

## **Forecasting Chief - Career Executive**

Job Announcement Code: 1902894

County(ies): Dane

Classification Title(s)/JAC: PROGRAM AND POLICY CHIEF - 1902894

Job Working Title(s): Forecasting Chief

**Type of Employment:** Full Time (40 hrs/week)

**Salary:** This position is in pay schedule and range 81-02 with a starting

salary of \$74,880 - \$93,870 annually depending on

qualifications, plus excellent benefits. Pay for current state employees will be set based on the rules of the Wisconsin Compensation Plan. A two-year trial period will be required.

**Contact:** Allison Forer, HR Specialist-Sr, 608-266-9725,

Allison2.Forer@dot.wi.gov

Bargaining Unit: Non-Represented

Area of Competition: Open

**Deadline to Apply:** 10/13/2019

Applications are due at 11:59pm of the deadline date.

# Join our team as the Forecasting Chief in the Division of Transportation Investment Management!

This position is in the Division of Transportation Investment Mangement and is headquartered at the Hill Farms State Office Building on the near west side of Madison, WI (Dane County). This location offers convenient access to restaurants, shopping, and entertainment of the Hilldale Shopping Center.

**WisDOT** is a great place to work! We offer amazing **benefits** such as a casual office atmosphere, flexible work schedules, ample vacation time, excellent health benefits, and an exceptional employee assistance program that offers a variety of programs and tools to help promote an employee's wellness and health.

Career Executives are not eligible to apply through Wisc. Jobs. If you are a current Career Executive and interested in applying, please see the "How to Apply" section for details on the application process.

### **Position Summary:**

This position directs staff and manages the development of complex and technically sophisticated travel analysis, transportation forecasts, and travel demand models, and other planning studies in support of statewide transportation planning for the Department. These include:

• Technical assistance and systemwide long-range transportation demand forecasts for local planning officials in the development of urban and regional transportation plans.

- Travel demand forecasts for highway facilities in the state as required for long-range and system-level planning, geometric, and structural design, and noise and air quality analysis.
- Travel demand forecasts required for system planning for all transportation modes (air, rail, bus, autos, and trucks).
- Leadership in assisting DOT central office and regional planners on planning and forecasting issues.
- Development and advancement of new or improved transportation forecasting methodologies, and application of technology to planning-related issues.
- Conduct of special transportation planning and forecasting studies.
- Estimate of system characteristics, such as vehicle miles of travel on the highway systems.

This position provides transportation forecasts and analyses in response to Federal and State legislative requirements. For example, the vehicle miles of travel forecasts and travel demand models required for the Federal Clean Air Act Amendment of 1990.

In addition, this position provides guidance and advice on transportation forecasts and related planning issues to other Sections, Bureaus, Regions, and Divisions in the Department and to other state and federal agencies; represents the department on various national, state, and local forums and committees on transportation forecast and planning issues; and provides transportation forecasts and analyses in response to Federal and State legislative requirements.

#### **Special Notes:**

Prior to any appointments for position(s) filled from this announcement, candidates may be subject to a comprehensive criminal background check which may include FBI fingerprinting.

WisDOT does not sponsor work visas. Any appointment made will be contingent on the applicant being able to prove valid status to work in the United States

#### **Qualifications:**

### A qualified candidate will have experience:

- Conducting travel analysis and transportation forecasts to support transportation plans or studies.
- Applying statistical techniques and analytical tools to study large volumes and varieties of data for use in travel, forecasting, or specialized studies.
- Managing or leading a team of professional staff (management/leadership experience can be in a formal or informal role).

#### **How To Apply:**

To apply, click "Log In" to access your existing account or to create a new account if you do not already have an account with Wisc.Jobs. Once you are logged in, click "Apply Now." You will be asked to provide your personal information, attach a resume, and insert your letter of qualifications. Applicants must submit both a resume and a letter of qualifications

to be considered further.

Your letter of qualifications and resume are very important parts of your application at WisDOT and are used during our evaluation process to determine your qualifications as they relate to the job. For instructions on developing your resume and letter of qualifications for your WisDOT application and what should be included in these materials, click here.

Note: Current state employees with Career Executive status or reinstatement eligibility to Career Executive status need only apply with a resume and a letter of interest to Allison Forer at Allison2.Forer@dot.wi.gov by the deadline.

Submitted materials will be evaluated and the most qualified applicants will be invited to participate in the next step of the hiring process for available vacancies. Questions can be directed to Allison Forer at (608) 266-9725 or by email at Allison2.Forer@wi.gov.