Employment Information Package

Municipal Employee Road Services

Position number: POS0357

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Address applications to:

Senior Leader People and Culture City of Launceston PO Box 396 LAUNCESTON TAS 7250 **Email address:** contactus@launceston.tas.gov.au

When emailing your application, attachments should be sent in either Word (.doc/.docx), PDF (.pdf), TIFF (.tiff), JPEG (.jpg) or Excel (.xls/xlsx) formats.



About the City of Launceston

Launceston is the regional hub of Northern Tasmania and enjoys a rich natural and social history. Located at the head of the picturesque Tamar Valley, the Launceston region is renowned for its award-winning wines, gourmet dining experiences, magnificent natural features and friendly residents.

Our city is human scale. A series of green and wild spaces linked by heritage streetscapes and thoughtful adaptions. A real blend of old-world and new, tradition and innovation.

The City of Launceston municipal area covers an area of 1,405 square kilometres with a population of around 71,000 residents.

The City of Launceston is Tasmania's largest municipal council in terms of population and revenue. Launceston boasts all the major facilities of a much larger city, many of which are owned and operated by the City of Launceston.

The City of Launceston is served by 12 Councillors, including the Mayor and Deputy Mayor.

Click here to view City of Launceston's strategic and annual reporting.

The City of Launceston is recognised as an Employer of Choice by the Tasmanian Government.

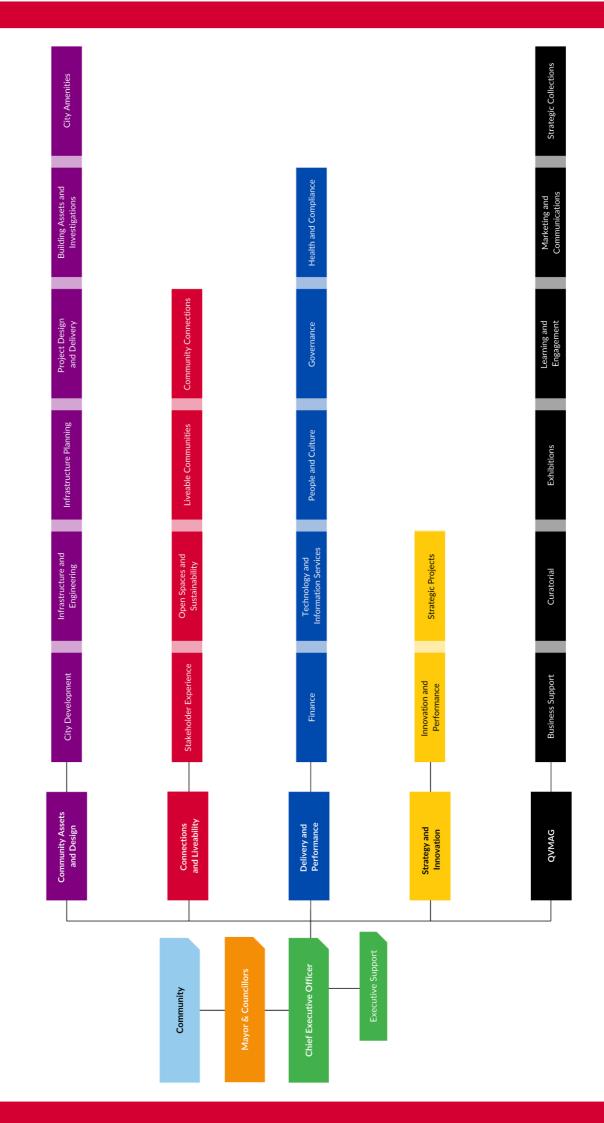
An Employer of Choice is a workplace that demonstrates contemporary workplace practices and provides outstanding support for its staff.

Employee benefits offered by the City of Launceston include:

- Our employees have access to discounted health insurance options through St Luke's Health and BUPA.
- Employees have access to a free EAP service, which provides support and counselling for personal and work related issues, coaching and advice for leaders and counselling assistance for immediate family members.
- We are committed to providing a working environment that is sufficiently flexible to meet the operational requirement and workload demands of the City of Launceston while accommodating, where possible, the needs of our employees.
- Discounted membership at Launceston Leisure & Aquatic Centre.
- Discounts at the QVMAG Gift Shop.
- Additional leave: employees may request to purchase an additional two or four week's additional leave per year to help manage family/carer responsibilities or other special circumstances.



We are a progressive organisation, working with our community to create a positive future Inspired people, working together to create the best outcomes for our community. for Launceston. **OUR PURPOSE OUR VISION**



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Organisational values

At the heart of our organisation are our four organisational values. Our employees are expected to adhere to, support and promote our values at all times.

Our aim is to attract and retain people who share our values and want be a part of our positive workplace culture. Before submitting your application please review our values and decide if they are a good fit for you.





