

Registered Professional Forester

Job Description

ArborMetrics Solutions is seeking qualified Registered Professional Foresters for utility customers in British Columbia. As a Utility Vegetation Planner with ArborMetrics, you will be in the field most of your day with a hands-on approach to tree and vegetation management. You will work with internal and external customers to inspect vegetation conditions in the powerline ROW, notify stakeholders and prescribe work to be executed by brushing contractors. Your work will consist of reviewing projects, providing professional feedback and signoffs, reviewing work in the field, reviewing sensitive environments (such as riparian areas), aid in the planning, layout and execution of new vegetation management projects on the ROW.

Job Duties

- Transmission and Distribution ROW and vegetation inspection.
- Stakeholder engagement and notification.
- Maintenance prescription.
- Data entry, management, GIS mapping.
- Quality Control.
- Maintain safety and industry compliance standards.
- Review sensitive environments (such as riparian areas).
- Planning, layout and execution of new vegetation management projects.
- Job will require both remote work and in office work.
- Job will require travel (within the region).



Qualifications

- High school diploma or equivalent required.
- Must have valid Registered Professional Forester (RPF) designation with the Forest Professionals BC (FPBC).
- Understanding of utility distribution and/or transmission systems (with focus on transmission).
- Good understanding of vegetation management methods (both mechanical and chemical)
- Forestry or Utility background is preferred.
- ISA Arborist certification + TRAQ a would be an asset.
- Strong tree identification skills.
- Valid provincial driver's license.
- Standard First Aid prior to start.
- Work with company guidelines for safety and compliance.
- Need to have willingness to grow and progress with the company.

Additional Information

- Starting wage is \$45.00+ for RPF planner position, dependent on education and experience.
- Current scope projects full time work from April to October with a possible reduction of hours during the off-season. If work on project is reduced, then every effort is made to move successful staff to another project that is a good fit personally and professionally.
- Occasional overtime requested.
- Must be 18 years of age or older.
- Excellent Benefits package, annual bonus based upon safety and performance, certification support, personal development account, RRSP and careers advancement opportunities.
- ArborMetrics Solutions Canada is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Company Overview

ArborMetrics Solutions ULC has work across Canada. Our parent company has been in the utility and vegetation business for over 95 years. We take pride in having a dedicated, loyal team committed to each other. Safety, quality and production are what make us great.

We are proud to be an Equal Employment Opportunity employer. As a service provider, our success depends upon our ability to attract and retain qualified personnel, regardless of their age, race, color, religion, gender, national origin, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, or other protected characteristics as established by federal and provincial law.

If you think you would be a great fit, then please send your email to <u>538admin@arbormetrics.com</u>.