

# **ENVIRONMENTAL RANGER**

# **POSITION INFORMATION**

Group	Operations and Delivery
Team	Parks and Reserves
Reports to	Team Lead Environmental Rangers
Direct Reports	Nil
Primary Location	Council Parks and Reserves Depot – 40 Manuka Street and mobile between various Council Offices and around the District to fulfil key tasks
Financial Authority	\$0

### **TEAM STRUCTURE**





# POSITION PURPOSE

Contribute to creating a positive user experience for residents and visitors to the Taupō district, with an emphasis on cleanliness and environmental sustainability.

#### **Key Functions/outcome** Responsibility Cleaning and Maintenance Ensuring all public conveniences are cleaned [following prescribed of Public Toilets and SOP's], provisioned and maintained to a high standard of cleanliness Superloo and hygiene in readiness for users. Maintaining a courteous and friendly attitude towards users and • encouraging positive interactions. Manage insects, moss and mildew on toilet facilities. • Maintaining and undertaking minor repairs to toilet fixtures and facilities • as required. Assisting Superloo attendants as and when required. • Service levels are met with no justifiable complaints. • Toilet closures resulting from faults are kept to a minimum. • • Achieve a monthly score of 80% or higher from the internal toilet cleanliness audit. Environmental Follow best practise to ensure cleaning activities don't have an adverse • Enhancement, Cleaning & impact on Taupo's waterways. Participate in water quality monitoring Litter Collection programmes to support this Cleaning of parks fixtures, bins and furniture as and when required • using environmentally sensitive methods. Striving to keep Taupo litter free through regular pick-ups and • participating in waste minimisation programmes. Participating in ecological restoration projects as required. Completing graffiti removal operations in an environmentally • sustainable manner as required. Service levels are met with no justifiable complaints. • Vehicle and Equipment Ensuring that vehicles and equipment for the Environmental Rangers • Maintenance are maintained correctly and kept in a clean and safe working condition. Ensuring plant and equipment is secure when not in use. • Reporting any damage to property or equipment failure to the Team • Lead Environmental Open Space. Carry out plant checks and minor maintenance tasks [cleaning, oil & air • filter, greasing, etc.] on all plant and machinery responsible for. Legal requirements are met for vehicles and plant. • Taupo District Council's vehicle use policy is followed. • Plant check sheets are completed and forwarded to the Team Lead • Environmental Open Space as requested. Records and Reporting Ensure accuracy of information/records in systems adopted by the • department/organisation. Produce accurate reports as required for managers and/or SLG • Health & Safety and • Model a culture of safety and wellbeing for your staff (if in a Wellbeing Supervisor/Manager position) Take responsibility for your own health and safety • Ensure your own actions keep self and others safe • Identify, report and assist to eliminate hazards/risks in work place • Participate in local work place safety management practices •

Participate in workplace wellbeing initiatives

### **KEY RESPONSIBILITIES**



Responsibility	Key Functions/outcome	
	Ensure compliance under Health and Safety at Work Act 2015	
Project Management	<ul> <li>Undertakes projects and/or other initiatives that may be assigned by the manager or SLG</li> </ul>	
Emergency Management	<ul> <li>Participates in civil defence emergency management (CDEM) events and training if required</li> </ul>	

Note: This is a broad outline of the responsibilities for this position and not an exhaustive list of your responsibilities. Key responsibilities may vary from time to time as directed by your supervisor/manager to accommodate the operational needs of the team and organisation.

### FUNCTIONAL RELATIONSHIPS

Internal	External
Other council staff	<ul><li>Members of the public</li><li>Community volunteers</li><li>Suppliers</li></ul>

#### VISION

"Making a better life for you and your families. We're in this together – let's make it work!"

#### VALUES

Kia kōtāhi mai - We're in this together

Deliver

Unite Connect

Kōtahitanga

Six key behaviours summarises how we will operate and support our values:

- Share and seek information with open, effective and intentional communication
- Support one another with honesty, respect and integrity in all interactions
- Exceed expectations of the community and beyond
- Seek improvement in all that we do
- Harmonise life and work
- Build a stronger relationship with the whenua and the people



## PERSON SPECIFICATION

#### **Education and Qualifications**

Essential	Desirable
Clean driver's license.	<ul><li>First aid certificate.</li><li>Advanced drivers certificate.</li><li>Grow safe certificate.</li></ul>

#### **Personal Attributes**

Essential	Desirable
<ul> <li>A 'can do' attitude.</li> <li>Ability to work with the public in a helpful and friendly manner.</li> </ul>	High level of work ethic.

#### **Competencies and Experience**

Essential	Desirable
Passionate about the Taupo District and how you can contribute to its environmental protection & enhancement.	<ul> <li>Knowledge of Taupo District.</li> <li>Cleaning experience.</li> <li>Environmental monitoring experience.</li> <li>Operation of small machinery [e.g. water blaster].</li> </ul>

#### JOB DESCRIPTION SIGN-OFF

Please note that this Job Description will be discussed annually to ensure currency of the position responsibilities.

	Manager	Employee
Name		
Signature		
Date		