

Chief Executive Officer

The Strathbogie Shire is a vibrant and progressive rural municipality renowned for its diverse communities, heritage architecture and beautiful natural features. The Shire has a strong agricultural economic base and a growing wine industry and tourism sector. It is centrally located in Victoria and a highly desirable place to live for those seeking a rural lifestyle.

The Strathbogie Shire Council is committed to community wellbeing, economic and ecological sustainability principles and delivering high quality services and infrastructure to residents. The Council is seeking a contemporary leader, who is entrepreneurial and has an authentic, transparent management style. They need to have a proven track record in general and financial management, having ideally led complex organisations in times of challenge, change and opportunity. While an understanding of local government would be an advantage, demonstrated success in delivering high quality services for, and in collaboration with, the public is more important.

To be successful, you will either have held a similar level role or be ready to take the next step in your career. You will have a strong understanding of rural and regional communities and enjoy being actively involved in your community. You will have a commitment to working effectively with the Council, empowering staff and promoting a culture of collaboration, excellence and customer service. You will have the ability to build strong regional partnerships and inter–governmental relationships and enjoy advocating on behalf of and contributing towards the future direction of the region.

Energetic and with a positive outlook, you will be commercially focused and possess well developed strategic planning, facilitation, interpersonal and communication skills. You will be flexible and be willing to embrace new opportunities and fresh ideas which have a positive impact on the organisation's working culture, improve efficiency, meet the needs of the Shire, and are reflected in high community satisfaction.

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