

Coastal Engineer – Job Ref HB0023

Up to £32,492 pa Dependent on Experience

Fixed Term Contract-12 Month Maternity Cover

This is an exciting opportunity to join a busy Operational Team managing coastal flood and erosion risk on a fixed term basis.

The Eastern Solent Coastal Partnership provides a Coastal Management Service to Havant Borough Council, Portsmouth City Council, Gosport Borough Council and Fareham Borough Council that reduces the risks to people, the developed and natural environment from flooding and coastal erosion within the respective local authority areas. This area includes three major harbour's of significant environmental importance and over 160km of diverse coastline.

You will have the opportunity to work and gain experience in a variety of roles within the ESCP Operations Team. From inspecting coastal defence assets, to then planning their repair and maintenance. You will prepare works contracts, then manage their delivery along this coastline in an environmentally sensitive way. You will also take the lead with our beach management activities at Eastoke Hayling Island, working with our existing contractors to maintain our beaches, whilst incorporating strong local community engagement.

We are looking for suitable applicants with experience of flood and erosion risk management and project management. You will require a degree in Civil Engineering or related discipline and have a good knowledge of civil engineering procedures. You will be expected to support and mentor our existing apprentice and technicians to enable project delivery. Relevant experience of current coastal management issues is desirable. You will be enthusiastic, enjoy working outdoors, and have confidence in your ability to find solutions to problems. Familiarity with computer software applications, in particular ArcGIS and AutoCAD would be an advantage. This is a career graded post with the salary dependent on experience and qualifications.

Interested? For more information about us please visit <u>www.escp.org.uk</u>. For full details of the role, including a job description and person specification, please visit <u>www.havant.gov.uk/jobs-and-careers</u> or for an informal discussion please contact Steve Woolard, Operations Assets & Survey Team Leader, on 07718 476243 or email stephen.woolard@havant.gov.uk

The Closing date for applications is 22nd November 2019. To apply, please send your CV and a supporting statement to <u>recruitmentsupport@havant.gov.uk</u> Please include the job reference number in your supporting statement.

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