City of Launceston is an equal opportunity employer. Our workforce is diverse, inclusive, flexible and family-friendly.

We value the different backgrounds, skills and contributions of all employees and treat each other and our community with respect.

We want opportunities at City of Launceston to be accessible and attainable to all candidates. If you are interested in this role but have concerns about your suitability, please talk to us before submitting your application.

Information for applicants

Please read this information carefully, as it will help you with the preparation of your employment application.

When applying for this position, you must provide the following documentation:

- 1. Covering letter
- 2. Statement addressing the selection criteria (highlighted criteria only)
- 3. Resume

The online Application for Employment can be <u>accessed here</u> (you will be asked to attach your supporting documentation)

- 1. Your covering letter should introduce you and explain why you are applying for the role.
- 2. All recruitment and selection decisions are based on merit. The most suitable person in terms of skills, knowledge, qualifications, relevant experience, alignment with organisational values and work attitudes is selected for the position. Selection is based on the assessment of each application in relation to the selection criteria identified in the position description. The position description is included later in this information kit.

The selection criteria consists of the qualifications, knowledge, skills, attitudes and abilities required to successfully perform the role. You must provide a statement that addresses each highlighted selection criterion for the role. Your statement should include examples that demonstrate how you meet each criterion.

Please see information here on how to address the <u>Selection</u> <u>Criteria.</u>

3. Your resume should provide details of your qualifications, work history, special skills, training and competency details and referees, plus any other information that may support your application. Be clear and informative. Include the names, position titles, addresses and telephone numbers of at least two work referees.

If we can assist you with any reasonable adjustments in order to submit your application for this role, please contact the People and Culture Team via email at

<u>contactus@launceston.tas.gov.au</u>, noting your preferred method of communication and contact details and a member of the team will be in touch.

Recruitment steps

- 1. Application received
- 2. Shortlisting
 - Shortlisted applicants will be contacted by telephone or email to arrange an interview.
 - Unsuccessful candidates will be advised by email.
- 3. Interview
- 4. Pre-Employment Checks:
 - Reference Check
 - Police Check
 - Medical Assessment
 - Drug and Alcohol screening

All costs covered by City of Launceston

- 5. Suitability determination and preferred candidate identified
- 6. Letter of Offe

General conditions of employment

Position title	Municipal Employee Road Services	
Employment terms	Permanent full-time	
Working pattern	9-day fortnight	
Total remuneration	\$76,513 - \$83, 497 *Total remuneration includes superannuation, as detailed below	
	Base salary \$66,389 - \$72,448	
Superannuation	Employer contribution of 15.25%	

- Annual leave: employees are entitled to 4 weeks (pro-rata for part-time employees) annual leave per year, plus leave loading.
- **Personal leave (for sick and carer's leave):** employees are entitled to two weeks (pro-rata for part-time employees) personal leave per year, if they are unable to attend work due to personal illness/injury or to provide care for a spouse/partner or immediate family member.
- **Paid parental leave:** employees are entitled to fourteen weeks paid (or twenty eight weeks at half-pay) parental/adoption leave for the primary carer; two weeks paid leave for the secondary carer.
- Long Service Leave: Long service leave applies after 7 years continuous service.

The City of Launceston Enterprise Agreement 2021 is available here

The City of Launceston Leisure and Aquatic Centre Enterprise Agreement 2022 is available here

Position Description Form - Officer

PF NUMBER:	PF0		POS NUMBER:	PO\$0357	
POSITION TITLE:		Munic	cipal Employee - Road	Services	
AWARD CLASSIFICAT	ION:	Grade	23		
EMPLOYEE:		Vacan	nt		
TEAM:		City A	menities - Road Servi	ices	
REPORTS TO:		Comm	nunity Asset and Desig	gn	
PREPARED BY:		Team	Leader Road Services	3	
DATE:		Greg	Oliver		

APPROVED BY:	
NAME:	Dean Edsall
POSITION:	Senior Leader Operations
SIGNATURE:	

POSITION PURPOSE (Why does this position exist)

The Municipal Employee supports the Operations Road Services department by undertaking maintenance and civil construction activities of roads / drainage and related infrastructure.

City of Launceston is a values-based organisation, which means that we employ people who share and display Our Values



