

# SOUTH GIPPSLAND SHIRE COUNCIL

## POSITION DESCRIPTION

**POSITION:** Children's Crossing Supervisor

**DIRECTORATE:** Development Services

**DEPARTMENT:** Regulatory Services

**CLASSIFICATION:** Band 1

**EMPLOYMENT STATUS:** Ongoing Part Time

**CURRENT OCCUPANT:** Vacant

**DATE:** December 2015

### **ORGANISATION OVERVIEW**

South Gippsland is a place like no other. We have a diverse community and economy set in a magnificent natural environment. We serve our people with genuine well-meaning and strive always to deliver the best outcomes we can.

We are passionate about building and sustaining a great workplace, principled leadership, and providing great opportunities. Our values are present in what we do and how we do it. With a renewed focus on innovation and collaboration, valuing difference and a belief that teams can achieve amazing things, there is a lot to look forward to.

We want to genuinely make a difference to the lives of all those who touch our community, and be part of creating 'a great place for us'.

### **DEPARTMENT**

The department of Regulatory Services is responsible for:

- Animal Management
- Building
- Children's Crossings
- Environmental Health
- Fire Prevention
- Local Laws
- Planning Enforcement
- Traffic Management
- Wastewater



# **ORGANISATIONAL RELATIONSHIPS**

Reports to: Local Laws Coordinator

Direct Reports: Nil

**Internal Liaison:** 

Local Laws Coordinator

School Crossing Supervisors

Local Laws Officers

Payroll Officer

**External Liaison:** 

Victoria Police

### 1. POSITION PURPOSE

- To safely guide children/crossing users across the children's crossing.
- Assist in the provision of a School/Pre-School based Road Safety Education program

#### 2. KEY RESPONSIBILTIES

- Satisfactorily exhibit behaviour and attitudes in accordance with the organisation's values
- Implement all OH&S and Safety Map requirements in line with tasks undertaken
- Participate in annual training
- > Participate in continuous improvement
- Ensure compliance with the Children's Crossing Work Standards

# 3. ACCOUNTABILITY AND EXTENT OF AUTHORITY

The position is authorised to/responsible for the following:

- Responsible to supervise children and other crossing users prior to crossing.
- Responsible to implement correct crossing procedure.
- Responsible to maintain all equipment issued.



- Maintain liaison with Local Laws Coordinator.
- Authority to control the children's crossing in accordance with the relevant law and duties as outlined by South Gippsland Shire Council
- Accountable to act in accordance with the Councils policies and procedures. Where you do not know, you are obligated to find out.
- Accountable to complete the requirements of the role, work as a valued member of the team, and do your best for the community and the Council.
- Demonstrate commitment to support and embrace a continuous improvement environment and culture within the organisation.
- Accountable to demonstrate and encourage appropriate safety practices, report inappropriate behaviours and incidents, participate in training provided, improve work practices to reduce risk.

### 4. JUDGEMENT AND DECISION MAKING SKILLS

Judgment and decision making will be within the ambit of the following:

Judgment and decision making in relation to safe road crossing practices

#### 5. SPECIALIST SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE

The skills and knowledge required to perform the duties of the position include:

- Ongoing development of skills and knowledge through attending professional development programs and taking a proactive approach to continually improving skills and abilities.
- Ability to provide security to school children/crossing users using the children's crossing.
- Ability to foster safe road crossing habits and attitudes by the children.
- Understanding of the regulations, rules and procedures relating to children's crossings, including the duties of pedestrians and drivers, offences and potential liabilities
- Ability to deliver Council's Road Safety Education program to identified crossing users



#### 6. MANAGEMENT SKILLS

The required management skills include:

Not Applicable

### 7. INTERPERSONAL SKILLS

Interpersonal skills include:

- Ability to effectively communicate with children's crossing users
- Ability to communicate with schools, guardians as required
- The ability to work as an effective member of a team to maximise the effectiveness and efficiency of the team

### 8. QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

The qualifications and experience required for the position include:

 Completion of appropriate approved Crossing Supervisor Training Course is desirable

### 9. SELECTION CRITERIA

- Reliable, trustworthy person
- Current Working with Children Check
- Good verbal communication skills
- Ability to work unsupervised
- A current Victoria Drivers Licence

#### 10. PRE EMPLOYMENT CHECKS

- Applicants may be required to complete a police check if progressing to the next selection stage.
- Applicants may be required to undergo a pre-employment medical examination if progressing to the next selection stage.
- Applicants may be required to undergo an Integrity/Psychometric assessment if progressing to the next selection stage.



Acceptance of the Position – Successful Candidate to Complete	
Agreement:	
I accept and agree to the duties in this Position Description. I understand that this Position Description is to be read in conjunction with the general Terms and Conditions of Employment and I agree to the terms and conditions.	
Name (Please print):	
Signature:	Date: