



**Casual Position | Zero Waste Station Host
Posting No. 02-18 | April 27, 2017**

The Association of Whistler Area Residents for the Environment (AWARE) is Whistler's environmental charity, originally formed in 1989. AWARE's work focuses on the key themes of: Safeguarding Habitat, Biodiversity and Wilderness Values; Connecting People and Nature; and Building Sustainable Community.

The Zero Waste Station Hosts will work with and report to AWARE's Zero Waste Heroes Program Coordinator to help local events reduce their waste footprint. This position is casual and based around event bookings within the Sea-to-Sky Corridor. The ability to work evenings and weekends is essential, with advance notice provided upon hire as most events request to work with our team well in advance of their event. Some flexibility is required for changes to these bookings and to support last-minute event requests. This position is flexible and has the potential to roll into future years.

Description Of Role:

The role of the AWARE Zero Waste Station Hosts will regularly include though may not be limited to:

- Working with the Zero Waste Event Coordinators and volunteers to deliver Zero Waste Stations at a variety of Whistler events, in a variety of locations
- Remaining informed on local recycling infrastructure available within Whistler and the Sea to Sky
- Setting-up and packing down Zero Waste Stations, lifting equipment, working outside and standing for extended periods
- Tracking and recording interactions with Zero Waste Station users and waste material weights
- Advising the public on waste management and building awareness of waste reduction and diversion techniques
- Assisting users with correct diversion of waste generated
- Relaying any questions, concerns, issues raised at Zero Waste Stations to Coordinator
- Supporting on-going improvement of event waste reduction by collecting feedback for utilization in future recommendation reports

Requirements

Qualified candidates will have an interest in waste management and a keen interest in the Whistler community and environmental issues. The successful candidate will possess:

- Excellent verbal and interpersonal skills
- Ability to work in a team and self-directed
- Knowledge of waste management systems in Whistler an asset
- Customer Service / Front Line Staff experience an asset
- Have a valid BC driver's license and/or vehicle an asset

Interested candidates are invited to submit a resume and cover letter by email to cruddy@awarewhistler.org. We thank all applicants for their interest however; only those candidates selected for further consideration will be contacted.

Please reference Posting No. 02-18 in application. | Deadline for applications is May 20th, 2018.