



**External Posting**  
Non-Union Full-Time Position  
**Urban Forest Supervisor/Foreman**  
**Parks, Recreation & Culture Department**  
Competition # PRCUFS0324  
Posting Date: Wednesday March 20, 2024  
Closing Date: Wednesday April 4, 2024 at 4:00 pm

The Town of Truro will receive applications for an **Urban Forest Supervisor/Foreman**. This is a permanent full-time non-union position.

Reporting to the Director and/or Assistant Director of Parks, Recreation & Culture, the Urban Forest Supervisor/Foreman is responsible for overseeing staff in Victoria Park and the Railyard. The successful candidate will be dedicated to conservation practices and will be strongly motivated to work within the management structure to ensure long-term sustainability and conservation of the Town's urban forest, including Victoria Park's natural resources. Additionally, the Urban Forest Supervisor/Foreman will work collaboratively with other Supervisors/Foremen to ensure a high level of service excellence is maintained throughout the areas served by the Parks, Recreation & Culture Department.

The incumbent will be responsible to manage the urban forest inventory, maintenance schedule and conservation timelines. Additional responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- collaborating and assisting in the implementation of the Parks and Open Space Management Plan;
- Conduct regular assessments of the Town's trees and Victoria Park's forested areas to identify tree health, invasive species, and potential hazards;
- Implement sustainable forestry practices to promote the long-term health and resilience of the Park's ecosystem, including the Water Shed;
- Manage various programs such as annual tree planting, tree pruning and removal.

A complete job description is located on the Town of Truro website ([www.truro.ca](http://www.truro.ca)).

**QUALIFICATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS:**

- Completion of Grade 12 High School or equivalent;
- Graduate in a recognized post-secondary forest technician/technologist program or Degree in Forestry, Natural Resources or a related field;
- Valid Nova Scotia Drivers License;
- Minimum of five (5) years of experience in forestry management, with a focus on urban forestry or park management;
- Strong knowledge of tree species identification, silviculture practices and arboriculture;
- Experience managing a unionized workforce, an asset;
- Demonstrated commitment to environmental stewardship and sustainability principles;
- Required to submit a current Police Records Check;
- Ability to work outside in varying weather conditions and terrain.

**Application Provisions:**

Interested applicants must submit a resume with a concise covering letter highlighting relevant qualifications and experience. Competition number must be clearly indicated on the envelope and covering letter. Only applicants selected for an interview will be contacted.

<b>Start Date:</b>	To be Determined
<b>Salary:</b>	In accordance with Town of Truro approved non-union salary range for the Urban Forest Supervisor/Foreman
<b>Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Wednesday April 4, 2024 at 4:00 pm
<b>Forward applications to:</b>	Tammy Hamlin, Manager of Human Resources Town of Truro 695 Prince Street Truro, NS B2N 1G5 Email: <a href="mailto:jobs@truro.ca">jobs@truro.ca</a>

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