



POSITION VACANT

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & EVENTS OFFICER

Council's dedication and commitment to the planning and delivering a range of high quality services in response to community needs, this opportunity is for a forward thinking leader to join a highly successful and innovative Council.

The Etheridge Shire covers approximately 40,000 square kilometres of Queensland's Gulf Savannah Region. The Council offices are located in Georgetown approximately 380 kilometres west of Cairns and 360 kilometres east of Karumba. Georgetown provides the shire with a clean, safe, modern service hub including facilities such as primary school, hospital, child care, golf club, swimming complex, and sports ground. In addition to Georgetown the shire has three other towns Forsayth, Mount Surprise and Einasleigh. The shires social calendar is packed and is driven by strong community spirit.

The Community Development & Events Officer is responsible to act as a conduit between Council and community to deliver programs, initiatives and events that contribute to community connectedness and increased wellbeing for residents across the Etheridge Shire region.

The successful candidate will have proven organisational, planning and communications abilities and be able to work in a self-directed manner as well as cooperatively with a range of stakeholders including community groups and government agencies.

Effective communication and negotiation skills are essential to the position and verified proven community development experience will be well regarded.

Applications can be posted, delivered to the Administration Office, faxed or emailed to:

Position Vacant – Community Development & Events Officer
The Chief Executive Officer
Etheridge Shire Council
PO Box 12
GEORGETOWN QLD 4871

Email: info@etheridge.qld.gov.au

Further information can be obtained by contacting the Director of Corporate Services, Renee Bester on Ph: 07 4079 9007 or Councils website www.etheridge.qld.gov.au

Applications close at 4pm 27th February 2026

Ken Timms PSM
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER