



PLANT OPERATOR (BACKHOE)

Salary \$44,179 to \$56,570 p.a. + 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. Council offers a range of benefits to employees including a 9 day fortnight, training and study assistance.

The position of Plant Operator (Backhoe) is responsible for the safe, efficient and effective operation of Council plant to support civil construction and maintenance activities. The successful candidate will also undertake routine services and care of plant and assist with general labouring duties.

Qualifications / Experience

Candidates must demonstrate how they meet the following essential criteria:

- Demonstrated competency and experience in the operation of a Backhoe.
- Basic mechanical knowledge.
- WorkCover Construction Induction Card (Whitecard)
- Class C Drivers Licence.
- Working knowledge of civil construction and/or maintenance activities
- Good oral and written Communication Skills.
- General awareness of the principles and practices of Equal Employment Opportunity and Workplace Health and Safety and an ability to apply them in the work place.

If you are interested in a rural lifestyle with excellent medical, educational and sporting facilities available, a challenging work environment and the opportunity to be part of an innovative team, please contact **Sally Rozemulder, Engineering Services Manager**, on **(02) 6746 1755** or visit Council's website www.lpsc.nsw.gov.au to find out more about the position and obtain an Information Package.

To apply; please complete the application form available on Council's website, or submit a written application which includes your resume and a statement addressing each of the essential and desirable criteria. Applications should be marked "**Confidential Plant Operator Backhoe Application**" and addressed to the **General Manager, Liverpool Plains Shire Council**. They may be submitted 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 Tuesday, 13 June, 2017**.

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