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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

The Yellowknives Dene First Nation invites individuals to be considered for the following employment opportunity:

Land and Environment Officer

The Land and Environment Officer will perform environmental evaluations and implement resource management techniques as directed and mandated by the YKDFN leadership. This person will also work closely with a YKDFN member knowledgeable on traditional lands. Research First Nations traditional and cultural concern in relations to various land use activities. Perform interviews, conduct presentations and produce analytical environmental reports. This is a technical position, and the candidate must have experience in GPS, GIS, field work and water quality testing. Experience in northern environmental issues and mitigation measures. The successful candidate will assist the Director of Land Management with the negotiations, administration, evaluation and technical assessments of land use permit applications, and preliminary screening through out the traditional Drygeese Territory in accordance with agreements such as the Akaitcho Interim Measures Agreement.

Academic Requirements:

- Grade 12 high school Diploma
- Completion of approved post-secondary school program and/or degree in environment sciences studies, or
- Equivalent combination of education and 3 years related work experience and/or training will be considered.

The Yellowknives Dene First Nation offers a competitive wage with excellent comprehensive group insurance coverage and benefits. A job description is available, upon request, that outlines the duties, qualifications, knowledge, and skills.

Resumes accompanied by a cover letter detailing your experience and qualifications to be sent by closing date of January 10, 2008 at 4:00 p.m. to:

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We thank all who apply and advise that only those selected for an interview will be contacted.