

Applications are invited for the position of:

Rural Recreation Officer

(Full Time - Fixed Term Contract)

Want to be part of an exciting and dynamic Rural Development Team working to develop our local communities, then this role may just be what you are looking for. Monaghan Integrated Development CLG (MID) are currently inviting applications for the position of Rural Recreation Officer. This fixed term contract will run until 31st December 2027.

Job Role:

The purpose of the post is to coordinate and oversee the management and enhancement of certain recreational / walking infrastructure within County Monaghan working closely with private landowners, community groups, Monaghan County Council and Fáilte Ireland.

Personal Specification & Qualifications

- Experience and/ or relevant third level qualification in rural/community development or tourism/ recreation.
- Knowledge of and interest in countryside recreation, trails and/or trail development
- Good interpersonal and communication skills and a knowledge of farming and rural issues / concerns.
- Experience of working in community organisations in a professional and /or voluntary capacity.
- Experience of project and financial administration, recording and reporting on expenditure, purchasing etc. and maintaining records / accounts, etc.
- Ability to work on his/her own initiative and as part of a team. The role will also require the ability to work in close association with stakeholder agencies and individuals associated with trail development and tourism within Monaghan.
- A flexible approach to working hours will also be core to the role.
- A full current driving license and access to your own /private transport.
- Sufficient and adequate IT and computer skills to carry out the role and the various parts / aspects of the work. Experience in Geographic Information System (GIS) is desirable but not essential

Interviews for this position will be competency based and candidate shortlisting will apply on the basis of the information provided in your CV / supporting statement. A panel may be formed for the purposes of future recruitment requirements.

A Job Description and Person Specification is available on www.midl.ie or by emailing info@midl.ie

Application Process:

To apply for the position please forward your Curriculum Vitae and supporting statement (max 500 words) stating why you have applied for this position and outlining any knowledge / expertise / attributes which you consider pertinent to this position to info@midl.ie by **closing date 4:00pm Monday 6th February 2025**.

Shortlisted candidates will be required to attend for interview on **18th February 2025**.

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