



Havant Thicket Reservoir Project Manager - Reservoir

Portsmouth Water has embarked on a £123m project to build a reservoir at Havant Thicket. This environmentally led project will safeguard future water supplies and provide a place of natural beauty for the community to enjoy. The reservoir will provide wetland habitats, paths for walking, cycling, running and horse-riding, and a visitors' centre providing a café and educational resources for schools. The project will be mainly delivered through a main reservoir contract and two pipeline contracts, with some additional related contracts.

We are looking for a project manager to successfully deliver the Havant Thicket reservoir contract and other, related works. The successful candidate will need to uphold our values of excellence, integrity and respect.

Main responsibilities are:

- Fulfil the role of NEC Project manager for the two, pipeline design and build contracts, and other projects as instructed by the Project Director.
- Manage design development, construction and commissioning
- Work with our professional advisers to ensure that works proceed in accordance with planning permission, licenses and compliance with all relevant regulations.
- Lead health, safety, well-being, quality and environmental performance.
- Scrutinise contractor information, including applications for payment, programmes, compensation events and early warning notices.
- Chair meetings with designers, stakeholders and contractors to coordinate works and drive high value performance which is aligned with the values and priorities of Portsmouth Water.
- Manage key stakeholder relationships to enable the success of the project.
- Produce monthly progress reports and enable timely decision making to deliver successful commercial outcomes.

To meet the high demands of this role, we are looking for a person who has the following:

Skills

- Strong communication and team leadership skills
- Good analytical skills with the ability to review and write technical specifications, procurement strategies, business cases, decision support papers and progress reports
- Strong appreciation of risk management techniques, with experience of managing budgets for large construction projects

Basic salary £65k-£70k, car allowance £4,712, 20% of basic salary paid as project completion bonus

Based in Havant

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Please include your CV and salary expectations.

Apply to: Ian Limb, Head of HR, PO Box 8, Havant, Hants PO9 1LG

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We are happy to consider flexible working arrangements. This can include alternative days / hours of work or work location. Please specify any request in your application.

Closing date: 14 JANUARY 2022

- Good knowledge of construction materials, processes and equipment
- Excel/Powerpoint/Word/Teams
- Experience of using Contract Management Software would be an advantage

Qualifications and Experience

- Bachelor's degree in Civil Engineering or related field of study
- More than 10 years of experience of design and construction management
- Experience of leading major, complex civil infrastructure projects, particularly in the water sector
- Experience of reservoir works and/or major earthworks would be an advantage
- NEC contract management experience is essential, ideally with Option C target cost experience
- Chartered with a relevant institution e.g. MICE, MIET
- Project management qualification (PRINCE, APM or PMI)
- Full driving licence (all applicants will be required to undertake our driver assessment)
- Ideally, the successful candidate will have a recognised supervisory qualification or be able to give a commitment to obtain such a qualification