

POSITION SUMMARY

GENERAL MANAGER'S ASSISTANT (006)

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| Directorate | General Manager's Assistant |
| Section | General Manager's Unit |
| Classification | Band 2, Level 2, Grade 6 |
| Position Status | Temporary part time |
| Commencing Salary Range | \$774.80 - \$814.02 |
| Reports to | General Manager |
| Direct Reports | Nil |
| Work Location | First Floor, Civic Centre |

Position Purpose

The role of the General Manager's Assistant is to provide executive administrative support to the General Manager in a professional, efficient and confidential manner ensuring the development of good working relationships with internal staff and external stakeholders.

Key Responsibilities

- To provide high level administrative and organisational assistance to the General Manager and to carry out all tasks in a manner which relieve the General Manager from day-to-day routine administrative and organisational matters
- To provide effective and prompt administrative and organisational assistance to the Mayor and Councillors
- Co-ordinate citizenship ceremonies, community morning teas, civic receptions, Council's Christmas function and staff presentations
- Provide secretarial support for functions, including Civic Receptions and Race functions
- To provide as part of a team, effective and prompt administrative assistance to the General Manager
- Present a positive image of the Council, the Mayor, Councillors and General Manager.

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Selection Criteria

Essential

- Typing speed of 60 words per minute.
- 3 to 5 years executive secretarial experience.
- Excellent customer service skills.
- Proficiency in the operation of various computer packages.
- Experience in updating/maintaining databases and registers.
- General clerical skills - e.g. filing, record keeping.
- Certificate in Office Administration, or equivalent.
- Current drivers licence, Category C.
- Ability to undertake in-depth research into relevant matters.
- Ability to work in a confidential and political environment.
- Excellent organisational and time management skills.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills.

Desirable

- Previous experience in Local Government.
- Skills in business letter writing and report preparation.
- Additional associated qualifications including: Local Government Certificate, Justice of the Peace
- Shorthand experience.

Expected Organisational Standards

- Follow defined WHS procedures
- Provide service to customers
- Work effectively in the local government context
- Work with others in local government
- Communicate in the Workplace
- Follow defined risk management policies and procedures
- Follow defined ethical guidelines from Council, including Code of Conduct
- Follow defined environmental sustainability guidelines.

Employment Conditions

- 22.5 hour week
- Hours of work are Wednesday to Friday 8.30am to 4.45pm
- Some out of hours work will be required
- Temporary position up until 20 December 2019
- Probationary period of 4 months
- Four weeks annual leave
- Long Service Leave after 5 years
- Superannuation of 9.5% paid by Council
- Medical (including drug and alcohol screening) and audio required as part of selection process.

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