

Exceptional Leader Required

Chief Executive Officer

Shire of Murrindindi

The Shire of Murrindindi, located 90 minutes from the Melbourne metropolitan fringe, has a diverse community within its nearly 4000 square kilometre area.

The Murrindindi fire of February 2009 was devastating, causing a significant loss of life and destroying or damaging in excess of 1400 properties. The impact of the fire on the community and the rebuild continue to pose significant challenges.

At this critical time Council is seeking to appoint an exceptional Chief Executive Officer who is a proven leader with sound management and highly developed communication skills. The CEO must possess the capability of ensuring the 'big picture perspective' of Murrindindi is integrated into both the bushfire recovery challenge and the continued growth of the Shire. The new CEO will have demonstrated experience in managing change and will be capable of building effective relationships with multiple community stakeholders and managing their often competing interests as well as working in productive partnerships with various government agencies.

Applicants with the proven ability to support the community while maximising economic development within the Shire will be highly regarded. In addition, an understanding of the governance and political challenges facing local government is essential.

The role provides an opportunity to foster and embed an effective service culture in Council's dedicated staff.

The position will be offered on the basis of a performance based contract of three years with a very attractive salary package, circa \$280,000 per annum.

Applications should be sent to alyn@mav.asn.au or mailed to Alison Lyon, General Counsel & Corporate Secretary, Municipal Association of Victoria, GPO Box 4326 Melbourne 3001, marked 'Private & Confidential – Murrindindi Shire CEO' and received by 4pm Friday 19 February 2010.

A position description is available from Kimberley Stillwell, 03 9667 5528 kstillwell@mav.asn.au
For further information regarding the position contact Alison Lyon on 03 9667 5522.



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