Position Description



| Position title | Labourer Revegetation Nursery | |
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| Reports to | Natural Resources Officer | |
| Department | Community, Planning and Environment | |
| Classification | Level 3 – Local Government Industry Award (Stream B) | |
| Last Review Date | February 2019 | |

Position Summary

This position assists the Natural Resources Officer and Ganger Revegetation Nursery in a variety of tasks by effectively and efficiently preparing tube stock in readiness for native forest revegetation.

Position Specific Accountabilities

- Carry out duties in a competent, capable, safe and efficient manner, including: seed collecting, plant propagation, seedling growth and wellbeing, irrigation, weed control, and tube stock maintenance.
- Work cooperatively and support team mates to achieve the Work Group's goals
- · Record keeping of work completed in line with nursery protocols, including data entry
- Comply with instructions given by supervisors
- Maintain good relationships with members of the public including volunteers
- Other responsibilities as reasonably expected

Organisation Responsibilities

- Model the highest standards of ethical and professional behaviour and act with integrity and confidentiality whilst representing Council internally and externally.
- Adhere to all legislative frameworks, rules, Council policies and guidelines.
- Prepare and submit reports for Council and the Executive Leadership team as required.
- Be familiar with and undertake all work in accordance with relevant policy and legislation, including:
 - TRC's Safety Management System SAFE PLAN, TRC's Code of Conduct, Council's Local Laws, Values and Behaviours, the *Local Government Act 2009*, Anti-discrimination and Privacy legislation, Purchasing and Procurement; and
 - Comply with all Workplace Health & Safety Legislation, and other relevant policies, procedures and legislation.
- Follow reasonable directives to maintain critical business activities in the event of an unplanned disruption, including but not limited to a disaster.

Delegated Authority

Decisions are to be made in accordance with the Delegations of Authority as detailed under separate official delegation instructions through the Chief Executive Officer.

Selection Criteria

Essential

- 1. Strong work ethic and an ability to contribute and work within a small team.
- 2. Effective written and verbal communication skills.
- 3. Experience in nursery operations including seed collection, plant propagation, seedling growth wellbeing or a similar labouring role with a demonstrated interest in horticulture and native plants.

- 4. Willingness to work outdoors in a variety of weather conditions.
- 5. Awareness of safe work practices including manual handling techniques and an ability to follow Workplace Health and Safety procedures and policies.

Qualifications

- Chemical certificate ACDC Licence (Desirable or willingness to attain)
- Certificate II Horticulture or equivalent knowledge and experience (Desirable)
- First aid certificate (Desirable)

Position Specific Conditions

- The successful completion of a Pre-Employment Medical Assessment (including drug and alcohol screening) is required before any offer of employment.
- This role requires evidence of skills and qualifications and the possession of a current Drivers Licence.

| I have read and understood the above Position Description | | | | | | |
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