Accountabilities	Activities/Tasks include:	Success looks like
	General	
City of Launceston's Values	 Behave in a way that supports the City of Launceston's values. Our people matter We care about our community We bring an open mind We go home safe and well 	Demonstrates, through behaviour, an alignment to and an understanding of Our Values.
Technology	Use technology and information to maximise efficiency and effectiveness.	New and existing technologies are utilised effectively.
Collaborate	Work collaboratively within your team and across other teams. Support delivery of the Team's strategic and annual plan actions.	Actively participating in team meetings/tool box meetings, by offering ideas and suggestions and providing feedback
	Work with other teams as relevant to technical role accountabilities.	Collaborative opportunities are sought across teams
Innovation	Encourage and be proactive in developing a culture of introducing new and improved work practices and projects within your team and other teams.	Improved work practices and projects.
	Technical	
Civil Construction	Hold or the ability to obtain a certificate III in Civil Construction or relevant experience.	Civil Construction
Traffic Management	Hold or the ability to acquire Control Traffic with a Stop Slow bat & Implement a Traffic Control Plan.	Traffic Management
Operate plant and equipment	Maintain a current drivers licence and able to operate various pieces of plant and equipment.	Operate plant and equipment
Electronic work instructions	Utilise computer systems and software to capture and or assign tasks.	Electronic work instructions
Employee work training and skill enhancement	Undertake recommended training and competency assessment in workshops/courses designed to improve job performance and expand your skills base.	Employee work training and skill enhancement
Maintenance of urban and rural roads, footpaths and stormwater.	Work under the direction of the road services Coordinator. Undertake urban and rural maintenance works within the area of responsibility. This involves work on:	Maintenance of urban and rural roads, footpaths and stormwater.
	Road pavement, verge drains, footpaths (concrete and asphalt) and drainage systems. Ensure all works meet the needs of Councils customers with minimal inconvenience or disruption to people and traffic.	

Accountabilities	Activities/Tasks include:	Success looks like
	Complete pre-start checks, JRAs, traffic management	
	records, timesheets, work orders and all other relevant	
	paper work that is associated with the job.	
Work Safely with a	Perform all work in a safe manner in accordance with	
Duty of Care for fellow employees and ensure	the City of Launceston's WHS Policy and Procedures	
procedural compliance	While at work, a worker must –	
	(a) take reasonable care for his or her own health and safety; and	
	(b) take reasonable care that his or her acts or omissions do not adversely affect the health and safety of other persons; and	
	(c) comply, so far as the worker is reasonably able, with any reasonable instruction that is given by the person conducting the business or undertaking to allow the person to comply with this Act; and	
	(d) cooperate with any reasonable policy or procedure of the person conducting the business or undertaking relating to health or safety at the workplace that has been notified to workers.	
	(Section 28 Work Health & Safety Act 2012)	

direct an employee to carry out such duties or tasks that are within the limits of the employee's skill, competence and training.

WORKING WITH VULNERABLE PEOPLE CHECK		
	Yes/No	
Working with Vulnerable People Check required?	No	
If yes, include in Selection Criteria table below		

SELECTION CRITERIA

POSITION REQUIREMENTS/COMPETENCIES

Organisational

- Community Focussed: considers community/customers in decision making
- Communicate and Engage: demonstrates self-awareness & encourages open discussions & contributions from others
- Create and Innovate: displays initiative & considers different ideas and perspectives
- Safety Focused: Takes responsibility for own and team's health, well-being, and self-care, including identifying hazards, assessing risks, and implementing appropriate controls to ensure a safe work environment.

Position Specific

- Knowledge and experience or a desire to learn road construction and maintenance activities; concrete, asphalt, and stormwater.
- Contribute to a positive culture within the workplace.

• Follow, communicate and carry out instructions clearly and efficiently.

• Ability to work well in a team environment

- Excellent verbal communication & customer service skills, with the ability to work calmly in a high pace service environment
- Possession and retention of current C/MR class drivers licence or ability to obtain.

QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

- Holder of White card Certification.
- Relevant qualification, or substantial relevant work experience

• Medium Rigid (MR) drivers licence

REPORTING STRUCTURE		
Leader Coordinator Road Services		
Direct Reports	Nil	

KEY RELATIONSHIPS (External and Internal Customers, Supplier, Colleagues, etc)		
Internal	Nature of Relationships	
Other Council departments	Teamwork/joint projects/orders	
External	Nature of Relationships	
Members of the public	Consideration for public and community	

DELEGATIONS & AUTHORISATIONS (Local Government Act, By-Laws etc)		
Purchasing Approvals	Limit \$0	

Confidentiality

Employees are

- a) Able to access; or
- b) May be exposed in the course of performing their duties to information that may be related to individuals, organisations or the general dealings of the City of Launceston. Some of this information will be of a sensitive nature either within or external to the organisation.

By accepting this position the employee undertakes:

- a) To keep all information that they are exposed to confidential during and after their period of employment with City of Launceston. Information should never be disclosed outside of the organisation and only be disclosed to other employees if there is a need within the context of the task being performed.
- b) To not access any information within the organisation's systems that is not directly relevant to their work.
- c) To abide by the requirements of the Confidentiality and Privacy clause of the relevant Enterprise Agreement.

OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

Expectations of a City of Launceston employee:

- Have strategies in place to enhance their own health and well-being, manage stress and maintain professionalism;
- Seeks feedback broadly and asks others for help with own development areas; and
- Translates feedback into an opportunity to develop.

















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