



WATERFORD AREA PARTNERSHIP CLG WISHES TO RECRUIT A FULLTIME COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT WORKER



Waterford Area Partnership CLG is a leading dynamic organisation developing creative and innovative responses in delivering the Social Inclusion and Community Activation Programme (SICAP) for Waterford City & County.

The successful applicant will have awareness of issues affecting local community groups whether they are area or issue based and in developing practical responses with the groups to address their identified needs based on community development principles and practices. The worker is required to support Waterford Area Partnership CLG to achieve its requirements in supporting our target groups under our SICAP contract.

The person entrusted with the position will require strong skills in community development work, practical developmental skills and a background in community and voluntary sector is desirable. A flexible approach to working hours is required.

The successful candidate should have:

Leadership skills

- Ability to work on own initiative and as part of a team
- Organisation and co-ordination skills
- Adaptable approach
- A good team player

Administrative skills

- Strong computer skills – MS Word, Excel, Databases and CRM
- Report writing, maintenance of records and files

Interpersonal and communication skills

- Excellent interpersonal skills and communication both verbal and written
- Presentation skills
- A keen understanding and awareness of social exclusion/anti-poverty work
- A high level of innovation, be energetic and self-starting

The successful candidate must have a relevant Third Level Qualification with an emphasis on community development or related discipline with a minimum of three years' experience either in a voluntary or professional capacity. All applicants must hold a full driving licence.

The contract is until December 31st 2022 on a 35 hour week basis with a starting salary of circa €33,000

To apply for the above position please forward a copy of current Curriculum Vitae and letter of application no later than 12 noon on Monday, October 15th to:

**Mr Joe Stokes, CEO
Waterford Area Partnership CLG
Westgate Park, Tramore Road, Waterford.**

Or via email on info@wap.ie

**NB: Candidates will be short listed on the basis of the Curriculum Vitae & no late applications will be considered
Job Description is available on www.wap.ie**

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