



## Énergie NB Power

### First Nations Liaison (Field Monitor)

#### Background

NB Power respects the value and input from First Nations with regard to evaluating various options regarding the end-of-life of the Mactaquac Generating Station. To respond to interest expressed from First Nations communities and to facilitate First Nation inclusion in current studies underway, NB Power would like to hire a First Nations person for a term of 6 – 8 months to monitor and participate, as able, in the various studies currently underway.

#### Purpose

The purpose of this position is to:

- Respond to First Nations' interests for inclusion, involvement and understanding/observation of project field
- Reduce the likelihood that the work of the project infringes on First Nations' interests
- Identify opportunities to improve studies and study methods especially as they relate to First Nations' culture and knowledge

First Nations interests and concerns are assumed to include identification and preservation of archaeological sites, current use of resources, and preservation of both natural environments and species of significance.

#### Qualifications

The ideal candidate will:

- have an interest in the various studies underway and have some post-secondary education in a related field
- be able to rotate with little intervention among the various contractors as per pre-determined schedule and advise of needed changes and/or accommodations
- have demonstrated ability to work both independently and as part of a team
- be conversant in scientific methods, local traditional First Nations knowledge, and local current use
- know how to effectively source information on scientific methods, local traditional First Nations knowledge, and local current use to supplement own knowledge
- be able to effectively communicate aboriginal interests and insights to project management as a result of his/her observations and participation
- have a valid driver's license
- have well-developed written and verbal communication skills
- be physically able to walk through difficult terrain for extended periods of time
- be physically able to work on a boat for extended periods of time

Completion or pursuit of a diploma or a degree in engineering, biology, ecology, environmental science or a related discipline would be an asset

**Responsibilities**

The nature of the role will include (and not be limited to):

- monitoring and participating as able in operations and studies associated with the Mactaquac Study
- recommending operation changes to project management when necessary to ensure respect for aboriginal interests
- preparing project reports for review by project management (and Chief & Councils)
- ensure adherence to safety regulations
- monitoring various project activities and maintaining a detailed daily log of those activities.
- sending a weekly summary report along with a copy of the week's daily detailed logs to the Project Manager.
- reporting any issues or concerns to the person that is doing the work (or his/her immediate supervisor) as soon as is practical.
- providing assistance, even if unrelated to the primary objectives, to the person performing the work to the extent asked to do so, subject to relevant safety training and abilities, and only if it does not impede the ability to perform the primary objective of the job.

**Other**

The hours of work are expected to be 8:15 am – 4:30 pm, Monday – Friday with 1 hour for lunch (36.25 hour work week). The estimated start date is May 19, 2015. The hourly salary for this position will be \$20.94 /hour.

**Instructions**

Please have interested candidates submit their resume and cover letter by April 30, 2015 to NB Power Human Resources Officer, Jennifer Roy at [JeRoy@nbpower.com](mailto:JeRoy@nbpower.com)