

Senior Planner

If you are looking for a step up in your career, then delve further into this new role with the Gore District Council. This position will cover an expanding work load and will work under the guidance of the General Manager Regulatory and Community Services. Amongst a wide range of planning functions, the successful applicant can look forward to being involved with:

- Assisting in the preparation and implementation of a new district plan;
- Managing and processing a range of resource consents;
- Preparing a range of Council policy documents; and
- Providing advice to the Council on the implications of the forthcoming environmental legislation

This role will provide an opportunity for experienced planners with a background in policy development and implementation and/or consenting to contribute in a positive way to the future development of the district.

We need you to have:

- A relevant tertiary qualification in planning or resource management;
- Sound knowledge of the RMA legislative requirements;
- Excellent written and oral skills;
- The ability to offer a high standard of planning advice and customer service to internal and external customers and ensure compliance with plan rules and relevant legislation; and
- A desire to make a difference.

The Council provides a positive and encouraging work environment that focuses on the professional development of its staff.

The Gore District offers an affordable and vibrant rural city living experience in an area with provincial values, but the facilities of a larger urban area. Its various recreational activities, festivals and cultural events are nationally recognised. It is also centrally located, being two hours travel from Queenstown and Dunedin, 90 minutes from Te Anau and an hour from Invercargill.

Visit www.goredc.govt.nz/your-council/job-vacancies/ for the job description and application form. You can also apply online. Applications close with the Human Resources Manager, Susan Jones, at 5.00pm on Monday 10 May 2021.