



POSITION VACANT

MECHANIC / DIESEL FITTER

Located approximately 550km south-west of Cairns and just south of the base of the Gulf of Carpentaria, in the heart of the Gulf Savannah country, lies the quaint and beautiful town of Croydon. Rich in history, boasting beautiful heritage buildings, the iconic Gulflander train, stunning sunsets and numerous trails for birdwatching, bushwalking, mountain biking and trail running. Croydon offers a unique Outback experience while providing all the necessary services, including a general store, healthcare centre, schooling, and recreational facilities.

The Position: Council requires a Permanent full time Qualified Mechanic/Diesel Fitter to join our workforce to support Council delivering an effective and efficient mechanical service to ensure all Council fixed and mobile plant, equipment and vehicle fleet is maintained in a safe, cost effective and operational manner and to provide leadership and mentoring to plant operator/s, trainees and apprentices.

The successful candidate will undertake tasks within the Workshop and field work on Council sites.

Reporting to the Workshop Supervisor you will be working alongside and supporting the development of one apprentice.

Skills / Experience Required: To be successful in the role, you will possess a relevant Trade Certificate with three years minimum trade experience along with:

- Experience in both diesel and petrol engines and small engines for plant.
- Experience in all aspects of petrol and diesel vehicles including servicing and maintenance in a workshop and in the field, welding, air conditioning, hydraulic systems.
- Knowledge of clerical procedures and parts sourcing.
- Maintenance and operation of a safe workplace.
- Supervision/training experience of Apprentice staff
- Sound literacy and numeracy skills.

The Benefits:

The position is being offered on a full-time basis, with the remuneration package to be negotiated with the successful Candidate including superannuation at 12%. Subsidised council housing and relocation assistance may be available.

The position description can be downloaded from Council's website www.croydon.qld.gov.au, by phoning (07) 4748 7100 or by emailing admin@croydon.qld.gov.au.

For further information about the position please contact Council's Business Services Manager, Stephen Frost on 0437 461 837 or email sfrost@croydon.qld.gov.au

Applications are to include a covering letter, resume and at least 2 references. Applications can be:
Emailed to: Business Services Manager, Croydon Shire Council admin@croydon.qld.gov.au.
Delivered to: *Croydon Shire Council Administration Office, 63 Samwell Street, Croydon Qld 4871*

Applications close Wednesday 15 January 2025 @ 4:00pm.

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