

Position:	Vegetation Management Technician
Closing Date:	February 18, 2025 or until a suitable candidate is found

The County of Vermilion River is seeking a highly motivated individual to join our safety-oriented team as the **Vegetation Management Technician** based in Kitscoty, Alberta. This position is an 8-month term from May to December 2025. Reporting to the Agriculture Services Supervisor, the Vegetation Management Technician assists with programs in the Agricultural and Environment department.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Coordinate all technology programs for the Agriculture and Environment Department including GPS, GIS, Online Mapping programs for pest inspections, weed inspections, herbicide applications and other programs as prescribed.
- Assess the current agriculture technology program and provide recommendations for improvement for management data collection, reporting and mapping.
- Assist with the Municipal Vegetation Management Program to ensure weed and brush control work and enforcement is done according to regulations and standards including weed inspections and herbicide applications.
- Assist with Agriculture Pest Management, including clubroot surveys, insect surveys, and rat inspections.
- Assist with Environmental services programming including the Agriculture Plastics Recycling Program, hosting workshops, and creating educational information for ratepayers.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Post-secondary diploma in Agricultural Science or an equivalent combination of education, training, and experience may be considered.
- Demonstrated strong organizational, time management, coordinating and prioritizing skills, and the ability to handle many tasks concurrently.
- Proficient in the use of Microsoft Office applications.
- Knowledge of GIS and GPS technology would be an asset.
- Valid Class 5 Driver's License.
- Ability to do manual labor, work outdoors in all weather conditions and lift 23 kg (50 lbs.)

A competitive salary and comprehensive municipal benefits package are available. The successful candidate will be required to provide a criminal record check and drivers abstract. We appreciate the interest of all applicants, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted. This position will remain open until a suitable candidate is found. This position is only open to those legally entitled to work in Canada.

Applications clearly marked: **"CONFIDENTIAL – Vegetation Management Technician"** can be submitted by **February 18, 2025** to:

**Human Resources Administrator
County of Vermilion River
Box 69 Kitscoty, AB T0B 2P0
Email: hr@county24.com**

All resumes and personal information provided will be handled in accordance with the Province of Alberta Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (FOIPP) legislation. The personal information provided to the County of Vermilion River is being collected solely for the purpose of applying for employment.

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