



## TOWN OF LAKE COWICHAN Category 1 - Public Works - Parks Temporary Seasonal Position

The Town of Lake Cowichan has an opening for a seasonal position in the Public Works Parks Department on a 40-hour week basis. The position is a fill-in for an employee on approved leave and will be just for the 2022 season.

### **POSITION**

The Category 1 Employee is needed to undertake outdoor manual work which includes but is not limited to weeding, planting, mowing, trimming, fertilizing, and litter control or garbage collection and washroom maintenance.

### **REQUIREMENTS**

Applicants must:

1. Be physically fit;
2. Be capable of performing manual outdoor work in all weather conditions and in confined spaces;
3. Have education related to horticulture and must have ability to operate all equipment pertaining to gardening work;
4. Have knowledge of tree and plant diseases and of treatment methods;
5. Have experience in landscaping and grounds maintenance;
6. Good knowledge of the hazards involving work in parks and gardens and ensure proper safety precautions;
7. Knowledge of plants best suited to the changing climate of this area;
8. Ability to organize and execute seasonal work plans that include the daily cleaning and maintenance of public washrooms and the ensuring of public access to the washrooms; and
9. Valid BC driver's license.

### **ASSETS**

Previous experience in a similar position and completion of a diploma in horticulture, or the completion of a horticulture apprenticeship would be assets.

This is a United Steelworkers' bargaining unit position and offers a wage of \$32.3202.

Qualified applicants are to submit signed applications with resumes marked **CONFIDENTIAL – PARKS PERMANENT SEASONAL POSITION** by no later than 4:30 pm, February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022, to:

Jas Sandhu  
Superintendent, Public Works & Engineering Services  
Town of Lake Cowichan  
PO Box 860, 39 South Shore Road  
Lake Cowichan, BC V0R 2G0

*\*\* Only short-listed applicants will be contacted. \*\**