



## Job Opportunity

### Streetscape Summer Team

Full-Time (35 hours/week) Term Position May 1-August 31, 2023

**Rate:** \$15.25/hr

The Downtown Winnipeg BIZ promotes, cares, and advocates for a vibrant and inclusive downtown where business thrives and people are drawn to work, live, shop, and explore. We host events throughout the year and work to beautify our downtown, improve cleanliness, safety, and help make it easier to get around. Our downtown is on Treaty No. 1 territory and the traditional Homeland of the Red River Métis.

Would you like to make a difference this summer? You can play a key role in making Downtown a visually appealing and welcoming place. Our Streetscape Summer Team members get to work outside, stay active and learn new skills while making a valuable contribution to the creation of a vibrant and clean downtown Winnipeg! This team is primarily responsible for the planting and maintenance of flower beds and baskets.

#### RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Play a key role in making Downtown a beautiful and welcoming place - this includes planting, maintaining, watering, weeding of flowers and vegetation in public spaces throughout the downtown area.
- Assist Public Realm department with ongoing projects that contribute to improving and beautifying public spaces in downtown Winnipeg including the upkeep and surveying of seasonal installations, site furnishings, and infrastructure conditions.
- Remove litter and debris on sidewalks, around bus shelters, and other public areas.
- Other duties as assigned including event set up and take down and infrastructure installation.
- Report any concerns and/or questions from BIZ Members or the public.

#### QUALIFICATIONS:

- Valid Class 5 Full Stage Driver's License.
- Experience in the following areas is considered an asset: operating and maintaining small equipment, utility vehicles and tools, mapping, pressure washing, landscaping, plant care, spray painting, and environmental design.
- Understanding of Safe Work procedures and practices.
- Solid interpersonal, verbal communication, and customer service skills.

#### CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT:

- This job is outdoors, in all weather! But don't worry, we provide you with all the gear you need to get the job done safely.
- Hours of work are mostly daytime, but some evenings and weekends are required.
- Ability to stand or walk for prolonged periods and over uneven terrain.
- Physically capable of performing the duties and responsibilities of the position including bending, reaching, crouching, equipment operation, and lifting up to 50 lbs.
- Due to grant criteria limitations through Urban Green Team, successful candidates must be 29 years of age or younger.

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## **WORK ENVIRONMENT & CULTURE:**

The Downtown Winnipeg BIZ embodies a culture of collaboration and customer service. We have a diverse team who committed to revitalizing and enhancing spaces in our downtown. Working in the heart of downtown, we take time to enjoy the amenities and community around us; through participation in our own programs, staff celebrations, and the endless number of events located downtown. We offer a 35-hour work week, subsidized transit passes, “Furry Fridays” (bring your pet to work days) and early access to information about fun things happening in the heart of the city! Our organization’s success is powered by our passionate team. Downtown is moving forward – be a part of the team at the centre of the action!

The Downtown Winnipeg BIZ is committed to diversity, equity, inclusion and accessibility in the workplace. We strive for a team that reflects our downtown where diverse abilities, backgrounds, cultures, identities, languages, and perspectives are valued and drive a high standard of service and innovation. We encourage candidates to speak to this in their application.

**QUALIFIED CANDIDATES** should submit their cover letter & resume to [careers@downtownwinnipegbiz.com](mailto:careers@downtownwinnipegbiz.com). Please include position title in the subject line. Please be advised only those selected for an interview will be contacted. **This posting will remain open until suitable candidates have been selected.**

*Applicants should identify if they require accommodation during the competition process on a confidential basis. This posting is available in alternate formats upon request.*

***Please note all Streetscape Summer Team positions are subject to available funding.***