

**Construction Officer 3 - Site-C**

**Positions Available: 3**

<b>Status:</b> Full-time (37.5 hrs/wk) Temporary	<b>Job Location:</b> Fort St John DO <b>Region:</b> Northern Interior
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We're BC Hydro and we have a big job to do.

Keeping the lights on for over 4 million people across the province takes a lot of talented people doing many different jobs. From working deep in a generating station, atop a power pole, or behind a desk, whatever it is that makes you tick we offer challenging careers to help you reach your potential.

We're investing more than \$2 billion per year in major capital infrastructure projects to help meet the growing demand for safe, reliable power. We're upgrading transmission lines, building new substations, and investing in our hydroelectric generation facilities.

We aim to provide meaningful and challenging work, opportunities for growth and a healthy work/life balance. We've been recognized for excellence and been named one of B.C.'s Top Employers and one of Canada's Best Diversity Employers for four years in a row.

It's our vision to be the most trusted, innovative utility company in North America by being smart about power in all we do.

**JOB DESCRIPTION**

**Duties:**

Site C will be the third dam and hydroelectric generating station on the Peace River in northeast B.C. The project will provide 1,100 megawatts (MW) of capacity and about 5,100 gigawatt hours (GWh) of energy each year to the province's integrated electricity system. Project components include an earthfill dam, diversion tunnel, generating station, spillway and associated structures, an 83-kilometre-long reservoir, re-alignment of six sections of Highway 29, and two 77-kilometre transmission lines along an existing right-of-way connecting Site C to Peace Canyon. The \$8.3 billion project is estimated to be complete by 2024, and will use 10,000 person-years of direct construction labour.

**Specific Duties and Responsibilities:**

- \* Inspects projects activities, administers contracts and maintains liaison with contractors/CBU to ensure that work, materials, progress and costs meet BC Hydro expectations; resolves related problems and advises staff of major problems; authorizes payments and acceptable deviations from contract specifications.
- \* Conducts, evaluates and directs on-site testing, surveying and estimating activities.
- \* Provides input into project planning and the drafting of tender documents; participates in pre-job meetings.
- \* Maintains liaison with project team members and local interest groups and related agencies; identifies construction and environmental problems and recommends alternative strategies.
- \* Holds work leadership responsibilities for, and performs the same duties as lower level Construction Officers and other technical and clerical staff assigned to the project.
- \* Acts as Site Safety Coordinator to ensure all regulations, acts, safety and security requirements are met.
- \* May act as Project Controller in accordance with SPR requirements.
- \* May be required to act as official on-site BC Hydro representative with the associated authority to commit BC Hydro to project activities and resulting costs.
- \* Prepares reports of project activities and arranges for required permits and clearances.
- \* Provides a high level of expertise in a technical specialty and/or provides a broad multi-

disciplinary expertise.

\* Performs duties of a minor nature related to the above duties which do not affect the rating of the job.

**Qualifications:**

\* Completion of a National Diploma of Technology in either Civil & Structural or Electrical from an Institute of Technology or relevant trades apprenticeship course or equivalent plus additional training in contract law and 4 years of related construction experience.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

**This position is affiliated with the Canadian Office and Professional Employees Union (COPE local 378) ([www.cope378.ca](http://www.cope378.ca)).**

- \* This location may be eligible for a Remote Incentive of 12%.
- \* This location is eligible for Extended Health Care Medical Travel Benefit. The Extended Health Care Medical Travel Benefit is extended to Full-Time Regular, Part-Time Regular and Full-Time Temporary employees who are permanently working in eligible remote locations.
- \* Spends the majority of the day, over 50% of time, exposed to all weather conditions while performing job functions. Works at construction and office site. May be required to work underground, up on scaffolding or up towers. May spend the majority of the day on feet on rough terrain. May have to drive from site to site daily.
- \* This is a Full Time Temporary position for approximately eight (8) years.
- \* As part of the selection process, applicants may be required to take a written test during the interview.
- \* A condition of employment for this job is that you maintain your Driver's License: Class 5 In Good Standing.
- \* Please be advised that this role has been assessed as safety sensitive and pre-qualification alcohol and drug testing will be required as a pre-condition to employment.

We're always looking for exceptional people to bring new ideas, fresh thinking and the motivation to help shape the electricity system in B.C. It's an exciting time to be a part of our team as we invest in our system and prepare to meet the challenges of tomorrow.

Our values guide our work. Want to join us?

- We are safe.
- We are here for our customers.
- We are one team.
- We act with integrity.
- We respect our province.
- We are forward thinking.

BC Hydro is an equal opportunity employer.

**HOW TO APPLY**

Don't forget to update your Candidate Profile with your current resume and copies of your certifications. If applicable, include your Trades Qualification. This will ensure we have all the necessary information to assess your application without any delays.

Click on the Apply button in order to complete the steps to apply for this job.

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**Closing Date:** 2016-01-17