Employment Opportunity

- Nunami Pivvaalirniq Special Projects Officer -

The Kitikmeot Inuit Association (KIA) is seeking a Nunami Pivvaalirniq Special Projects Officer. This exciting, challenging employment opportunity is based in Cambridge Bay, Nunavut. This position has the potential to be relocated to another Kitikmeot Community outside of Cambridge Bay after one year. Working under the direction of the Director of Social and Cultural Development.

As a member of KIA’s Social & Cultural Development team, the Nunami Pivvaalirniq Special Projects Officer is responsible for administering and executing the Harvesters Support Grant from NTI that will assist communities to create programs and services that support hunters to get on the land, programs to train new harvesters, and programs that allow community members to access country food.

KIA’s vision is to be an effective organization that manages lands and resources to support Traditional and Cultural Values and Provide Economic and Social Benefits to Kitikmeot Inuit. Through administering these services, the Nunami Pivvaalirniq Special Projects Officer advances efforts that see Kitikmeot Inuit having access to support that encourages Inuit to use their language in daily life, retain their unique culture, and live in healthy communities.

The Nunami Pivvaalirniq Special Projects Officer will contribute to the achievement of the KIA’s vision in a variety of ways, Including:

• Building Seasonal Harvesting Calendars with Traditional Knowledge Holders
• Assisting Communities to design, run Land Based Cultural programs
• Tracking, Monitoring, and Reporting on the successes of these programs
• Designing Regional forums to discuss shared harvesting practices
• Monitoring the effectiveness of programming
• Occasional Travel in the Region
• Directly communicating with and supporting Kitikmeot Beneficiaries

Knowledge, skills and abilities for this position are usually obtained through completion of a diploma program such as Environmental Technology Studies Program with 2 years of experience managing programs and funding or other related areas. Equivalencies may be considered. The ability to communicate in Inuktut is a definite asset.

The starting salary for the position ranges from $76,266.00 - $96,809.00 plus a northern allowance of $19,800.00, and Vacation Travel Assistance package, and other employment benefits. Housing may be available in Cambridge Bay.

Priority will be given to Nunavut Inuit who meet the qualifications for the job as specified under Article 23 of the Nunavut Agreement. Applicants should submit their resume by mail or e-mail to:

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Closing Date for Applications is September 30th, 2021 at 3:00 PM MST. KIA will only contact those candidates considered for an interview.