Employment Opportunity

Director of Lands and Resources



Uchucklesaht Tribe Government is looking for an innovative, dynamic and capable leader to fill the role of Director of Lands and Resources within their government. Uchucklesaht Tribe Government is in the Treaty Implementation phase requiring an intensive hands on approach. Reporting to the Chief Administrator Officer, you will assume responsibility for effective management of Uchucklesaht Tribe Government lands, conducting scientific research, evaluating and creating land-use plans/development and related consultations, as well as programs and services within Uchucklesaht Tribe lands and traditional territory. This position works closely with the public and fosters strategic relationships with co-management groups, other First Nation, Provincial / Territorial and National governments.

Duties and responsibilities will include:

- Responsible for the following departments: Lands and Resources, Uchucklesaht Fisheries & Wildlife Management, Protection and Enhancement of the Environment
- Participates in applicable committees/commissions, technical working groups, symposiums, conferences, meetings and consultations with citizens and key associates as approved by the CAO.
- Develop, implement and monitor systems and policies to transition the Nation's governmental services to meet treaty requirements
- Enhance organizational knowledge base through training initiatives

Required qualifications:

- o Degree or diploma in one or more of the following: Natural or Renewable Resource
- Management, Land Management, Environmental Studies
- Minimum 7-10 years of leadership experience in a land management or related position
- Knowledge of land management issues and legislation affecting First Nations both locally and nationally.
- A well-defined sense of diplomacy, including solid negotiation, conflict resolution, and people management skills.
- Able to effectively communicate both verbally and in writing.
- Computer literacy, including effective working skills of MS Word, Excel and e-mail required.
- Familiarity with First Nation organizations and the ability to function in a First Nations culture are important aspects

Please forward a resume and cover letter containing your availability date and compensation desired by **Friday**, **March 11**, **2016 – 12noon (Pacific Time)** to:

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Executive Assistant ** (Only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted). **