

CAREER OPPORTUNITY



Garden Route District Municipality, the leading, enabling and inclusive district, characterised by equitable and sustainable development, high quality of life and equal opportunities for all.

Garden Route District Municipality is fully committed to Employment Equity.

Preference will be given to suitably qualified Applicants who are members of the designated groups in line with the Employment Equity Plan and Targets of the Organisation.

Applications are invited for the following vacancy in the Financial Services Department.

CHIEF ACCOUNTANT: EXPENDITURE (GEORGE)

Salary: R 341 484,84 – R 443 271,12 per annum (T12)

Minimum qualification requirements:

- Higher National Diploma/ Degree in Accounting (NQF Level 7).
- Good Knowledge of Microsoft Word and Excel.
- Proficient in at least 2 of the official languages of the western cape.
- 3 Years work experience in Financial Environment.

Duties will include:

- Management and Strategic Alignment of Expenditure Section
- Manage and lead the division and manage sub-ordinates' personal development.
- Implement and maintain a system of internal controls to comply with GRAP, applicable legislation and council policies.
- Manage and control the expenditure division's risks and challenges to prevent irregular payments.
- Data management and record keeping.
- Manage and perform obligations and duties into financial year-end responsibilities in support of the facilitation of financial statements.
- Manage and control the expenditure division's assets to ensure any Unauthorised, Irregular or Wasteful utilization and losses are prevented.
- Correspondence and client service management.

Note (s):

- Preference will be given to candidates residing in the Garden Route District Municipal area.
- Applicants should confirm their employment history by submitting the following supporting documentation:
 - Qualifications (Degree/Diploma)
 - Identity Document (SA);
 - Any other applicable documentation required.
- Candidates must be willing to be subjected to practical/proficiency testing.
- Candidates must be willing to be subjected to a criminal record check.
- Your application will also be subjected to references from your previous or current employers.
- **No late or faxed applications will be accepted.**

Probation period: 6 months

Benefits:

- Subsidised housing -, medical -, pension, car allowance and group insurance schemes.
- Optional membership of major medical expenses plan.
- Generous vacation and sick leave benefits, plus a bonus equivalent to one month's salary.
- Five day working week.
- Furniture removal cost is payable by Council, subject to certain conditions.

Application forms and further information:

Please forward a completed application form with a comprehensive Curriculum Vitae, accompanied by an original certified copy of your Identity Document and relevant qualifications to: Garden Route District Municipality, Registration Section, 54 York Street or P.O. Box 12, George, 6530 or email to info@gardenroute.gov.za. The application forms are available at the offices of Garden Route District Municipality or visit our website at www.gardenroute.gov.za. For enquiries, contact Human Resources on 044 803 1389/ 1388/ 1413. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. Should candidates not be contacted within two months after the closing date, they may accept their application as unsuccessful.

The Garden Route District Municipality reserves the right not to make or confirm an appointment on posts.

Closing date: Wednesday, 08 December 2021

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MUNICIPAL MANAGER**



Candidates with disabilities are encouraged to apply.