



**Manager of Parks and Environmental Services
(Permanent)**

Located on the south-western tip of Vancouver Island, BC, Sooke has a sheltered harbor, and is a scenic forty-five (45) minute drive from BC's capital city, Victoria. As a part of a temperate rainforest, the Sooke district has one of the mildest climates in Canada. Characterized by warm, dry summers and mild winters, Sooke's pleasant climate is a year-round paradise for those who enjoy outdoor activities, such as hiking, biking, kayaking or sailing.

The District of Sooke has an employment opportunity for a permanent Manager of Parks and Environmental Services position with a **start date of August 31, 2020**. Reporting to the Director of Operations, the Manager of Parks and Environmental Services oversees the operation and maintenance of the District's public spaces and infrastructure. The Manager of Parks and Environmental Services will effectively lead a team of trained and experienced staff to champion the advancement of environmental initiatives and programs for the District of Sooke and will take the lead on strategic environmental planning and land development.

To be considered for this role, applicants should have:

- A Master's degree in environmental science, parks management or related discipline and a minimum of three (3) years of related experience in parks management and environmental services, or a Bachelor's degree and five (5) years of directly related experience.
- Three (3) years of diverse and progressively more responsible local government experience or equivalent experience in government/private sector. Education and experience in project management is considered an asset.
- Experience in managing large capital projects and working with multi-disciplinary teams.
- A member of the College of Applied Biology (R. P. Bio) or equivalent professional designation.
- A valid Class 5 BC Driver's License.

This is an exempt management position. The 2020 salary for the Manager of Parks and Environmental Services is \$109,540 per annum, plus an excellent benefit package.

To view the full job description, visit the employment page of our website at:
www.sooke.ca/employment.

Please quote 2020-009 Manager of Parks and Environmental Services in the subject of your email, and submit your detailed resume and cover letter outlining your interest and experience for this opportunity to: hr-jobs@sooke.ca.

Closing date for receipt of applications at 4:30 pm on Sunday, June 21, 2020.

The District of Sooke thanks all applicants for their interest and advises that only those to be interviewed will be contacted.