

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS
The City of Hampton, Virginia

The City of Hampton, Virginia seeks an experienced professional to replace its retiring Director of Public Works. This is an exciting opportunity to live and work in a community which is located along the Chesapeake Bay and has 137,400 residents. The City provides a variety of historical, cultural and recreational activities including the NASA Visitor Center which records America's leadership in aeronautics and astronautics. There are numerous cultural performances and attractions, parks, tennis courts, picnic areas, athletic fields, boat launches and public and private golf courses throughout the City. Hampton is home to Boo Williams, a uniquely designed 135,000 square foot multi-purpose indoor facility that includes basketball and volleyball courts and indoor hockey fields. Hampton is home to Hampton University and Thomas Nelson Community College which are located within the City limits and several other colleges and universities are located in nearby cities.

The City operates under the Council-Manager form of government. The City Council is comprised of seven members, including an elected Mayor. The City Council appoints the City Manager who is responsible for the City's day-to-day operations. The City has a general fund budget of \$467M and 2,600 full and part-time employees. Hampton is a 1972, 2002 and 2014 All-America City awardee.

The Director of Public Works serves as a member of the Executive Team and is responsible for the leadership and direction of a comprehensive public works program for the City. The position requires highly complex and technical expertise in municipal infrastructure operations such as building construction and design, major roadways, drainage and storm water systems, sewerage systems, traffic control, solid waste collection and steam energy production plant.

The successful candidate will have a Bachelor's degree in civil or environmental engineering, business administration, public administration or related field. A Master's degree is preferred. The position requires six to nine years of progressively responsible experience in directing the staff and services of a major, multi-faceted local, state or federal government public works department. Professional Engineer certification is required. Project management certification is preferred.

Salary is commensurate with education and experience.

The successful candidate is required to establish principal residency within Hampton City limits within twelve months of assuming the position and must maintain principal residency for the tenure of the position.

For additional information about the position and to apply, click on www.hampton.gov/jobs. Application deadline is May 29, 2018.