# Ma?as taqimł Huu-ay-aht First Nations Housing Authority

## **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

### Position: Housing Manager Location: Anacla and Port Alberni Salary Range: \$75,000-\$85,000.00 Authority Relationship: MA-AS TA-KIMLTH Housing Society Board Chair

### Position Summary:

The MA-AS TA-KIMLTH Housing Society (MHS) works to provide safe, healthy, and secure homes for Huu-ay-aht citizens wishing to move back to Anacla.

As the MHS continues to evolve, the Housing Manager will play a key role in ensuring the long-term success of the society. Deliverables will be set and performance will be measured by the CVHS board of directors and successful candidate will work closely with the board Chair.

### JOB DUTIES:

### Administration

- Prepare documents for funding including applications and reporting.
- Prepare monthly updates for the Housing Society board of directors.
- Prepare quarterly updates for the HFN Government and Housing Society board of directors.
- Administer all things related to the Housing Society, including but not limited to: Organizing and running monthly board meetings, open-house events, and workshops.
- Managing all Internal & External Communications for the Society, ensuring all tenant notices and engagements are completed.
- With support from the MHS board, oversee and manage properties under ownership or lease by the MHS.
- Work to develop, maintain, and update Memorandum of Understanding agreements between the MHS and HFN government.

### Management

- Human Resource Management- supervises all employment contractors and staff ensuring all job performances are adhered too.
- Work with Administration on managing tenant relations and rental agreements.
- Work with Administration on all maintenance requests & responses, renovations, rental inspections, and landscape needs.

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- Financial management of MHS, rent collection, managing and monitoring budgets, and oversight of expenditures and payments. Work with Auditors and financial advisors on monthly finances.
- Work with local, provincial, and federal community partners to deliver new affordable housing.
- Create and deliver an education campaign for Huu-ay-aht Citizens to understand how to apply, when a home renter how to ensure their files are up to date, and how to request support.
- Work with the Huu-ay-aht Nation on implementing the recommendations from the 2019 Homes for our Citizens report.
- Work with developers and board directors to explore opportunities for projects to be moved forward.
- Seek funding from non-government organizations towards development of housing assets.
- Prepare documents and applications for programs through entities like BC Housing and CMHC.
- Other duties may be added as required or assigned upon mutual agreement between the contractor and MHS, noting that some duties may also be re-assigned or eliminated as things evolve.

## **Operational Requirements:**

- Valid class 5 driver's licence.
- Works 3 to 4 days in the Anacla Community.
- The MHS Board is open to discussion of hybrid working conditions, however, maintaining an office presence and in-person meetings will be required.
- A budget with approved expenses will be co-created between the housing manager and the MHS Board.
- Some travel, including overnight and or weekends.
- Willingness and ability to work overtime, including evenings and weekends.
- Successful background check, including employment verification, reference checks, and education/credential verification.
- Maintain confidentiality and neutrality at all times.
- Demonstrated ability and experience in upholding the HFN Organizational Values: *Professionalism, Respect, Health, Effective Communication, Trust, Support*

## Qualifications for the position:

- Project management, including fund development and grant writing.
- Familiarity with government operations and processes.
- Strong computer literacy including proficiency with Microsoft Office.
- Multi-pronged communication experience (digital, print, grant application writing).

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- Knowledge and ability to maximize social media platforms such as writing posts, creating events and general oversight of our accounts as well as updating the CVHS website.
- Confidence to take on new tasks and projects without a high amount of supervision.
- Excellent interpersonal skills both in person and by phone, with high professionalism.
- Experience in budgeting & bookkeeping processes is considered a strong asset but not required.
- Experience in working in a First Nation community, government, or organization is considered a strong asset.
- Building design, construction, and land development experience are considered strong assets.

We thank all applicants for their interest in this position; however, only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted. Please email your covering letter & resume to <u>HR@huuayaht.org</u> by fax 250-728-1222 or mail attention: Human Resources, 4644 Adelaide St, Port Alberni, BC, V9Y 6N4. This position is under the MA-AS TA-KIMLTH Housing Society and HFN Human Resources is supporting the hiring process. Please quote Housing Manager Job Posting.

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## Huu-ay-aht First Nations Housing Authority

**Vision -** The Huu-ay-aht envision a strong, self-governing and self-reliant Nation. Iisaak will guide us as we work together to foster a safe, healthy and sustainable community; where our culture, language, spirituality and economy flourish for all.

**Mission -** As a leader among First Nations, the Huu-ay-aht First Nations will create certainty for its community, generate wealth for financial independence, provide economic opportunities, deliver social, cultural and recreational programs for all Huu-ay-aht.

### **HUU-AY-AHT FIRST NATIONS VALUES**

#### PROFESSIONALISM

- Ethics be prepared, on time and ready to work
- Ethics be responsible for the success of your work and others
- Lead by example
- Respect for confidentiality, yourself and co-workers
- Work / Life Balance
- Work Smarter Share your expertise and your successes
- Take pride in your work

#### RESPECT

- Golden Rule Treat others how you want to be treated
- Listen actively and attentively to what people are saying and clarify
- Accept people for who they are and don't judge
- Basic Etiquette remember the common courtesies; kindness & compassion
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- Observe protocol and ceremony

#### HEALTH

- A healthy body, mind and soul through proper diet, sleep and exercise
- Avoid burning out with a proper work / life balance
- Be positive always remember to smile and laugh
- Care about each other, ask questions and follow up

• Be appreciative of one another and the work we do

### **EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION**

- Think twice, speak once
- Make sure your body language is sending the correct message
- Provide responses in a timely manner; acknowledge request and provide timeline
- Listen attentively and clarify

#### Trust

- Walk the talk be honest, no gossiping
- Believe the good in everyone not the bad
- Voice your concerns, don't harbor them - clear the air
- Spend more time focusing on what you are supposed to be doing, and less time on what others are or aren't doing
- Be happy and enjoy your work life

### SUPPORT

- Be available to help and ask for help when needed
- Advocate and help one another
- Provide constructive criticism, not just criticism
- Don't gossip; stop gossip when it occurs
- Clarify and seek feedback from each other

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