



The Credit Valley Conservation Authority (CVC) is a partnership of the municipalities within the Credit River Watershed. We are dedicated to conserving, restoring, developing and managing the natural resources of our watershed. Together we have a long and successful history of ensuring a clean supply of water for human and environmental needs. At this time, we are seeking to fill the position of:

## Planning Ecologist

1 Year Contract

### SUMMARY OF FUNCTIONS

Reporting to the Senior Planner Ecologist, this position will maintain excellent client service in providing environmental analysis and comments related to the implementation of the Authority's environmental policies and guidelines for the Plan Input and Plan Review and Regulation process.

### ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- University degree in biology, ecology or related discipline;
- 3 years of experience related to the major tasks;
- Demonstrate knowledge of ecological principles, including fish and wildlife management;
- Demonstrate knowledge of the Planning Act, the Conservation Authorities Act and Regulations, the Environmental Assessment Act and other relevant federal, provincial and municipal legislation;
- Demonstrated excellence in oral and written communication skills and customer service

### SUMMARY OF MAJOR TASKS

Perform the following tasks under limited direction.

- Provide technical review of development applications, municipal planning documents, and comprehensive environmental reports, identifying where CVC ecology related policy and program interests may be affected and provide recommendations and solutions;
- Maintain effective relations with internal staff as well as external clients and partners (i.e. member municipalities, ratepayers, developers, consultants, general public, etc.);
- Prepare and present reports to the CVC Board communicating ecological interests as they relate to planning and development applications;
- Represent the CVC and provide expert testimony at meetings, committees, hearings, tribunals, etc.
- Ensure, through plan input and development review and Regulation application activities, that the requirements under the Authority's agreement with the Federal Department of Fisheries and Oceans are met.

CVC offers a full benefit package for contract staff including health, dental and life insurance, and a staff identification pass which entitles you to free entry into all conservation areas! CVC also offers its employees a compressed workweek and flex-hours.

Forward resume by **February 19, 2010** to:

#### Credit Valley Conservation

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Please quote "**Planning Ecologist**" on resume/letter.

Resumes/letters submitted electronically must be submitted in Word format

We thank all applicants for their interest. However only those selected for an interview will be contacted. No phone calls please.

Credit Valley Conservation is an Equal Opportunity Employer.