



Position Description

Position Title Multi-skilled Field Operator

Position Code ENG018
Department Engineering

Division Works

Reports To Supervisor Construction / Maintenance

Direct Reports: Nil

Position Classification Operational Band 1, Level 2 to Level 3

Position Status Full-time

Allowances Level 1 Adverse Working Conditions Allowance

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

This position will require the incumbent to be part of an ad-hoc out of hours work in the delivery of Council's services to the community. On these occasions, employees will be paid in accordance to the Local Government (State) Award.

PRIMARY PURPOSE OF THE POSITION

The aim of this position is to undertake a variety of operational works in line with the Community Strategic Plan and the Delivery Program.

Areas of Delivery	Est. % of time spent
Undertake duties to support the Delivery Program and strategic plans of Council	s 80%
Administration and maintenance tasks	10%
Professional Development	10%

POSITION RESPONSIBILITIES

- Undertake duties as part of Councils Construction and Maintenance Team:
 - Concreting and formwork
 - o Pavement construction and repairs
 - Kerb and Gutter
 - Slinging / Lifting
 - Excavations
 - Assist with set out/surveying
 - General labouring duties





- Undertake backup duties as a Multi-skilled Plant Operator:
 - Slasher
 - o Tip Trucks
 - o Rollers
 - Truck Driver
 - Plant Operator Backhoe
- Undertake backup duties across Council in the following areas as required:
 - Biosecurity Officer;
 - Patching Truck operator;
 - Traffic Maintenance Officer;
 - Central West Livestock Exchange
- Assist the Patching Truck Operator with the management and implementation of Traffic Control signs including conducting an internal audit (drive through) at times convenient to each worksite in line with the completed risk assessment, SWMS, RMS requirements or Council direction;
- Assist with administration duties on site where required:
 - Verify contractors have appropriate tickets and licences;
 - o Ensure appropriate TCP's are in place prior to the commencement of work;
 - Ensure appropriate Speed Zone Authorities (SZA) are in place prior to the commencement of work;
 - o Completion of plant sheets prior to the commencement of work;
 - o Completion of Risk Assessments prior to the commencement of work:
 - Ensure compliance with SWMS;
 - Contribute and participate in Tool Box talks on worksites;
- Maintenance of Plant and Equipment as required including the completion of:
 - o Pre-starts
 - o Plant-sheets
 - Greasing of equipment
- Maintenance of Depot yard and facilities

Organisation – Operations

- Ensuring compliance with the WHS Act 2011 and its regulations, including:
 - Report any injury, damage, unsafe condition or hazard to the immediate supervisor, or an appropriate person.
 - Wear protective clothing or equipment in the manner intended (if required).
 - Take reasonable care for the health and safety of all persons who are at their place of work.
 - Ensure that all employees and contractors under their direction or control receive adequate instruction for the safe and efficient performance of their duties.
 - Correct unsafe and/or unhealthy practices or conditions in areas under the control of the position to the full extent of the position's authority or refer to relevant Supervisor, Manager, or Manager People and Strategy





- Cooperate with the supervisor in the measures taken to ensure Work Health and Safety.
- Undertake prompt and direct reporting of all WHS related matters through Council's online system or via phone call to Supervisor within reporting timelines
- Participate fully in prompt investigation of all serious or potentially serious accidents which
 result in, or could have resulted in either injury to persons or damage to property, or human
 resource implications so that remedial action may be effected promptly;
- Work cooperatively in a team environment and provide support and/or technical advice as required across other areas of Council;
- Assessing and improving work practices and procedures on a continuous basis to achieve Council's goals;
- Compliance with all Councils Policies and Procedures and Code of Conduct;
- Complete other duties as directed by the nominated Supervisor.
- Undertaking other relevant duties as directed which are consistent with the employee's skill, competence and training.

