



The Bedford Group of Drainage Boards manages surface water in the Upper River Great Ouse catchment, from north Oxfordshire, through Buckinghamshire and Bedfordshire to Huntingdon. We are actively involved in maintaining and improving watercourses and guiding and advising planning authorities about flood risk, SUDS and development.

We are seeking the following to join the Engineering department:

SENIOR TECHNICIAN/ASSISTANT ENGINEER

With knowledge of engineering and flood risk management. It would be an advantage to have experience of consenting, GIS and Sustainable Drainage Systems.

The post offers a competitive salary, depending on qualifications and experience, together with access to the Local Government Pension Scheme, an essential user vehicle allowance and a generous holiday allowance.

JOB DESCRIPTION

Duties and Responsibilities:

Responsible to the Principal Engineer.

Carry out development control activities, under the appropriate supervision of the Senior Engineer and Principal Engineer. Activities include liaising and advising the planning authorities, Lead Local flood Authorities and developers of appropriate flood risk, SuDS and development.

Carrying out Land Drainage Consenting and Byelaw administration, under the direction of the Principal Engineer.

Assist the Site Managers regarding maintenance activities, including timely preparation of job cards and issuing notices of entry.

Assist the Senior Engineer and Principal Engineer with the management of the works programme and engineering works.

Assist in flood protection and land drainage works by carrying out a range of engineering activities, including asset inspections and surveying.

Promote Health & Safety and Conservation, in accordance with the Boards' policies.

Liaising with developers on Sustainable Drainage Systems

Supporting Engineering, Rating and Finance officers with GIS and Asset Management System, including installing updates and map layers.

Providing support in flood events and cover on the Standby Duty Roster which is typically one week in six.

Further information on the Bedford Group and its activities can be found on our website at:
www.idbs.org.uk

Please complete the Board's Application Form and return by 11th January 2019 to:

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Or email:

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