



Great Position Open in Alaska

Director, Division of Water – Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation

The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) is recruiting for the position of Director of the Division of Water.

The Division

Services of the Division are organized in two main areas: Facilities and Water Quality. The Facilities programs provide grants, loans, and engineering and technical assistance for the construction and operation of drinking water, sewerage, and solid waste facilities in villages and cities throughout Alaska. The Water Quality Programs establish water quality standards; issue wastewater discharge permits and ensure compliance with permits; monitor cruise ship compliance with environmental and sanitation requirements; monitor and report on the health of Alaska's waters; and clean up polluted waters. The Division has approximately 100 full-time employees located in Juneau, Anchorage, Fairbanks, Soldotna, and Wasilla.

The Position

The Director is responsible for the planning, budgeting, staffing and operation of the Division and for the determination and implementation of water quality policy. The Director has significant interaction with other state departments, federal and local agencies, local and tribal governments, state legislators and legislative staff, and the public. Candidates should have experience with state water quality programs and the federal Clean Water Act programs as well as experience managing an organization consisting of scientists, engineers and other technical staff to deliver engineering and regulatory program services.

Salary and Benefits

Salary is established as a Range 27 with an entry annual salary of between \$103,000 and \$122,000 depending on qualifications and experience. This position is exempt from the usual recruitment process and serves at the discretion of the appointing authority. Partially exempt positions are not covered by the terms of a collective bargaining agreement. Position can be located in Anchorage or Juneau.

The State of Alaska offers a comprehensive benefits package. For more information, please visit <http://doa.alaska.gov/drb/benefits/employee/> and <http://doa.alaska.gov/drb/dcrp/index.html#.XNXYPDZYaF4>

To apply, provide a resume and cover letter outlining your interest and qualifications by email to claire.fishwick@alaska.gov. Recruitment open until filled.