

Position Description

Position Title	Technical Services Administration Trainee	
Directorate	Sustainable Development and Infrastructure	
Level	Level 1	
Reports to	Coordinator Technical Services	
Directly responsible for	N/A	
Primary Location	Margaret River Works Depot	
Delegation	N/A	
Position No. & version	PAR05	

Position Overview

- Assist the Technical Services team by providing administration duties, assisting Technical Officers and Projects team in Technical Services.
- Contribute to the ongoing engineering, design and procurement, review and implementation at the Shire.
- Assist the technical services team with their duties, including file management, technical inspections, reports, meeting minutes, work orders, stakeholder engagement and contractor relationship.
- Use the Shire's databases, finance and asset management systems, GIS maps, Microsoft Office suite, and records system.
- Contribute to the preparation of project documentation, tender documents and council reports.
- Assist with the Project Management of minor projects, including the coordination of contractors and employees to oversee quality of works are completed within budgets and timeframes.

Position Responsibilities

Key functions	Specific duties	% Time
Administration	 Provide confidential and administrative support to Technical Officers, the Coordinator of Technical Services and Manager of Waste and Major Projects. Assist with development, review and implementation of administrative systems, Shire policies and procedures within Technical Services. Assist with the coordination of meetings, agendas and minutes. Assist with the response to customer service requests to resolveissues providing information regarding policies, procedures and standards. Assist the Senior Technical Officer of Parks and Gardens with reports, record keeping, work orders, subdivision and development admin, inspections and programmes. 	45%

Technical Services	 Contribute to infrastructure asset condition assessments with Technical Officers. Contribute to the review of engineering design and participate in design development of road and drainage infrastructure. Assist with the investigation of technical requests Monitor the quality of work to ensure best practices and standards are adhered to. 	20%
Project Management	 Assist Project Managers and Project Administration Officer as required. Aid Project Managers and Engineers in preparing communications to stakeholders on all infrastructure asset matters including project/condition updates, problem solving and approval requests. Assist with internal and external community engagement for renewal and upgrade projects, as required. Assist with pre-start and toolbox meetings for projects, including online and on-site inductions contractors and compliance suitability checks. 	20%
Human Resources/WHS	 Maintain annual leave calendar for technical services. Assist with organising training for Technical Services team members and contractors as required. Source and order PPE for the Technical Services team. Assist with arrangement of workplace functions. 	10%
Finance and Procurement	 Assist with the financial estimates for works including monitoring and reporting of the financial activities of these projects. Liaise with Finance regarding creditor and account management. 	5%

Position Requirements

Essential

- Reside within the Shire of Augusta Margaret River.
- Progression towards successful completion of Year 12.
- Good written and verbal communication skills.
- Basic understanding of Microsoft Office and its core applications (Outlook, Word, Excel).
- Current 'C' or 'CA' class drivers' licence or significant progression towards.
- Demonstrated ability to successfully work within a team and promote a positive team environment.
- Basic numeracy skills to provide information and advice to other employees and higher-level staff.
- Have the ability to work under routine (general) supervision and to follow instructions.
- A willingness to undertake associated training, in particular Certificate III or Certificate IV Business Administration.

Desirable

- Experience or interest in technical drawing or STEM study.
- Construction White Card.
- An understanding of the importance of safety in the workplace.
- Knowledge of Council's functions.

Key Relationships				
Internal	External			
Manager Waste and Major Projects	General Public			
Technical Services Officers.	Community members and groups			
Coordinator Technical Services.	Contractors and material suppliers			
Project Management and Project Administration				
Officers.				
Surveyors, Design Officers and Engineers.				
Communications Department.				
Planning and Assets Department - Subdivisions.				
Environmental Officers – Sustainability.				
Operations Department – Works Supervisors.				
Bushfire Mitigation Officers				

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Acknowledgement					
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