Environmental Specialist III

Fauquier County is currently seeking an Environmental Specialist to join the Zoning and Development Services team within the Department of Community Development. The primary function of this position is performing mandatory erosion and sediment control and stormwater inspections on commercial sites, subdivisions, single-family homes and land disturbance permit projects. Responsibilities will include reviewing development plans for compliance with erosion and sediment control requirements; providing technical assistance to the general public, engineers, builders, land developers and various County and State agencies in respect to erosion and sediment control issues; and conducting on-site inspections of E&S controls and stormwater facilities during construction. The successful applicant must have general knowledge of the principles, practices and techniques of Erosion and Sediment Control and Stormwater Management regulations along with the ability to read and interpret site plans, construction plans and development plans. Field experience is highly desired. Good oral and written communication skills are essential. Minimum requirements include a Bachelor's degree in Environmental Science and/or Natural Resources or equivalent experience. Possession of Erosion and Sediment Control and Stormwater Management Inspection and Plan Review certifications is required from the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ).

Minimum starting salary is \$55,711.50 with salary commensurate with qualifications and

- experience. We offer an excellent Comprehensive Benefits package to include but not limited to:
- Medical, dental, vision, and prescription coverage at very competitive rates
- Up to 14 paid holidays annually, sick leave, annual leave, and personal days
- Virginia Retirement System pension plan & a life insurance policy 2x annual salary
- 457(B) individual retirement plan
- Access our Employee Wellness Center which is free for all permanent employees & dependents

Interested applicants must submit an online Fauquier County classified application, available on the County's website <u>https://eportal.fauquiercounty.gov/mss/employmentopportunities/default.aspx</u>. Click on "job description" for complete details. Click on "apply" to submit your cover letter, resume, and application today! Position is open until filled. For assistance with the online application call the Human Resources Department at 540-422-8300. Please direct specific position-related questions to Dillon Jewell, Environmental Program Manager at 540-422-8220 or email <u>dillon.jewell@fauquiercounty.gov.</u>

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