


Project Officer - Biodiversity

Tweed Shire Council • South Murwillumbah NSW 2484

 Base pay
\$0 - \$0

 Work type
Full Time

 Contract type
Permanent


Job details

 Date posted
08 Jun 2021

 Expired On
25 Jun 2021

 Category
Government, Emergency & Defence

 Occupation
Local Government

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 Job mode
Standard/Business hours

 Work Authorisation
AUSTRALIAN CITIZEN / PERMANENT RESIDENT

Perks

TRAINING

WORK - LIFE BALANCE

Skills

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Full job description

Job Description

Job No: TSC764

Location: Murwillumbah

Permanent Part-time (3 days per week)

Apply your passion for the environment while providing specialist advice on tree preservation orders and development applications.

About the role:

- Undertake ecological referrals for tree preservation order and development applications
- Working as part of the Sustainability and Environment team, you will represent Council at relevant community events
- Will expose you to a range of projects and environments, with a balance of field and office work
- Plan and deliver ecological surveys
- Requires a sound knowledge of NSW and Commonwealth environmental and planning legislation.

What's on offer:

- An attractive base salary ranging from \$39.81 per hour with competency based increments up to \$47.16 per hour, plus
- 9.5% super (10% super from 1 July 2021)
- 23.25 hours per week
- Training and development opportunities
- Flexible work options for a healthy work/life balance
- Generous employment conditions (we have too many to list - [click here](#) for more).

We are seeking:

- Tertiary qualifications in Environmental Science, Natural Resource Management or equivalent
- Demonstrated experience in the application of biodiversity conservation principles to the delivery of natural resource management programs
- A sound understanding of environmental legislation, planning instruments, government policies and their application to natural resource management
- Proven ability to engage landholders and high level written and oral communication skills.

Where it's located:

This position is based in Murwillumbah, and can be directed to work from any Council work site.

Position closes:

Friday 18 June 2021 at 12 noon sharp (NSW time). Late applications will not be permitted.

Pre-Employment Screening

Tweed Shire Council conducts pre-employment assessments as part of its recruitment process. [Click here](#) for more information.

How To Apply

You must use your own email address, and not one used previously by another person that has applied for a position with council.

Once you start your online application, you cannot save and return to it later.

You may wish to prepare your responses in a Word document. You can then COPY and PASTE your answers from Word into the below fields.

1. Have your Resume document ready to go.
2. Fill out all questions below. Click 'Next'. For tips on how to address selection criteria, click here.
3. You'll then be prompted to attach your resume and other documents (if applicable). Click 'Next'.
4. Review your application to confirm everything is correct. Click 'Confirm' to submit your application.

If you'd like to COPY and PASTE selection criteria fields into a separate Word document to work on over time, please find them listed below:

Essential:

1. Degree qualification in Environmental Science, Natural Resource Management or equivalent.
2. Demonstrated experience in undertaking surveys and site assessment, preparing restoration management plans and undertaking monitoring and evaluation.
3. Sound knowledge of, and ability to identify, local flora and fauna including their habitats, threatened species and endangered ecological communities and threatening processes.
4. Demonstrated experience in the application of biodiversity conservation and threatened species management principles to the assessment of development and tree preservation order applications.
5. Demonstrated high level written and oral communication skills including competence in negotiation and conflict resolution. Proven ability to engage landholders and encourage sustainable land management.
6. A sound understanding of environmental legislation, planning instruments, government policies and their application to sustainable land use.
7. Current Vehicle Licence – Car or Light Rigid or Medium Rigid or Heavy Rigid or Heavy Combination
8. Demonstrated ability to use computer applications including word, excel, GIS and other data management systems.

Job Closing Date 18 Jun, 2021