

Environmental Scientist

Reporting to: Head of HSQE

Salary Band: c.£45k

Responsible for: N/A

Main role: The Development of the strategic environmental policy within the organisation with regards to waste and water quality. Advising on tenders and providing guidance and advice to the operational teams to ensure compliance with environmental legislation and operational controls.

Key responsibilities:

People:

- Anticipate Client and team needs and provide information in a timely manner
- Training and Developing - identifying and providing training opportunities for both remedial and developmental purposes
- Be aware of our health & safety procedures and stop any actions on site that are non-compliant and report to the Site Manager & Operations Manager immediately.
- Ensure all sites run to the highest possible safety standards for employees, sub contractors, client, visitors and the general public.
- Ensure all projects operate within CDM Regulations
- Ensure timely reporting of all accidents and near misses on all projects.
- Managing your time and workload responsibly.
- Ensuring our business is conducted in a professional manner.
- Ensure highest standards are maintained and continually reviewed to minimise loss and vandalism.
- Ensure Information provided to the client is accurate and timely, as agreed at the commencement of the project.
- Respond to Client & colleague phone calls within a timely manner
- Lead response in any environmental site investigations with the Environment Agency or Natural England etc as required.

Planet:

- Promote the ethos and image of Land and Water Services
- Ensure all environmental legislation is followed
- Minimise and record environmental impact
- Create Innovative and sustainable solutions in line with environmental issues
- Advise on the environmental security of projects and sites
- Assist Site Manager in the development of contingency plans.
- Implementation of Health & Safety and environmental procedures.
- Carry out benefit statements, deployment forms and appropriate audits.
- Interpret results and regarding Water Quality, aeration, sediment analysis, leachate analysis.
- Provide guidance & advice to colleagues and Site Managers
- Produce and advise on SWMP & impacts and aspects register.
- Carry out sediment and field sampling
- Carry out Dissolved Oxygen and ammonia monitoring, interpret results and provide guidance.
- Compile construction phase health and safety plans and associated method statements and risk assessments covering Health, safety and Environment.
- Compile and produce completion CD's and H&S file documents

Profit:

- Ensure a time sheet is submitted each week with the allocation of your time.
- Be aware of the Early Warning procedures and advise the Operations manager and site managers if there are any factors on site that would contribute to an early warning.
- Expenditure sign off limit of £10,000
- Liaison with members of the commercial team to ensure optimum and timely financial recovery of contracts, with regard to environmental operations
- Provide environmental support to Site Manager in developing the project programmes.
- Support the Operations Manager & Divisional Business Managers in pricing works.
- Attend scoping meetings with the clients as required and ensure that the costs produced are accurate and achievable.
- Be aware of our quality & environmental procedures and stop any actions on site that are non-compliant and report to the Site Manager & Operations Manager.
- Attend project handover and close out meetings as required
- Assist with surveying and general site planning and preparation of the works as required
- Innovate new disposal options for wet/green waste, and challenge legislation.

Behavioural:

- **Passion & Excellence:** - pursue a can do attitude; being proactive and owning your work. Challenge the status quo and love what you do
- **Respect** – be aware of your impact on others; value openness and carefully listen to the view of others. Respect your colleagues, self and environment. Look after the tools of your trade.
- **Collaboration** – work together to achieve a common goal
- **Empathy** – demonstrate a caring approach to your colleagues, customers and self
- **Honesty & Integrity** – when something goes wrong – own it! Learn from mistakes and avoid it happening again.