



LONGREACH REGIONAL COUNCIL
(Yaraka Branch)
Construction – Labourer X 2
\$ 41,700 per annum package

Yaraka is situated 240klms south of Longreach and 120klms south of Isisford. Yaraka has a residence of approximately 10 people with a surrounding population of approximately 180 throughout the rural sector. Services available in the town of Yaraka include State School from Prep to Grade 7, General Store/Service Station, Swimming Pool, Tennis Court and a Hotel. The Royal Flying Doctor Service runs a medical clinic for the community once per month. To support the township of Yaraka and the services available, families with school aged children are encouraged to consider the lifestyle of the Central West.

This region (Longreach, Ilfracombe and Isisford) includes the Australian Stockman's Hall of Fame, Qantas Founders Museum, Australian Agricultural College, School of Distance Education, Powerhouse Museum, Outer Barcoo Interpretation centre and much more. It offers a unique lifestyle opportunity for families with ready access to rural pursuits, plentiful year round fresh water fishing, primary and secondary schooling along with all other modern facilities. Longreach also has daily flights to Brisbane via QantasLink.

Written applications are invited to fill two positions as **Construction – Labourer's** to be based in **Yaraka** and will be received until **5.00 p.m. Friday, 20th February 2009.**

The Position

The successful applicant will be responsible for assisting with a variety of activities associated with general road maintenance and construction and concreting. You will be required to assist with the maintenance and cleaning of plant and equipment, operation of a variety of hand and powered tools, machinery and general labouring duties. The applicant must have the ability to work in a manner that will provide a safe work environment in accordance with Council's Workplace Health and Safety policies and procedures. This position requires the successful applicant to camp for periods of time (up to 5 days) in Isisford to carry out labouring duties associated with this position. Accommodation, meals and travel is supplied by Council.

Housing

Two, three bedroom homes are available for rent at the nominal market value in Yaraka.

Qualifications and Experience

Ability to operate a variety of plant including Multi - Tyred Roller, Pad Foot Drum Roller, Forklift, Backhoe or the ability to obtain the necessary tickets to operate this machinery. Sound time management skills and the ability to work with limited supervision are required. A current "C" and LR class Queensland License is essential for this position.

Salary and Conditions

The position is classified as a Level 3 of the Local Government Employees (Excluding Brisbane City Council) Award State - 2003 and offers an annual salary inclusive of allowances of \$38,300 per annum. Superannuation of up to 12% of salary is also available upon commencement. Study assistance is available to an officer advancing their studies in a related discipline.

Applications

Intending applicants should obtain a position description and information kit from Jackie Doyle (07) 4658 4126, fax (07) 4658 4116 email hr@longreach.qld.gov.au or by visiting Council's website at www.longreach.qld.gov.au

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