



* SILVICULTURE * GPS & MAPPING SERVICES * FOREST MANAGEMENT & ENGINEERING *

Paramount Forestry Ltd. is an established forest management consulting firm specializing in silviculture surveying & timber development services for clients including major licensees, the Ministry of Forests, as well as private land & woodlot owners. Located in the beautiful Bulkley Valley, in the north-central part of BC's interior, the Town of Smithers has much to offer any family or individual. Paramount, as a result of annual contract commitments, still has full-time seasonal **SILVICULTURE SURVEYORS** and **FOREST TECHNICIAN** positions open for post-harvest/Silviculture surveying activities. Both career-advancing, as well as shorter-term seasonal positions are available. Paramount does believe in safety first and is committed, through annual safety training, and its Covid plan/ infection prevention and control protocol, in providing employment in the securest way possible. **Successful applicants may have the option to negotiate a housing rental agreement with Paramount ownership, if space remains available.**

SILVICULTURE SURVEYORS / FOREST TECHNICIANS (anticipated starting date is early May 2023, or sooner if conditions permit)

Successful applicants will work closely with Paramount ownership, as well as the rest of the team completing a variety of post-harvest silviculture survey & related work at various locations throughout B.C. Interested candidates should be physically fit, independently motivated, be able to multi-task yet hold a high attention to detail, be prepared to work in a variety of terrain and weather conditions, and who enjoy problem solving & demanding field work. Helicopters are occasionally needed to complete projects, so being prepared for and able to fly is a requirement. The majority of work is based out of **Smithers**, but candidates must be willing to engage in camp settings across the **Northwest** (this might include remote lodge, Airbnb or hotel-type situation where Covid protocols also recognized).

QUALIFICATIONS (it is preferred if the successful applicant has the following, but lesser qualified applicants will be considered):

- ✚ A working knowledge of BC's BEC system, familiarity with local coniferous/deciduous trees, brush species and forest health agents as well as current Forest Legislation, Policies and Regulations;
- ✚ Familiarity with bush orienteering (compass navigating, use of Garmin handheld and/or iPad with Avenza maps);
- ✚ A valid class 5 driver's licence, ATV training, Level 1 First-Aid, Bear Aware & Danger Tree Assessing would be assets;
- ✚ Ultimately, possess a positive attitude, strong work ethic, sound communicative skills and the ability to work as part of a team, with & taking direction from supervisors and/or working independently if necessary;
- ✚ Preference will be given to those applicants with a forestry or natural resources degree and/or a technical diploma and eligible for registration with or in good standing with the ABCFP; however, we do encourage those experienced individuals without a degree or diploma to apply;
- ✚ **Previous Regen, Free Growing, Multi-Layer & Forest Health survey experience utilizing Snap! Software/iPad data collection methods would be beneficial. Being an Accredited Silviculture Surveyor in the Province of B.C. would be an asset, but is not mandatory.**

In addition to challenging and rewarding employment responsibilities and professional development, Paramount offers a **competitive wage package that is commensurate on experience, ability and skillset.** We would like to thank all interested applicants in advance; however, *ONLY* those short listed individuals that provide sufficient references will be contacted and all responses will be kept completely confidential. Please include relevant employment references with contact numbers on your resume & cover letter and please email to:



Email: smadia@telus.net

Attention: Saverio Madia, RFT

Re: Silviculture Surveyor/Forest Technician Position

(Phone interviews can be set up by calling 1-250-847-2404)



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