

## Job Posting – Employment Opportunity



**Job Title:** ECOMmunity TEK/Technician-Coordinator 1  
**Location:** En'owkin Centre, Penticton, BC  
**Position Type:** Full-Time Term\* Position  
**Posting Date:** May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2019  
**Application Deadline:** June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019  
**Start/End Date:** July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019 to October 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019\*  
(\*possibility of extension pending funding availability)

### **Job Description:**

The En'owkin Centre is committed to developing and implementing community-based educational, cultural and environmental programs which focus on the needs of the Indigenous community, and are controlled and monitored at the community level.

The ECOMmunity TEK/Tech 1 will be responsible for helping us grow Indigenous plants at the En'owkin Centre greenhouse and nursery facilities, and be involved in other projects that support the restoration and replenishment of the *tmx'ula?x'* and *tmix'* on the ECOMmunity Place Locatee Lands on the Penticton Indian Reserve.

### **Qualifications:**

Our ideal candidate has a strong personal commitment to the well-being of the *tmx'ula?x'* and *tmix'*:

Ideal candidates will possess the following skills and abilities:

- Self-motivated with the ability to work by themselves and with a team of staff or volunteers as required.
- Ability to care for and nurture Indigenous plants.
- Strong organization and time-management skills. Cleanliness and attention to detail.
- Comfortable and capable of working in variable outdoor conditions.
- Demonstrated proficiency with hand tools.
- Ability to balance and bridge traditional Syilx Indigenous Aboriginal perspectives, priorities and protocols with those of western science.

Ideal candidates will be able to demonstrate past experience with the following:

- Personal involvement with Syilx culture and language.
- Recruitment and supervision of children, youth and community volunteers.
- Basic construction and maintenance projects.
- Leading outdoor experiential education activities focusing on Syilx culture, language, community and/or environment.

Demonstrated experience with the following are considered strong assets for this position:

- Experience with fencing, greenhouse and nursery operations, removal of invasive plants and harvesting of Indigenous plants.
- Experience with using power tools and completion of small construction projects.
- Loading, unloading and hauling trailers.

Other employment requirements:

- Successful applicants must meet our organization's N'ha'is Employee Code of Ethics requirements, including respect for, and adherence to, the En'owkin Centre's health and wellness policies.
- Criminal Records Check (for clearance to work with children).
- A valid BC driver's license is required.

**Duties and responsibilities will include (Training to be provided):**

% of Effort	Duties & Responsibilities
85%	❖ Field work at the En'owkin Centre and ECommunity Place Locatee Lands project sites including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Collection, processing, propagation and planting of Indigenous plants.</li><li>• Operate greenhouse and nursery, including small construction projects and maintenance.</li><li>• Recruit and supervise volunteers to assist with the collection, processing, propagation and planting of Indigenous plants.</li></ul>
10%	❖ Assist with planning and delivering indoor/outdoor educational experiences including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Assist with delivery of indoor and outdoor land-based learning experiences for school groups, tourists and visitors.</li><li>• Work with En'owkin Centre staff and program partners to develop, test and adopt new program curriculum, educational materials, and educational projects.</li></ul>
5%	❖ Provide other related duties and continuous support for all EN'OWKIN CENTRE programs and subsidiaries during working hours.

**Salary & Benefits:**

Salary/Wages: \$ 19.00 / hr (starting wage).

Benefits: Extended health benefits, vacation or holiday pay, and personal/sick leave may be available depending on employment contract terms.

**How to Apply:**

Interested applicants should drop off an application package to the En'owkin Centre or forward an application package to the address below by **Monday, June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019**. Please include:

- Resume or CV, including names and email addresses of up to 3 references (references must be current or former supervisors or mentors).

We wish to thank all applicants, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

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