KEY RELATIONSHIPS

Who	Why
Internal	
Manager Works	Support, Guidance and Direction
Supervisor Construction	Supervisor – Support, guidance, direction and mentoring
Maintenance	
Construction and Maintenance	Supervisor on some Construction and Maintenance jobs -
Team Leader	Support, guidance, direction and mentoring
Engineering outdoor staff	Colleagues – Support and guidance
Council Staff	Colleagues – Support and guidance
External	
Business Community, Community	Customer Service
Members,	
Authorities and Government	RMS – construction and maintenance jobs
Departments	SafeWork – Safety
Contractors	WorkControl, Plant Providers





POSITION CAPABILITIES

LGNSW Capability Framework				
Capability Group	Capability Name	Level Required		
Personal Attributes	Manages Self	Intermediate		
	Displays Resilience and Adaptability	Intermediate		
	Act with Integrity	Intermediate		
	Demonstrate Accountability	Foundational		
Relationships	Communicate and Engage	Intermediate		
	Community and Customer Focus	Intermediate		
	Works Collaboratively	Intermediate		
	Influence and Negotiate	Foundational		
	Plan and prioritise	Foundational		
	Think and solve problems	Foundational		
Results	Create and Innovate	Foundational		
Nesutts	Deliver Results	Foundational		
Resources	Finance	Foundational		
	Assets and Tools	Foundational		
	Technology and Information	Foundational		
	Procurement and Contracts	Foundational		





PERSON SPECIFICATION

Essential

- At least 2 years workplace experience in a relevant industry.
- Able to complete WHS Site Specific Risk Assessments and undertake work activities in the manner specified in the relevant Work Method Statement both paper and electronically.
- Must be capable of using technology to complete forms, risk assessments, incident reports

 mobile phone; tablet and online systems essential.
- Able to work with minimum supervision using judgement and initiative.
- Ability to provide high level customer service to the community.
- Developed communication skills with the ability to effectively communicate within your team and with management.
- Class C (Standard) Drivers Licence

Required 'essential' tickets or the ability to obtain

- Possess WorkCover Work Health and Safety General Construction Induction or equivalent;
- Current RMS Traffic Controller Skillset (or Traffic Control Stop/Slow Bat (blue) qualification);
- Current RMS Implement Traffic Control Plans qualification;
- Worker on Foot training

Desirable

- Certificate III Civil Construction
- Working Safely near Powerlines;
- Current Chemcert / Chemuse Certificate;
- Chainsaw Operations Certificate;
- Current Class MR Driver's Licence (HR Desirable);
- Hiab Crane Ticket;
- Dogman Ticket;
- One or more of the following WorkCover certificates of competency:
 - Forklift Trucks (LF)
 - Front End Loader (LL)
 - Front End Loader/Backhoe (LB)
 - Front End Loader of the Skid Steer Type (LS)
 - Excavator (LE)
 - o Slasher
 - Tip Trucks / Trucks
 - Rollers
- Firearms Licence
- First Aid Certification

Authority and Accountability

- Worker level responsibilities in regards to WHS Legislation
- Financial delegation as per Councils delegation register

EQUIPMENT REQUIRED FOR THE POSITION

Man-down pendant for remote work





ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This position description is a broad description of the accountabilities, duties and required capabilities relating to this position. The role and position are dynamic and may evolve and change over time in line with changing strategic and operational requirements. Continuing development, change and improvement of processes, practices, knowledge, skills and behaviors are expected at Forbes Shire Council.

I have signed below in acknowledgement of reading, understanding and accepting the contents of this document. I accept that, with consultation, my duties may be modified by Forbes Shire Council from time to time as necessary.

Employee's Signature:	Date:

HR USE ONLY	
Does this position require a Working with Children Check?	Yes / No
Does this position require the incumbent to undergo a criminal reference check	Yes / No
Does this position have a Financial Delegation	Yes / No Level:
Does this position require the incumbent to possess a specific license or qualification	Yes / No