

KARRATHA is CALLING

Principal Engineer

Base Salary : \$132,217 per annum plus super
Housing & Relocation support available

This is an exciting opportunity for an experienced engineering leader to make a significant impact on the City's road network, asset management practices and infrastructure planning outcomes.

As the Principal Engineer, you will provide senior, City-wide leadership across road and traffic engineering, driving the strategic planning, performance and long-term sustainability of the City's transport network.

What you'll be doing:

- Provide strategic leadership and expert advice on road, traffic and civil engineering matters across the City.
- Shape long-term road network planning, renewal programs and risk-based investment strategies.
- Lead the development and governance of engineering standards, specifications and subdivision requirements.
- Influence major infrastructure decisions through data-driven analysis, safety assessments and planning outcomes.
- Build strong partnerships with Main Roads WA, government agencies, funding bodies and regional stakeholders.
- Support organisational success through technical leadership, continuous improvement and sound asset management practices.

Come for a career and stay for a lifestyle!

What We're Looking For:

- Degree-qualified Civil Engineer with extensive experience in civil infrastructure, road and traffic engineering, ideally within Local Government.
- Proven experience leading complex engineering programs, infrastructure planning, asset management and risk-based investment decisions.
- Strong technical knowledge of road network planning, traffic engineering, road safety, infrastructure maintenance and asset governance.
- Demonstrated ability to develop engineering standards, policies and specifications that support strategic and operational objectives.
- Exceptional leadership, stakeholder engagement and communication skills, with experience influencing senior leaders, government agencies and funding bodies.
- Minimum 5 years' experience in a senior engineering role

Why Join Us?

- 6 weeks annual leave and 13% superannuation
- Allowances of up to \$25,103 per annum
- Housing & relocation packages negotiable
- Enjoy your own Free individual membership to our recreation centres and pool facilities, and access \$500 of Salary Sacrifice arrangements that can be used for specific programmes or family memberships