



Co-Op GIS Technician Temporary Full Time Position

A small town with a big heart – filled with smiling faces.

Sooke embraces our natural assets including local parks, trails, waterways and oceanfronts; we honour the history of the lands of the T'Sou-ke and Sc'ianew (Cheanuh) First Nations within the Coast Salish Territory.

"Where the rainforest meets the sea." 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.

Our team welcomes those who share our values of accountability, compassion, leading by example, respect, and service excellence to apply for this exciting opportunity.

The District of Sooke has a Co-Op employment opportunity on an as required for the position of GIS Technician. The work term is anticipated to be up to four (4) months in length, with possible extension.

Reporting to the Head of Geographic Services, the Co-Op GIS Technician will have the opportunity to support important municipal initiatives and learn important and practical GIS skills.

The successful candidate will support the ongoing development, maintenance and expansion of a municipal GIS enterprise geodatabase. This position assists with GIS duties including data capture, compilation, storage, manipulation, topology, analysis, map content publishing, cartography and reporting.

To be considered for this role, applicants should have the following qualifications:

- One year of post-secondary education; enrollment in an area of study related to Geography, Urban Planning, Geographic Information Systems, Resource Management, or Surveying.
- Preference will be given to those enrolled in a Geography or Geomatics program at a University or Technical Institute.
- Knowledge of GIS theory, principles and methods.
- Experience using Esri GIS software.
- An equivalent combination of education and experience may be considered.

This is a CUPE Local 374 position. The 2024 rate for the Co-Op GIS Technician is \$26.79/hr, plus 15% in lieu of benefits. A hybrid work schedule is possible for this position.

To view the full job description and to **apply online**, please visit the career page of our website at www.sooke.ca/employment.

Closing date for receipt of applications is 4:00p.m. on Friday, July 26, 2024.

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