



Rural Lands Assistant VRN 35-19

This position is based at picturesque Richmond, situated 500km west of Townsville on the banks of the Flinders River. The Shire of Richmond is approximately 26,000 square kilometres in the heart of Queensland. Richmond is a hive of activity during tourist season (April to October), and there are numerous weekend activities from sporting meets to dance balls to dinosaur fossil digs. A large recreational lake is used for water sports while the numerous park areas provide cool grassy spots to rest awhile. The surrounding region has all the beauty and dramatic landscapes of the outback.

The Position:

The successful applicant will be an enthusiastic, reliable person with an interest in Local Government. Previous experience in a similar position would be an advantage but not essential. It is desirable but not essential that the applicant have experience in Local Government.

The Person:

The successful applicant will have sound knowledge in ground maintenance, machinery operation, general labouring duties and ability to work unsupervised. A current C class manual driver's licence is essential. A 1080 baiting licence or willingness to obtain is also a requirement. Machinery tickets and/or previous experience would be an advantage but not essential. Please see Position Description for full details.

The Remuneration:

Council will offer a base wage of \$723.76 per week plus an over award payment of 32.5% plus applicable allowances bringing the base wage to \$958.98 per week. After the successful completion of the probationary period, Council's 6% performance bonus will also apply. This is in accordance with the *Richmond Shire Council - Certified Agreement 2018*.

Further Information:

For further information on this position or information about Richmond please contact Council's Payroll & HR Officer on telephone (07) 4719 3377 or email jobs@richmond.qld.gov.au or visit Council's website www.richmond.qld.gov.au

Closing Date:

The closing date for applications is: **9am, Tuesday 11 June 2019**.
Please send your application form along with your resume (including at least 2 referees) to:

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