

CITY OF NEW YORK PARKS & RECREATION

### CITYWIDE JOB VACANCY NOTICE: Job ID No. 386158

Office Title: Project Development Coordinator for Planning

Civil Service Title: Community Coordinator Title Code No: 56058 Level: NA

**Salary:** \$52,524 - \$81,535

Number of Positions: 2 Work Location: Arsenal, Manhattan

The Planning, Parklands and Policy units of the Planning and Development Division serve as NYC Parks' planning, real estate, environmental review, development and long-range strategy teams. The units represent the agency's involvement in complex planning and development initiatives, environmental reviews, land use matters and resiliency efforts. They facilitate the creation of plans for new and existing parks, and advise on funding strategies. In doing so, Planning, Parklands and Policy are at the forefront of the agency's open space agenda. They are responsible for communicating agency goals and policies and advancing plans for a vibrant, equitable, and sustainable park system that meets the recreational, social and environmental needs of our City.

# **Major Responsibilities**

- Working as a Senior Project Planner, under general direction with latitude for independent initiative and judgment, manage a portfolio of park planning projects, major economic development projects and special initiatives for the Planning, Parklands and Policy units.
- Promote open space acquisitions, increased recreation amenities and enhanced stewardship of natural resources.
- Coordinate with stakeholders and project partners; help foster long-lasting relationships and advance the planning and implementation of Parks' open space agenda within the context of assigned planning projects.
- Deliver presentations and represent the agency at project meetings, interagency planning meetings and external conferences. Negotiate and advocate on behalf of Parks.
- Maintain regular communication and coordination with supervisors, colleagues and Parks divisions on public and private development
- Research, analyze, frame and document opportunities for funding strategies and new projects that advance the agency's open space agenda.
- Prepare, read and assess planning documents, environmental studies and land use review documents to advance Parks' role as either an applicant or involved agency.
- Prepare briefing memoranda, maps and graphics, project schedules, budget proposals, funding requests, correspondence, reports, presentations and other related documents for portfolios of complex land use projects.
- Manage consultants working on planning documents, Uniform Land Use Review Procedure applications and environmental reviews.

#### **Qualification Requirements**

- A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college and two years of experience in community work or community centered activities in an area related to the duties described above; or
- High school graduation or equivalent and six years of experience in community work or community centered activities in an area related to the duties as described above; or
- Education and/or experience which is equivalent to "1" or "2" above. However, all candidates must have at least one year of experience as described in "1" above.

Residency in New York City, Nassau, Orange, Rockland, Suffolk, Putnam or Westchester counties required for employees with over two years of city service. New York City residency required for all other candidates.

#### **Preferred Skills/Qualifications**

- A master's degree in urban planning or related field and at least three years of work experience in planning field.
- Strategic and analytic thinking skills and superior judgment.
- Strong mapping and graphic skills. Proficiency with Microsoft Office, mapping and graphics programs.
- Strong writing, communication and negotiation skills.
- Excellent time management and prioritization capabilities.
- 6. Ability to communicate with and recognize the needs of supervisors and peers.
- Valid New York State driver license.

### How to Apply

#### Parks Employees:

From a Parks computer: Access Employee Self Service (ESS) from the Parks Intranet under Applications or use this link: https://hrb.nycaps.nycnet/. Once in ESS, go to Recruiting then Careers and search for Job ID# 386158. Do not access ESS using nyc.gov/ess from a Parks computer.

## Parks & City Employees:

From a Non-Parks computer: Access Employee Self Service (ESS) by going to nyc.gov/ess or use this link: https://a127-ess.nyc.gov/. Once in ESS, go to Recruiting then Careers and search for Job ID# 386158. Include your ERN and Job ID# 386518 on your cover letter and resume.

### All other applicants:

Click here to apply: Project Development Coordinator for Planning OR Go to nyc.gov/careers/search and search for Job ID# 386158.

POST DATE: 03/08/19 POST UNTIL: 04/05/19

NOTE: All resumes must be received no later than the last day of the posting period. References will be required upon request.

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