



Waterways and Floodplain Officer

Protecting our waterways and the community!
Great lifestyle location
Permanent employment position

The North Central Catchment Management Authority (CMA) works to protect and improve rivers and the natural environment in North Central Victoria. The role of waterways and floodplain officer based in Bendigo provides support to North Central CMA in achieving its statutory obligations ensuring that regional flooding issues are managed in an integrated way. The role addresses flood management and drainage issues as it affects the community and cross municipal boundaries.

Some of the functions of this role may include investigating floodplain information; provision of flood level advice; flood risk management by controlling land use development; managing responses for works on waterways permits and ensuring statutory compliance. Consultation, liaising and negotiating with a variety of internal and external stakeholders is regularly required.

The essential criteria to succeed in this role include:

- Understanding of floodplain management principles, planning issues and environmental, social and economic impacts related to waterways.
- Excellent time management skills to adhere to statutory timeframes.
- Ability to communicate clearly and effectively with a wide range of stakeholders and the general public.
- Ability to work in a small, multi-disciplinary team to improve processes and responses to various demands.
- Demonstrated experience or knowledge using some relevant IT packages i.e. GIS, hydrologic/hydraulic modelling packages such as HecRas and RORBWin
- An appropriate tertiary degree qualification in civil or environmental engineering, natural resources, planning, earth sciences or equivalent is required.

A salary package will be offered commensurate with your level of experience and aligned skills. We would be delighted to receive your application submitting your resume and addressing the above criteria to ftiatto@baysidegrp.com.au quoting reference NCBP02B By COB 26 November 2009. For a confidential discussion or to obtain a position description, contact Frank Tiatto directly on 03 9864 6064 or 0410 627 590