

Competition #2025-05 Planner I or Planner II

The District of Hope is a local government organization located at the eastern end of the scenic Fraser Valley, a growing community known for its breathtaking natural surroundings, rich history, and strong community values. Nestled between the mountains and rivers, the District of Hope offers an outstanding quality of life with unparalleled access to outdoor recreation, while still being within driving distance of major urban centers.

With a population of approximately 6,700 residents, the District of Hope is committed to sustainable development, economic resilience, and community-focused planning. As we continue to grow and evolve, we are seeking a motivated and detail-oriented individual to join our Community Development Department as either a Planner I or Planner II, depending on qualifications and experience.

Reporting to the Director of Community Development, the Planner I or Planner II supports a wide range of current and long-range planning activities to help guide the District's growth and development in alignment with community goals and provincial legislation. As a smaller organization, the District of Hope offers the unique advantage of variety. You will gain exposure to a wide range of planning tasks and have opportunities to be public facing, interacting with residents, developers, and stakeholders. This role is ideal for individuals who enjoy hands-on work, direct community impact, and the ability to see projects through from start to finish. The successful candidate will be expected to work independently and take initiative managing day to day tasks; however, a small but dedicated team is in place to provide guidance and answer questions as they arise.

A full copy of the Planner I and Planner II job descriptions, list of responsibilities and required knowledge, skills and abilities is available for viewing at the District of Hope website at <u>www.hope.ca</u>.

The wage rate for the Planner I position is \$44.83 per hour; and for the Planner II position, \$49.60 per hour with a comprehensive benefits package including Municipal Pension Plan.

If you have a passion for public service and want to make a difference in the lives of Hope residents, we want to hear from you. Please submit your resume, in confidence directly to Ineke Padgett, Human Resources Advisor by **4:00 p.m. on August 8, 2025**, via one of the following methods: **EMAIL:** <u>hr@hope.ca</u> **Fax:** 604-869-2275 **In Person:** 325 Wallace Street, Hope, BC, **Mail:** District of Hope c/o HR Personnel, PO Box 609, Hope, BC VOX 1L0.

While we appreciate the interest of all applicants, only those candidates under consideration will be contacted.