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FLOODPLAIN MANAGER

Description:

This is a full-time, exempt position as a Floodplain Manager with the Mile High Flood District (MHFD). This position provides leadership in floodplain management services, expertise in floodplain and land-use regulation, and flood hazard identification and notification.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Provides leadership in assisting local governments with effective floodplain management, including the identification of flood hazard areas, floodplain regulation, the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP), and land use regulations.
- Manages the FEMA CTP LOMR Review Partners Program for processing NFIP map revision requests within the District's service area.
- Provides direction in the outreach to property owners regarding their potential flood risk and subsequent regulatory implications.
- Works closely with various local, state and federal governmental agencies in coordinating floodplain regulation, local flood hazard mapping development, and associated community and property owner notifications.
- Provides technical guidance and review for Flood Hazard Area Delineation (FHAD) studies.
- Oversees the Physical Map Revision (PMR) process with FEMA for completed FHAD studies.
- Provides training and mentorship for engineers in floodplain modeling and mapping.
- Provides direction for floodplain preservation and management in watershed planning studies.
- Provides support to other District programs regarding floodplain-related activities.
- Serves as District Public Information Officer by interacting with the media and public on an as-needed basis.
- Assumes delegated responsibilities of the Floodplain Administrator.

Minimum Qualifications:

- Bachelor's Degree in Civil Engineering or other relevant branch of engineering
- Colorado-licensed Professional Engineer
- Certified Floodplain Manager
- Ten (10) years' experience, of which at least five (5), must be in responsible charge in the field of floodplain management
- Master's Degree may be substituted for one (1) year of experience

Key Competencies:

- Extensive knowledge of hydrology, hydraulics, floodplain management concepts, and regulatory requirements associated with floodplain management
- Ability to apply such knowledge and concepts to specific problems

- Ability to provide effective verbal and written communication of technical aspects and implications of flood risk and associated regulation to a wide range of audiences who possess varying levels of relative knowledge
- Working knowledge of the technical and practical aspects of engineering analysis, construction and project supervision
- Ability to direct and supervise the work of consultants and contractors
- Ability to work effectively and cooperatively with other staff members, local, state and federal agency representatives and the public
- Excellent verbal, written, and interpersonal communication skills
- Demonstrated interest and ability in maintaining technical proficiency

Availability and Salary:

- Immediate Opening
- Starting Compensation Range: \$90,000 to \$120,000 (Compensation commensurate with experience)
- Application Closing Date: Posted in November 2023 and open until filled.

Contact:

Send cover letter and resume to Amelia Deleon, Human Resources Director, adeleon@mhfd.org

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