DEVELOPMENT ENGINEERING MANAGER

CHANDLER IS A GREAT PLACE TO VISIT, WORK, PLAY, AND LIVE
THE OPPORTUNITY

The City of Chandler is seeking an experienced, knowledgeable and collaborative professional to manage and oversee the Civil Engineering Plan Review and Inspection Section. The selected candidate will perform senior level professional engineering work by applying both engineering and supervisory principles and practices; maintaining schedules of reviews, formulating policy and code in conjunction with the Development Services Director and Law Department.

THE COMMUNITY

Well recognized as a progressive, cutting-edge City, Chandler has truly transformed from a small desert town to a dynamic world-class city. It was founded in 1912 as Arizona’s first master-planned community and has become a vibrant diverse community of more than 250,000 residents. The population is estimated to reach 299,000 at its planned build-out.

Located in the southeast portion of Metropolitan Phoenix, the City is strategically located and easily accessible by major freeways and Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport. Although Chandler has seen extraordinary growth over the last 25 years, the City planned for the future and provided balance by focusing on the creation of distinct employment corridors, investing in top notch infrastructure and building quality neighborhoods. Called the “Innovation and Technology Hub of the Southwest” because of its wide variety of high technology industries, the City has developed good relationships with the business community and has a diverse base of 110,000 jobs featuring industry leaders: Intel, Orbital ATK, Bank of America, Wells Fargo, Rogers Corporation, InfusionSoft, PayPal and Microchip.

Chandler boasts world-class recreation facilities, award-winning hotels, fabulous restaurants featuring a diverse array of cuisines, outdoor recreation, premier shopping and one-of-a-kind events. Historic Downtown Chandler offers a unique experience of shops and restaurants unlike anything in the Phoenix metro area.

Chandler is graced with near-perfect weather, more than 330 sunny days a year, and an average temperature of 85 degrees. In 2010, Chandler was selected as a winner of the prestigious All-American City Award by the National Civic League, given each year to ten communities nationwide for outstanding civic achievements. In addition, earlier this year, Chandler was named the best city in the country to find a job by WalletHub, while last year, Niche awarded Chandler the best place best to live in metro Phoenix and the best suburb to live in Arizona. In 2017, Chandler was identified among the nation’s top five safest cities to raise a family by Goodcall.

Chandler enjoys a rich cultural reputation and boasts of its dedication to quality education beginning at the pre-school level. The City is proud of the strong relationships it has developed with its community colleges, vocational schools, Arizona State University, University of Arizona and private universities. The community’s highly educated and skilled workforce, growing employment base, low unemployment, household income and wealth trends are well above state and national averages. The City’s median income is $74,843 and the median home value is $234,100.
THE ORGANIZATION

The City of Chandler is a nationally recognized, full-service, charter city operating under the council-manager form of government. The City is led by a seven-member City Council, elected at-large. The Mayor is directly elected, while the Vice Mayor is chosen by the City Council from amongst its members.

The City is organized into the Departments of the City Manager’s office including Economic Development and Neighborhood Resources; Administrative Services; City Clerk’s Office; City Court; Communications and Public Affairs; Community Services; Development Services; Fire; Law; Management Services; Public Works and Utilities; and Police. Chandler provides a full array of municipal services and in addition operates the Chandler Center for the Arts, the Museum and a municipal airport.

Chandler employs @1,687 full time employees and has four employee associations. The City’s proposed budget for FY 18/19 is $875.7 million.

THE DEPARTMENT

The Development Services Department is made up of four divisions:

Development Engineering, Building and Safety, Planning, and Regulatory Affairs

The Development Services team is dedicated to professional excellence and outstanding customer service. Our commitment to our citizens is to provide sound land use planning strategies, responsible design development standards and high quality, cost effective infrastructure as well as ensuring safety and compliance to continue to preserve the quality of life in Chandler.
THE IDEAL CANDIDATE

The ideal candidate will have experience managing and overseeing all engineering design, construction, and maintenance standards and functions within the Civil Engineering Plan Review Section. The successful candidate will demonstrate effective staff management coupled with a full range of engineering techniques to interpret original designs and applicable regulations and standards.

COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS

The FY 18/19 salary range for the Development Engineering Manager is $97,527 - $136,536. The starting salary will depend on the qualifications and experience of the successful candidate. The City offers an attractive benefit package including affordable medical, dental and vision programs, wellness programs, retirement health savings, deferred compensation, vacation, sick leave, holidays, short term disability, group life and commuter insurance and an array of voluntary benefits. The City of Chandler participates in the Arizona State Retirement System (ASRS).

This position is designated as “unclassified” and will serve at the pleasure of the City Manager.

SELECTION PROCESS

To be considered for this outstanding career opportunity, please apply on-line on this website at https://www.chandleraz.gov/jobs by midnight July 31, 2018.

QUALIFICATIONS

EDUCATION:

• Bachelor’s Degree in an Engineering field
• Registered Professional Engineer

EXPERIENCE:

• Eight (8) years’ progressively responsible experience in civil plan review and project management, including three (3) years supervisory experience

While the City has established minimum qualifications for this position, the key selection criteria will be a demonstrated record of excellence in the required elements and proficiency levels of the position and may elect to accept substitutions for some of the required education or experience, depending upon the total professional background and credentials of individual candidates.