

# Job Posting

Regional District of Central Kootenay Various Locations

## RECYCLING & WASTE EDUCATOR

Regular, Benefited Minimum 25 hours per week Recycling & Waste Educators are responsible for screening recycling material or waste at a recycling facilities and sites to ensure only acceptable material is accepted, and to redirect unacceptable materials. Recycling & Waste Educators also maintain the cleanliness of sites and perform basic site maintenance.

Recycling & Waste Educator positions are somewhat physically demanding and work is performed primarily outdoors in varied weather conditions.

### REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

- Excellent interpersonal communication skills and a demonstrated ability to act with tact and diplomacy when dealing with the public
- Demonstrated ability to de-escalate conflict with members of the public
- Passion for Zero Waste and environmental issues
- Demonstrated ability to maintain logs and records and to communicate via email
- Ability to work autonomously and effectively with minimal supervision
- Ability to work outdoors and have reasonable physical fitness to meet the demands of the position

### **REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Completion of High School Diploma or acceptable equivalent
- One year experience in a customer service position, with prior experience enforcing company policy and standards
- Experience working outdoors
- Experience working alone and/or in remote locations
- Experience with public education would be considered an asset

- Standard First Aid, Basic CPR with AED/willingness to obtain required for some sites
- WHMIS certification
- Valid BC Drivers License
- Satisfactory Criminal Record

### **PHYSICAL DEMANDS:**

- Constant movement, including stooping, bending, reaching, twisting and kneeling
- Working alone in remote areas
- Exposure to varied weather, primarily without shelter
- Occasional lifting up to 25 kg (55lb)

This is an regular benefited position, working 25-40 hours per week. Applicants should be available to work a varied work schedule that includes day, weekend and/or evening shifts and will be scheduled at the **Nelson, Grohman, Central, and Salmo Recycling Depot.** The hourly rate for this position starts at \$22.26

Applications submitted in the form of a resume and cover letter will be accepted by Human Resources by email until the position has been filled.

To apply please complete our online application which can be found here: **Employment Application**.