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With a population of 32,097, Parkland County offers a range of municipal services and a vibrant mix of agricultural, residential, industrial and recreational opportunities. This unique rural area is situated on the west outskirts of Edmonton, just 20 minutes from downtown, and stretching over 2438 sq. km. of picturesque landscapes.

Now Hiring: Senior Planner, Development Planning (Competition #23-56)

Parkland County has an opportunity for a *permanent, full-time* Senior Planner, Development Planning position in the Planning & Development Services department. Reporting to the Manager, Development Planning & Safety Codes, the Senior Planner, Development Planning is an essential member of the Development Planning team. The Senior Planner will actively demonstrate leadership skills and contribute to a creative work environment by encouraging collaboration, cooperation, and sharing of ideas to productively achieve outcomes. This position oversees the development planning functions pertaining to the development process, renders decisions on complex development permit applications, and oversees amendments to statutory plans and the Land Use Bylaw. This position also provides support to the Manager, Development Planning & Safety Codes on a range of planning projects, issues and applications. The Senior Planner, Development Planning represents the Development Planning team on matters before Council, Senior Leadership, and the public.

The ideal candidate for this position will have the following:

- A Bachelors Degree in Planning or a related discipline is required. A Master's Degree in Planning or related discipline would be considered an asset.
- Membership or eligibility for membership in APPI and CIP preferred.
- A minimum of five (5) years of related planning experience with some supervisory experience is required.
- Must possess strong working knowledge of land use planning practices and possess the demonstrated ability to analyse and evaluate complex challenges to form effective decisions.
- Must possess strong customer service skills with the demonstrated ability to respond to and anticipate customer needs in a professional manner. Strong conflict resolution, active listening and communication skills are required.
- Must possess the ability to manage time effectively, effectively prioritizing high volumes of work with competing timelines.
- Alternate education may be considered in combination with greater periods of relevant professional experience.
- Valid Class 5 Driver's License. Upon hire, a satisfactory current Driver's Abstract must be provided.

The total rewards package for this position includes:

A starting annual salary of \$97,585 - \$121,982 based on a 35-hour work week and option to join the Earned Day Off Program.

In addition, extended health and dental benefits, access to our confidential Employee and Family Assistance Program, paid sick time, three (3) weeks vacation a year with your birthday off, flexible work arrangements allowing remote work options (based on position's needs), and personal days are offered. Our organization offers access to physical fitness including an employee on site gym and lunch exercise programs, a Social Club, a mental health committee, and a comprehensive training program with extensive learning and development opportunities. Visit our careers page to view the complete Total Rewards Package for this position!

Additional Information

Interested Candidates are Invited to Apply Online at careers.parklandcounty.com by Wednesday, July 26, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

We thank all applicants in advance for their interest; however, only those selected for further consideration will be contacted. Applications will only be considered through the Parkland County website.

We are committed to fostering an inclusive workplace that welcomes, respects and values the multivariate diversity of current and prospective employees. We strive to provide reasonable access and accommodation throughout the recruitment and employment process. If you have any questions regarding this, please connect with our team at humanresources@parklandcounty.com