



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Renewable Resources Manager

The Gwich'in Renewable Resources Board (GRRB) is a well established Co-management Board responsible for renewable resource management in the Gwich'in Settlement Area (GSA). The GRRB is currently seeking a full-time Renewable Resources Manager for its office located in Inuvik, Northwest Territories.

Main Responsibilities include:

- Review, assess and respond to research applications, land use permits, water licenses and land access applications to ensure consistencies with the Board's vision;
- Coordinate GRRB responses for the Mackenzie Gas Project applications and information requests;
- Consult with the Renewable Resource Councils (RRCs) to seek and provide advice on environmental issues related to research, land use and harvest activities;
- Provide advice to the Board and RRCs on the development and review of management plans, land use plans, guidelines, policies, regulations and reports;
- Develop, implement, and update policies that reflect the Board's responsibilities;
- Update research priorities for the GSA in consultation with local RRCs and Gwich'in institutions;
- Coordinate the collection of Gwich'in harvest data, working closely with the RRCs;
- Review the GRRB's Gwich'in Harvest Study to provide information for minimum needs levels, assessment of research and management priorities, and to respond to harvest data requests;
- Organize public hearings, maintain a public registry and collaborate with local RRCs to coordinate community management of harvested resources, as required for resource conservation;
- Maintain collaborative working relationships with the RRCs and other co-management partners; and
- Assist with the coordination of youth outreach programs.

Requirements:

- A degree or diploma in Resource Management, Biology, Environmental Science, or equivalent;
- Minimum 3 years work experience in renewable resource research, land use and policy;
- Northern Experience and experience working with aboriginal groups. Preference will be given to candidates with work experience in the Gwich'in Settlement Area;
- Project management skills including proposal writing, budget administration, and data analysis;
- Excellent computer and presentation skills with a minimum knowledge of Microsoft Office Suite;
- Excellent communications skills / ability to communicate technical information into plain language;
- *Restricted to residents of Canada. Priority will be given to qualified participants of the Gwich'in Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement*

Annual Salary range: \$60,000 to \$65,000 depending on qualifications and experience.

Benefits: Annual Northern Allowance (\$13,672) and Health and Dental plan

Closing Date: Friday, May 21, 2010 @ 5:00 pm

If you are interested in this exciting opportunity, please direct your inquiries or submit your application including the cover letter and resume with professional references to:

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Interested applicants are encouraged to check out the GRRB Website at www.grrb.nt.ca for more information