

The Rideau Valley Conservation Authority is the lead intermunicipal agency working to address river-related environmental issues and concerns within the Rideau Valley watershed. Thanks to our many partners, the scope of our environmental protection work includes planning, source water protection, tackling flooding and erosion problems and researching water movement and use in the valley. We help people maintain healthy shorelines, provide advice on development-related issues and report to municipalities, agencies and the public about watershed conditions and trends. We also provide public access to natural waterfront areas, deliver community-based stewardship programs, reduce water pollution and protect fish and wildlife habitat.

GROUNDWATER GIS / DATABASE SPECIALIST

Two Year Contract

\$53,972 - \$64,544 (plus benefits)

Our offices are located in a suburban area just south of Ottawa where public transportation is limited. Candidates should ensure they have reliable transportation prior to applying.

Reporting to the Groundwater Scientist, you will manage a complex hydrogeological information database in a GIS environment, maintain related documentation to industry standards, and facilitate on-going data-harvesting activities. You will manage and report on your work as per expectations from an inter-agency stakeholder group.

As the ideal candidate, you have a Bachelor's Degree in Geography, Earth Science, Environmental Science, Engineering or a related field and formal GIS education (or equivalent training and experience). You also have at least five years' experience in applying GIS and database management technologies in hydrological, hydrogeological and environmental projects. You have a good working knowledge of geochemical parameters, aquifer test parameters and environmental data reporting standards. You are also highly proficient in using Microsoft Word, Excel and Access; are familiar with other Office 365 applications; and have some experience with elements of project management.

You must have good verbal and written English communication skills. You are very organized, detail oriented, focused, and client-service driven. You thrive on learning new skills and knowledge. You can schedule your own work activities based on written project objectives and weekly verbal discussion; and succinctly and regularly communicate your work progress.

If you have a strong commitment to championing protection of the environment and the safeguarding of land and water resources, please send your resume and covering letter, no later than **April 30, 2017** to:

Human Resources
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*The Rideau Valley Conservation Authority is an equal opportunity employer.
We welcome all applications; however we will contact only those candidates selected for consideration.
We are committed to providing accommodations for people with disabilities. If you are selected for an interview and you require an accommodation, we will work with you to meet your needs.*