



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

**Manager, Building and Planning
Airports/Headquarters
Department of Transportation
Yellowknife, NT**

This position is located in Yellowknife. There are 27 airports in the NWT. Nineteen (70%) of these airports are operated via operating agreements with Community Governments, Band Councils, Development Companies and private sector companies while 8 (30%) airports are operated by "own forces" or Regional Departmental staff. Six of these 8 which include Yellowknife, Hay River, Inuvik, Norman Wells, Fort Smith and Fort Simpson, handles approximately 85% of the passenger traffic in the NWT.

The Manager is responsible for development of long-term airport plans (e.g. 20-Year Strategic Airport Infrastructure Plans and Investment Plans) and shorter term plans (e.g. 5 Year Capital Plans) and managing development and implementation of project plans for the airports buildings program.

Some of the key knowledge, skills and abilities required include; a thorough knowledge of airport planning theories and principles; knowledge of airport buildings planning, design, engineering, and construction principles and regulatory regimes in an arctic environment; thorough knowledge of the theory and principles of airport operations including the complex regulatory regime needed to develop long term plans for airports, implement airport building and associated buildings systems projects and provide advice to operators; and knowledge of problem solving and analytical skills needed to resolve conflicts (technical and other), develop appropriate solutions from a number of complex options in planning and implementation.

The above is normally acquired with completion of a Degree in Civil Engineering with specialization in transportation planning and 15 years experience in progressively responsible positions (of which 2 years was spent in arctic/northern environments working in a cross cultural environment) including 5 years in airport planning, 5 years in building planning, design and project implementation, 5 years in management and supervisory positions.

The salary starts at \$44.89 per hour (approximately \$87,536 per annum), plus an annual Northern Allowance of \$2,500.

This competition may be used to fill similar positions that become available over the next six months.

Candidates must clearly identify their eligibility in order to receive priority consideration under the Affirmative Action Policy.

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Closing Date: Open

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