



Graduate Town Planner

Salary \$56,778 to \$72,685 + Superannuation

Liverpool Plains Shire is a vibrant, dynamic and economically strong rural area located four hours north of Sydney and 45 minutes south of the regional centre of Tamworth. The region has a rich agricultural history and picturesque beauty encompassing the foothills of the Great Dividing Range and the sweeping expanse of the fertile Liverpool Plains. The area offers the opportunity for a true rural lifestyle in a friendly atmosphere with excellent transport links. Serving a population of around 8,000 residents, Liverpool Plains Shire Council has over 130 staff members and offers a range of benefits to employees including a 9 day fortnight, training, study assistance and a supportive team based culture.

An opportunity exists for a Student/Graduate Town Planner to join our Environmental and Economic Development Services on a permanent full-time basis. Reporting to the Manager of Planning and Development, this role will see you provide assistance to the Environmental and Economic Development Services team. This is a great opportunity to obtain hands on professional experience and begin your career with Local Government.

In this position your duties will include but are not limited to:

- Assessing Development Applications (DAs) and prepare necessary reports and documentation in accordance with Council requirements;
- Undertaking research associated with the preparation of planning instruments including Local Environmental Plans (LEPs) and Development Control Plans (DCPs);
- Assisting in the preparation of planning reports;
- Assisting with the preparation and delivery of community consultation; and
- Providing basic planning advice and information to other sections of Council and to members of the public.

To be considered for this role you will have recently completed or be currently studying a Town Planning degree. You must also meet the selection criteria contained in the position description which include a class c driver's licence and effective written and verbal communication skills.

If you have any questions about the role, please contact **Jon Shillito, Manager Planning and Development** on **(02) 6746 1755** or email jon.shillito@lpsc.nsw.gov.au.

To Apply

Please visit Council's website www.lpsc.nsw.gov.au for information about applying and to view the position description. Written applications, including a resume and a statement addressing each of the selection criteria, should be marked "**Confidential Graduate Town Planner Application**" and addressed to the **General Manager, Liverpool Plains Shire Council**. Applications must be submitted directly to Council as follows:

Postal Address: P.O. Box 152, Quirindi. 2343
Hand deliver: 60 Station Street, Quirindi
Email: lpsc@lpsc.nsw.gov.au
Fax: (02) 6746 3255

Applications will be received until **4:00pm Monday, 14 August 2017**.

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PO Box 152 Quirindi 2343
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ACTING GENERAL MANAGER

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