

AVISON MANAGEMENT SERVICES LTD.

JOB POSTING

Avison Management Services Ltd. (Avison) is a well-established, reliable consulting firm in central BC offering comprehensive services in resource development, strategic planning, fisheries and wildlife management, and environmental consulting. In business since 1979, we have established a reputation for delivering exceptional integrated resource management services and cost-effective solutions to meet our clients' business needs.

Senior and Junior Forest Technician

Avison is seeking Junior and Senior Forest Technicians. These positions include both fieldand office-based work in all aspects of forestry management.

Qualifications:

- Good working knowledge of computers (MS Excel, Word, and Outlook)
- Strong oral, written, and interpersonal skills
- A positive, team-oriented attitude
- Good physical fitness

Candidates for the Senior position should have 5 years of experience in field activities such as timber cruising, boundary and road layout, riparian layout and timber reconnaissance surveys.

For the Junior position, experience in the field activities listed above will be considered an asset, but is not required.

Silviculture/Planning Forester

Avison is seeking a Registered Professional Forester (R.P.F.) to join our team. This project management position will include both field- and office-based work in all aspects of Silviculture and Timber resource development.

Qualifications:

- Professional Forester in good standing with the Association of BC Forest Professionals
- Experience in Timber resource management and Silviculture
- Strong project management and client relationship skills
- Strong report writing and verbal communication skills

Responsibilities:

- Contract supervision, budget development, and project management
- Site plan preparation for a variety of ecosystems
- Leadership in the promotion and support of a safe work culture

Salary will be commensurate with experience. Avison offers an attractive wage and benefit package. If you fit these requirements and are looking for an opportunity take your career to the next level, please submit a resume and cover letter by email to:

Email: humanresources@avison.ca

Only those applicants selected for an interview will be contacted. Thank you for your interest.



Living in Northern British Columbia

It is a land of unlimited adventure filled with jagged mountain peaks, roaring rivers, serene lakes, green valleys, rugged coastlines and ancient island archipelagos. The mountain ranges, which dominate the northern landscape, were shaped by volcanic fire. The rugged, heavily forested valleys between them were carved by glaciers, which at one time covered most of the province.

Much of Northern BC is preserved and protected by a world-class system of provincial parks and nature reserves. The stunning landscape features turquoise-coloured glacial lakes, alpine meadows, hot springs, volcanic cinder cones and a miniature Grand Canyon. Visit pristine wilderness areas accessible only by horseback, charter plane or on foot; or head to idyllic lakeside campgrounds with every modern amenity. The region is known for its magnificent freshwater and saltwater fishing, paddling, hiking, skiing and snowmobiling. Parks provide habitats and sanctuary for wildlife as small as birds and as large as grizzly bears.

Vanderhoof

Vanderhoof is the geographical centre of British Columbia. Nestled in the fertile Nechako Valley on the banks of the Nechako River, Vanderhoof is the Geographical Centre of the Province of British Columbia. Vanderhoof gained the designation as the Geographical Centre of BC about 1865 by surveyors during the construction of the Collins Overland Telegraph Trail.

Housing and Properties

A 2011 residential assessment concluded that Vanderhoof is well positioned to meet the anticipated demand for residential housing in



the next 5–10 years with an estimated 700 residential building lots available based on existing supply and subdivision plans that are in the works. The average selling price for a residence in 2011 was \$167,416, which is very affordable when compared to other communities in Northern BC and the Province as a whole. This same study indicates that there is a 10% vacancy rate in rental accommodations (excluding hotels/motels) as of 2011. The average gross monthly rental rate was \$603 according to the 2006 Census. Vanderhoof is fortunate to be well served by real estate representatives in our community including the traditional firms that are affiliated with the Multiple Listing Service across Canada and the United States, as well as services that help you sell your own property.

For additional information please visit: www.vanderhoof.ca

