

Job Announcement



POSITION: County Engineer
OFFICE/DEPARTMENT: Department of Public Works
REPORTS TO: Public Works Director
UNION STATUS: Non-Represented
SALARY GRADE: Special Employment Agreement
Step 1 - \$9,114 – Step 6 - \$10,314
CLOSE DATE: Open until filled

Primary Function and Purpose

The statutory requirements of Chapter 36.80 RCW are assigned to the County Engineer to report through the Director of the Department of Public Works. The County Engineer must be a licensed professional civil engineer, and be responsible for the planning, administration, and coordination of all engineering and associated activities related to county roads. Work of this class involves the exercise of considerable independent judgment and discretion in the interpretation, application, and enforcement of laws, regulations, and county policies applicable to road design, construction, and maintenance activities; the supervision of professional and operational support personnel; and the conduct of considerable coordination with other county departments, other governmental agencies, and the public as a part of the overall public relations function inherent in this type of organization. Assignments involve full responsibility for final decisions and results in all technical engineering and operational matters, restricted only by legal and statutory limitations and policies established by the Board of County Commissioners. Meetings are held frequently with engineering supervisory personnel in order to ensure the installation, clarification, and execution of desired programs. Work is performed under the general direction of the Public Works Director and is reviewed through meetings, reports, and an evaluation of results obtained.

Education, Experience and Training

- Bachelor's degree in Civil Engineering or related engineering field.
- A current Professional Engineer license (Civil) from the State of Washington.
- Any satisfactory combination of experience and training which, in the opinion of the Board of County Commissioners, demonstrates the knowledge, skills and ability to perform the above-described duties.
- Current Driver's License or the ability to obtain one.

Benefits

Employees and their families are eligible for medical, dental, vision or VEBA and basic life insurance. Employees are able to enroll in a deferred compensation plan as well as the Washington State Department of Retirement Systems.

Application

Applications, resumes and cover letters can be emailed to County Administrative Officer, Paul T. Plakinger at pplakinger@co.pacific.wa.us or mailed to Pacific County Commissioners, PO Box 187, South Bend, WA 98586 or in-person at 1216 W Robert Bush Drive, South Bend, WA 98586.

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