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Senior Fire Centre Manager – Permanent Full Time

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The Ministry of Environment takes a team-based approach to protecting Saskatchewan's environment for the wellbeing of the province, its people and its future. We use science-based solutions and environmental laws to help safeguard communities, and to protect our air, land, water and habitat. We are committed to high citizen and client satisfaction through workplace excellence, continuous improvement and innovation.

Wildfire Management Branch of the Saskatchewan Ministry of Environment is seeking an experienced individual with strong leadership skills for the position of Senior Fire Manager for the La Ronge Fire Center Area. The La Ronge Fire Center Area includes: Stony Rapids, La Ronge and Denare Beach Forest Protection Areas.

As the Senior Fire Manager you will:

- Lead, develop, implement and be accountable for long and short range wildfire management strategies to minimize losses and maximizing public safety resulting from wildland forest Fires.
- You will lead and direct the management of over one hundred and ten (110) staff within the La Ronge Fire Center Area along with the multiple forest protection fire bases.
- You will ensure that fire preparedness and detection is maintained on a daily basis and that fire suppression is taken on all wildland fires in accordance with the forest management strategy. This will involve the deployment of fire suppression staff, equipment and aviation resources, prioritizing multiple fire situations, directing incident command teams on large escaped fires, approving levels of action and expenditures on fire incidents to ensure maximum effectiveness and fiscal accountability.
- You will build a strong organizational community, by encouraging and building a diverse workforce. Build successful relationships with individuals, staff teams, stakeholder and partners.
- You will assemble ideas and issues into clear and useful solutions by practicing Strategic delivery to advance Ministry of government direction on service to citizens and stakeholders, by assessing impacts on public opinion and risks for the ministry and government.

Typically, the skills and knowledge for this position will have been obtained through a degree or diploma in applied Environmental Science, Forest Science or Resource Management, supplemented with extensive knowledge, expertise and experience in wildland fire programs. Travel by land and by air to remote locations to conduct work activities is a requirement of this position. Please visit the website below to view the full job ad and to apply online.

Closing Date: April 17, 2018

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