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## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

### Lands Manager

**Department:** Natural Resources Department

**Status:** Full-time

**Location:** Old Crow

**Posting date:** January 9, 2024

**Closing date:** Open until filled

#### Our Mission

*... 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.*

#### About the Role

Reporting to the Natural Resources Director, the position manages programs and projects to assure the protection and sustainability of land and natural resources for Vuntut Gwitchin (VG) settlement lands and traditional territory. It collaborates to develop land related legislation, gather information, monitor land use activities, and conduct meaningful outreach to citizens and the public. Its activities have a long-lasting impact on the stewardship of VG resources.

#### Our ideal candidate possesses the following qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in natural or renewable resource management, land management, environmental studies, or an equivalent combination of experience and training.
- Considerable experience managing conservation or natural resource programs, including strategic planning and evaluation; in an indigenous community is an asset.
- Experience leading and managing teams.
- Experience building partnerships with stakeholders and external contacts to promote and protect resources.
- Financial management experience, including budgeting, and administering federal/territorial funding programs.
- Knowledge of resource management, and ecological sustainability principles and practices to lead inspections, surveys, and projects.
- Applies knowledge of legislation, trends, practices and research to land use planning, environmental sustainability, and economic development.

#### Supporting you along the way

We believe that a rewarding career is not only good for our employees, but it also leads to better outcomes for our clients, workplace and the community. That's why we are committed to providing you with a competitive salary, health benefits, and a retirement plan. Beyond compensation, you will have the opportunity to make meaningful connections and work on initiatives that make a real difference in people's lives.

**For job details and/or to submit your application, email Human Resources at: [employment@vgg.ca](mailto:employment@vgg.ca)**

*Hiring preference will be given to Vuntut Gwitchin First Nation citizens.*

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