

## **Employment Opportunity**

## **Director of Protective Services/Fire Chief**

The Town of Wainwright, a vibrant community of 6,300 is seeking a qualified and highly motivated individual for the full-time management position of Director of Protective Services. Reporting to the CAO, Director of Protective Services/Fire Chief is responsible for directing the Fire Department, supervising municipal bylaw enforcement, coordinating with the local RCMP detachment and preparing the town's disaster/emergency plan.

This individual should possess a unique combination of fire services related skills including suppression, prevention, training, equipment maintenance, public relations and have several years experience at the Senior Officer level. The successful candidate will have a comprehensive understanding of general fire department operations, strong leadership, communication, administrative and management skills. Knowledge/experience in bylaw enforcement would be an asset.

The ideal candidate for this position should have the following qualifications:

- NFPA 1001 Level 2 Professional Firefighter
- NFPA 1021 Level 2 Fire Officer Professional
- NFPA 1041 Level 2 Fire Service Instructor
- Safety Codes Officer Fire Level 2 Inspector and Level 2 Investigator

Salary for this position is commensurate with qualifications and experience. The Town of Wainwright offers a very competitive benefit package.

Resumes including cover letter stating experience, qualifications and references can be submitted to:

Town of Wainwright 1018 – 2 Avenue Wainwright, AB T9W 1R1

Attention: Ed Chow, Chief Administrative Officer

Email: echow@wainwright.ca

This position will remain open until a suitable candidate is found. Only those selective for an interview will be contacted.