would be considered an asset. **The successful applicant must be able to obtain and maintain a clear Police Information Check for offences related to the position. A baseline hearing test is required, to operational need. A valid full privilege Class 5 BC driver's license with Air Endorsement (or out of province equivalent) is required. Applicants who meet the one-year experience requirement and have completed coursework in arboriculture, horticulture, or a related discipline may also be considered.**

Why You Will Love Working for our Parks & Solid Waste team at the City of Prince George:

- Enhance city parks and enjoy the results of your efforts!
- Work in a team environment in a variety of settings throughout the city.
- Enjoy a competitive wage of \$39.74 per hour plus a comprehensive benefits and pension package.

If you are interested in joining our team, please apply by October 13, 2026 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.