

**Environmental Technician – Arboriculture**

**(Term Position)**

It’s no secret that the City of Surrey is growing at a rapid rate. With over 1000 new residents a month coming to live in this vibrant City, the opportunities are immense in the Planning and Development Department. Along with this growth the balance between urban and the environment is at the heart of our Tree Bylaw section. We are looking to add an Environmental Technician - Arboriculture to our team of dedicated and passionate professionals. If you are interested in a career that offers challenge and opportunities, we encourage you to keep reading.

* Using your sound knowledge of Arboriculture you will be provide your expertise and consult on a wide variety of tree related matters.
* Your excellent communication, interpersonal, and public relations skills will be critical as you engage with developers, City staff, and the public.
* You will use your sound judgment and decision making skills to support decisions.
* Your exceptional organizational skills and attention to detail will be aid you in handling multiple priorities and writing Arborist reports.

The successful candidate will possess a University Degree or Diploma in Forestry Arboriculture or Horticulture or a related field from an accredited post-secondary institution along with a minimum of 3 years’ experience in arboriculture-related work, including experience in hazard tree assessment.

A valid BC driver’s license and the use of the incumbents own vehicle for site visits is a must. The incumbent will be accredited or be eligible for accreditation with the International Society of Arboriculture (ISA).

This position requires completion of a criminal record check.

We offer a dynamic work environment and excellent opportunities to advance.