THE NAVAJO NATION
Department of Personnel Management

JOB VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

REQUISITION NO: DOT10618238  DATE POSTED: 07/17/19
POSITION NO: 946229  CLOSING DATE: 07/30/2019 5:00pm

POSITION TITLE: Principal Engineering Technician

DEPARTMENT NAME / WORKSITE: Navajo Division of Transportation - Planning Department, Shiprock, NM

WORK DAYS: Monday - Friday  REGULAR FULL TIME: ☑

WORK HOURS: 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM  PART TIME: ☐

SEASONAL: ☐  DURATION:

TEMPORARY: ☐

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:
Plans, schedules and monitors work assignments; provides technical assistance guidance to assigned staff; trains department staff in the safe and proper use of equipment; provides and enforces safety regulations and procedures; conducts surveys; collects and downloads field survey data into computer and information management system; drafts or plots home sites, roads, business sites, land withdrawal sites, vicinity maps, topographic maps, highway right of way, construction sites, open dump sites and abandoned mine lands. Performs calculations relating to intervals between specified monuments to obtain correct distances; verifies accuracy of drafts; maintains database of maps, records and files; interprets maps, conducts special studies, gathers applicable data; evaluates data to determine feasibility for construction reports or rehabilitation; prepares plans, specifications, scope of work and cost estimates for projects; prepares required reports; evaluates projects and recommends repairs, rehabilitation or construction; inspects and monitors construction. Tests survey equipment; maintains, correlates and calibrates survey instruments; assists with budget development and purchasing of equipment and supplies; meets with vendors and contractors to provide or receive technical assistance; maintains computer hardware and software related to surveying. Works extensively on the Long Range Transportation Plan, and Tribal Transportation Improvement Plan, Regional Routes, and Annual Inventory of all BIA, County and Tribal Routes.

Minimum Qualifications:
● An Associate's degree in Civil Engineering, Computer Science or related field; and three (3) years of senior engineering technician work experience, one (1) year of which must have been in a supervisory and/or management capacity; or an equivalent combination of education and experience.

Special Requirements:
● Possess a valid state driver's license.

(The to receive full credit for education, certification, or licensure, transcripts, copies of degrees, certificates, and other appropriate documents must be submitted along with employment application.)

Special Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:
1) Knowledge of Geographic Information Systems (GIS), surveying, mapping, and Global Position Systems (GPS) practices; 2) Knowledge of basic computer hardware and software, and 3) Knowledge of legal land description development and interpretation. Skills and Abilities: 1) Ability to verbally communicate in Navajo Language to provide presentation at Chapter Meetings; 2) Must have ability to produce written communications for reports writing and correspondences; and 3) Customer services techniques/telephone/etiquette when responding to inquires and complaints. 4) Ability to meet annual deadlines.

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