



**PARKS ASSISTANT- UP TO 3 POSITIONS
FULL-TIME HOURS (TIME-DURATION)
Competition #2019-19**

We are the third largest regional district in BC and deliver over 100 services to six municipalities and eight electoral areas. Our region covers more than 13,000 km² stretching from Hatzic Prairie to Boston Bar. In short, we have a little bit of everything. If you love working outdoors, then you should check us out.

We have an exciting opportunity for highly motivated, independent individuals to fill up to **three time-duration** positions within the Parks Department. The term of these positions will be from approximately May 2019 to October 2019. The Parks Department runs 7 days a week during this time frame, and the Parks Assistant will be assigned 5 days which may include Saturday and Sunday, and some statutory holidays, with 2 days off during the week. The regular hours of work are 7.5 hours per day, scheduled between 6:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m.

As a Parks Assistant at the FVRD, a typical week could see you performing a variety of duties including routine maintenance of the grounds and buildings (janitorial duties, minor carpentry/construction, and painting); grooming and building trails within the parks; doing safety inspections and enforcing rules for safety and security; providing information to the public, which may include coordinating/conducting interpretive walk/tours.

We offer a positive, supportive team-based work environment with an emphasis on collaboration. If you have a positive, can-do attitude and a keen sense of humour, you will fit right in. Bring your positive energy, ambition and desire to learn, and we'll take care of the rest.

Required Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

- Completion of grade 12, plus a Technical Diploma in Natural Resources Management or a related field, OR enrolment in related courses and experience;
- Experience in Microsoft Office;
- Experience with general carpentry, and power tools is preferred;
- Excellent communication, presentation and public relations skills, with the ability to deal with conflict situations effectively;
- Must be possession of a valid Driver's Licence.

There will be on the job training for specific knowledge and skills requirements.

The start rate for this Union position is \$16.86 per hour plus 10.6% in lieu of benefits. Upon successful completion of the required probationary period the wage will increase to \$19.83 per hour plus 10.6% in lieu of benefits.

If this opportunity excites you, and you want to contribute to a positive work environment, we want to hear from you. Please submit your resume, along with a cover letter, indicating how you meet the qualifications. Please quote Competition #2019-19 and send, in confidence, by 4:30 p.m. on April 26, 2019 to:

jobs@fvrd.ca or mail to:

Fraser Valley Regional District
Human Resources Department
45950 Cheam Avenue
Chilliwack, BC V2P 1N6

or fax confidentially to: 604-702-5461

While we appreciate the interest of all applicants, only those candidates under consideration will be contacted.