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POST: Community Engagement Officer

PREPARED BY Warwick Neale

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ATTRIBUTES	REQUIREMENTS	Essential (E) or Desirable (D)	HOW IDENTIFIED (Application Form, Interview or Test etc)	WEIGHTING HIGH (x3) MEDIUM (x2) LOW (x1)
Education and Qualifications	Have a current full and valid UK driving license.	E	Application form	3
	GCSE A-C, 'O' Level standard or equivalent in English Language.	E	Interview	3
	GCSE A-C, 'O' Level standard or equivalent in Maths.	E	Interview	3
	Relevant professional qualification to BTEC/ NVQ2 standard.	D	Application form	3
	First Aid at Work certificate.	D	Application form	1
Work or Other Relevant Experience and Associated Vocational Training	Track record of high quality and respectful customer service	E	Application form	3
	Understand and act upon verbal and/or written instructions and produce good written reports	E	Interview	2
	Ability to take and pass on accurate messages and communicate effectively and professionally with colleagues, partner organisations, senior managers and Heads of Service.	E	Application form Interview	2
	Able to work under pressure to strict deadlines.	E	Application form	2

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	Proven ability to work effectively as part of team(s) and independently without constant supervision.	E	Interview Application form Interview	1
	High degree of individual responsibility and initiative.	D	Interview	2
	Occasionally cope with conflicting demands with more than one person requiring assistance simultaneously.	D	Application form Interview	1
Specialist Knowledge	Knowledge Local Authority or partner organization procedures or practices relevant to the post.	D	Application form Interview	2
	Outline understanding of relevant legislation.	D	Interview	1
	To administer and review the content of information provided through websites, posters, literature and other promotional materials, ensuring the content is relevant and up to date.	D	Application form Interview	2
	Experience of events planning, licences and permissions to run safe event.	D	Application form Interview	3
Job Related Skills and Abilities	Well organised, methodical and good use of initiative	E	Application form	3
	Professional and helpful manner with an ability to proactively solve problems	E	Application form Interview	2
	Track record of dealing with members	E	Application	2

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Ability to show empathy with the public and their perceptions. On rare occasions cope with people in situations which may cause emotional upset.	E	Interview	3
Show commitment to high standards of service delivery	E	Application form	2
Solve problems and situations by applying existing rules when appropriate.	D	Interview	3
Maintain and store machinery, equipment and property owned by the City Council. Maintain vehicles allocated to the service, using routine checks and acting accordingly if faults are discovered.	D	Application form Interview	1
Experience of Microsoft software especially EXCEL, Teams and Windows 365.	D	Application form Interview	3
Must be physically able to carry out the duties involved and have a 'practical' disposition	E	Interview	3
Able to attend events and meetings outside normal office hours, to represent the Council and to promote services to resident	D	Application form Interview	3
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