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## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

### Technician, Fisheries

**Job Classification:** Technician, Fisheries – Term (June 26 – November 15, 2023)  
**Competition #:** 2023-24

#### About the Role

Reporting to the Fish and Wildlife Manager and working with the Department of Fish and Oceans (DFO) staff to support the on-the-land implementation of all fisheries-related projects and programs in the Vuntut Gwitchin Traditional Territory. This involves supporting all daily aspects of operations at the Porcupine Sonar, the Fishing Branch weir, and the Vuntut Gwitchin Government's fisheries management programs like community fish camps and river patrols. Field Activities will include test fishing, community fishing, fish sampling, camp maintenance and support, and basic construction. Candidate must work within all Occupational Health and Safety best practices.

#### What you bring

- Knowledge and experience operating boats and fishing in the Porcupine River drainage;
- Experience conducting field operations of fish enumeration and other fish and water studies in the Porcupine River drainage;
- Experience living in and supporting the operations of remote field camps
- Experience working and engaging with the public in a remote Indigenous community;
- Experience working in a northern indigenous community is an asset;
- Class 5 Driver's License with clean driver's abstract;
- Current Criminal Records Check; and
- Current Boat Operator Certificate.

#### Working Conditions

- Adaptable to changing work assignments; and
- Location is Old Crow, YT.

#### What we offer

- A supportive and safe work environment;
- Competitive compensation will be commensurate with qualifications up to \$47.61/hour;
- Work experience in a multi-disciplinary team; and
- Equal opportunity, diverse and inclusive workplace.

#### Working with Vuntut Gwitchin First Nation

*Our mission is to promote wellness, self-sufficiency, and prosperity in our community through cultural teachings and environmental stewardship and by building and maintaining an accountable government that motivates, inspires, and provides opportunities for the Vuntut Gwitchin.*

#### Applications close at 12 p.m. on Friday, June 23, 2023.

Please forward your resume to:

Human Resources Department  
Vuntut Gwitchin First Nation  
P.O. Box 94  
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Email: [employment@vgfn.net](mailto:employment@vgfn.net)

A complete job description is attached.

Priority will be given to citizens of the Vuntut Gwitchin First Nation.

*While we appreciate all applications, only those selected for further consideration will be contacted.*