



Stó:lō Service Agency – Human Resource Office
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ON- CALL ARCHAEOLOGICAL FIELD TECHNICIANS
(EXTERNAL)

Stó:lō Service Agency requires the services of qualified **Archaeological Field Technicians** to work with the **Stó:lō Research & Resource Management Centre (SRRMC)** on an **as-needed basis**. Pursuant to section 41 of the BC Human Rights Code, preference may be given to applicants of Aboriginal ancestry. Please self-identify on your cover letter or resume.

The Archaeological Field Technicians will help conduct archaeological and heritage-based projects within *S'olh Téméxw* - Stó:lō Traditional Territory. With an emphasis on field work, the Archaeological Field Technicians will assist with the administration of the *Stó:lō Heritage Policy* through the identification and documentation of traditional Stó:lō places on the landscape. Other tasks will relate to field work preparation and support and may include vehicle detailing and maintenance, equipment inventory, maintenance, and acquisition (e.g., making and repairing screens). Office, laboratory, and repository tasks, including washing and cataloguing collected materials and samples, digitizing field notes and maps, and assisting in organizing materials and samples in the Stó:lō material culture repository may also be assigned.

This position reports to the Heritage Stewardship and Archaeology Manager, Project Archaeologist, and Archaeologist. The successful candidate will work out of the Central (Chilliwack) office. Some travel may be required for this position.

QUALIFICATIONS/REQUIREMENTS:

- Familiarity and understanding of Stó:lō and/or other First Nations culture, traditions, and history with a commitment to learning more about Stó:lō culture and history.
- Knowledge of the *Stó:lō Heritage Policy*.
- Hardworking, team player, and excellent communicator, both verbally and in writing.
- Must be comfortable working independently and in a collaborative team environment.
- Ability to maintain a healthy working relationship with staff, community representatives/members and representatives of other organizations.
- Familiarity with a variety of Windows computer programs and databases including MS Word and Excel.
- Excellent physical health and fit for daily outdoor work in rough terrain: hiking, shovel testing, and excavation.
- Must be capable of lifting and carrying equipment and/or boxes of up to 50 lbs.
- Problem-identification and problem-resolution skills.
- Effective attention to detail.
- Ability to work under pressure and in an effective manner.
- Ability to maintain the confidentiality guidelines of all records, materials and communications concerning clients, staff and the Stó:lō Service Agency.
- Drug and alcohol testing required.

ASSETS:

- Post-secondary courses in Archaeology, Anthropology, First Nations/Indigenous studies, Geography and/or History.
- Knowledge of federal, provincial, and local governance policies/legislation related to heritage and First Nations.
- Experience working in the field.
- Experience working with Indigenous material culture collections.
- A familiarity with GIS.
- Experience with off-road vehicles.
- A valid Class 5 BC Drivers' License.
- Level 1 First Aid Certification.

Successful candidates will be required to provide the following if screened in for an interview:

- References: Three names and phone numbers of recent supervisors
- Must successfully pass the required pre-employment RCMP Criminal Record Check.

SALARY RANGE: \$18.00 - \$22.00 hour dependent upon qualifications and experience.

TYPE OF POSITION: On call on an as needed basis.

APPLICATIONS DEADLINE:

August 13, 2021 at 4:00 pm

Candidates will be screened according to the qualifications/requirements. Interested candidates are required to submit a resume and covering letter. Please include position title on subject line. Send to:

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