



Employment Opportunity Regular Competition

Tłıchq Government invites all suitable qualified candidates, open to all of NWT, to apply for the Wildlife/Fisheries Biologist position.

Tłıchq Government is committed to attracting and recruiting the best possible candidates for available positions. The principles of fairness, qualifications and Tłıchq citizenship guide the hiring of Tłıchq Government employees.

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| POSITION TITLE: | Wildlife/Fisheries Biologist |
| DEPARTMENT: | Department, Culture and Lands Protection |
| LOCATION: | Behchoko, NT |
| STATUS: | Term; Two (2) years |
| CLOSING DATE: | April 5, 2019; 5:00 pm |

OUTLINE OF POSITION:

The purpose of the Wildlife/Fisheries Biologist position is to provide advice to Tłıchq Government on matters relating to wildlife, wildlife habitat, fish and fish habitat. The Wildlife/Fisheries Biologist will review, analyse and develop recommendations that will provide a basis for wildlife management and environmental management policies and decisions in the Mqwhı Gogha Dè Nııtlèè region on species of importance to the Tłıchq. The position will also be responsible for developing and administering programs relating to wildlife, wildlife habitat, fish and fish habitat monitoring and management within Mqwhı Gogha Dè Nııtlèè. The incumbent is also the expert on impacts of development on wildlife, wildlife habitat, fish and fish habitat in the Mqwhı Gogha Dè Nııtlèè region – including the Tłıchq All Season Road.

SKILLS & KNOWLEDGE REQUIRED:

- Post-secondary or Graduate Degree in one of the natural science disciplines - biology, wildlife biology, fish biology, ecology, wildlife management, environmental studies, environmental science or resource management, minimum of three years of work experience, preferably with northern field work, and two years' experience working with indigenous multi-stakeholder groups, environmental assessment, and/or wildlife habitat management is required
- Knowledge of environmental processes that determine the distribution and abundance of terrestrial organisms;
- Knowledge of concepts of wildlife population dynamics and wildlife habitat management, including study design, field and quantitative techniques;
- Understanding of cross-cultural differences, as well as northern conservation and resource development and management issues;
- Familiarity with the Tłıchq language, culture and way of life.
- Field experience in a northern environment is required;
- Experience with research proposal preparation, estimation of study costs and administration of study budgets;
- Experience using GIS systems;
- Ability to operate specialized scientific equipment;
- Ability to assist in the delivery of conservation and education programs;
- Ability to exhibit sound judgment;
- Proven analytical and research skills;
- Proven ability to design monitoring programs with standardized protocols;
- Proven experience supervising and motivating staff;
- Proven ability to estimate program costs and administer budget;
- Strong writing and editorial skills and excellent command of the English language;
- Strong organizational skills and attention to detail;
- Strong oral communication skills and a proven ability to express ideas;
- Proficiency with Microsoft Office, spreadsheet, and databases programs;
- Valid firearm license and ability to safely handle firearms is an asset;

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