Newcastle City Council Job Description



Post Title: Designer RR354

Evaluation: 559 Points **Grade:** N8

Responsible to: Technical Team Manager

Responsible for: N/A

Job Purpose: To undertake project management, technical, planning and

strategy development duties relating to architectural,

landscaping or engineering projects.

Main Duties: The following is typical of the duties the postholder will be

expected to perform. It is not necessarily exhaustive and other duties of a similar nature and level may be required from time

to time.

- 1. Manage / deliver projects, including design, using knowledge of relevant architectural, landscaping or engineering practices / procedures, organisational policies and external legislation.
- Analyse and interpret very varied and complex information to solve a range of architectural, landscaping or engineering problems including planning and the development of strategy.
- 3. Responsible for meeting agreed deadlines that are regularly unpredictable, checking the accuracy of own work and that of others.
- 4. Preparation of plans, correspondence, calculations, documents and reports at an advanced level.
- 5. Communication of complex and contentious information to a range of audiences both orally and in writing.
- 6. Represents the service area at meetings / working groups both within and external to Technical Services. Liaison with organisations external to Technical Services.
- 7. Responsible for the development and providing advice, guidance and training to others.
- 8. Carry out surveys, measurement and testing.
- 9. Work on architectural, landscaping or engineering tasks mainly without supervision.
- 10. Responsible for managing own workload and prioritising tasks.

- 11. Contribute to setting and monitoring of budgets including accountability for the effective expenditure of very large budgets.
- 12. Use of Information Technology software associated with the architectural, landscaping or engineering and project management tasks being undertaken.
- 13. Provision of advice and guidance at an advanced level regarding internal policy and external regulation relating to. architectural, landscaping or engineering practices.
- 14. To promote and implement the Council's Equality Policy in all aspects of employment and service delivery.
- 15. To assist in maintaining a healthy, safe and secure environment and to act in accordance with the Council's policies and procedures.