

TEMPORARY VACANCY NOTICE

The Department of Natural Resources is seeking to hire a suitably qualified person for appointment to the following post "Aquaponics Project Manager- for The Caribbean Overseas Countries and Territories (OCTs) Resilience, Sustainable Energy and Marine Biodiversity Programme (RESEMBID)." The successful candidate will be attached to the Fisheries and Agriculture Units to work directly on the project "Piloting backyard recirculating aquaponics systems in Anguilla".

JOB DESCRIPTION

JOB TITLE: Aquaponics Project Manager

DURATION: Ten (10) Months from April 2023 to February 2024, with the

possibility of an extension dependent on performance and funding.

LOCATION: Department of Natural Resources –Fisheries & Agriculture Units

REPORTS TO: Director of Fisheries/Project Lead

DUTIES AND TASKS

The successful candidate will be required to perform the following duties:

- Manage the execution of the required deliverables.
- Managing some controllable project risk, including the development of contingency plans.
- Liaising with funding agencies, consultants, stakeholders and the project steering committee to ensure that relevant details of the project are communicated.
- Monitoring overall progress and use of resources, initiating corrective action where necessary.
- Reporting through agreed lines on project progress.
- Producing assessments, reports and presentations.
- Identifying and obtaining support and advice required for the management, planning and control of the project.
- Managing project reports, invoices, budgets and administration.
- Conducting a project evaluation review to assess how well the project is managed.
- Preparing any follow-on action recommendations.
- Assist with organizing schedules, meetings and other logistics.
- Along with project consultants, support and oversee key project deliverables by agreed milestones to include organization of outreach events, purchasing equipment, managing data from fieldwork and organizing international travel.
- Issue regular press releases and bulletins.
- Attend fortnightly meetings with steering committee and project leads.
- Manage regular communications and updates with stakeholders including contractors, Governor's office, volunteers and NGOs.
- Assist in other functions for the successful execution of the project.

SKILLS, KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES

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The successful applicant's skills, knowledge and abilities should include:

- Robust knowledge of aquaponics, hydroponics or aquaculture systems.
- Highly organized with network development and coordination skills.
- Training and/or applied knowledge in project management.
- Data management abilities.
- Relevant knowledge and experience, and a desire and capability to learn.
- Demonstrated experience with budget tracking and financial management.

QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

The incumbent should have at least 5 years' experience in coordination, and/or project management and working with aquaponics, hydroponics or aquaculture systems.

RENUMERATION

Salary: \$7,268 EC per month for 10 months.

The total remuneration package is equivalent to \$72,680 EC.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Be fluent in English.
- Writing proficiency at a professional level for producing communication documents, including updates for Government Ministries, summary documents for the practitioner's network and press releases.
- Be proficient in the use of Microsoft Office tools; Word, Excel and PowerPoint.

All interested candidates must submit a cover letter and curriculum vitae (CV) with two (2) written reference letters addressed to Shaldine Brooks and emailed to Shaldine.Brooks@gov.ai to arrive no later than 31 March 2023.

The most suitable candidates will be shortlisted for an interview.

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