

Employment - Lafayette County

Overview

Welcome to the Lafayette County Employment Page. Applications may be mailed to the [County Administrator's Office](#) at the following address: 300 North Lamar P.O. Box 1240 Oxford, MS 38655 Optionally, you may deliver the application directly to the specific department to which you are applying. **Lafayette County is an equal opportunity employer.**

Openings

Position Available: COUNTY PLANNER **Application Deadline: ALL APPLICATIONS ARE DUE BY AUGUST 12, 2016**

Description:

Lafayette County, a rural county located in North Mississippi, is one of the fastest growing counties in Mississippi and the Mid-South. Lafayette County is home to several small communities as well as the City of Oxford and the University of Mississippi. The County has a Planning Commission and Planning Department that oversees residential subdivisions, commercial subdivisions, commercial site plan approvals and building inspections. The County adopted the International Building Codes in 2015. In light of the continuing growth, the County is in the process of updating the 2008 Comprehensive Plan with an Urban Planning Consultant. The intent is to have this completed within the next few months.

Job Description:

Lafayette County is seeking a new position for a County Planner with a B.S. or Master's degree in Urban Planning. The successful candidate must be a self-starter, motivated, capable of taking instructions, and possess excellent communication skills (oral and written). The applicant must also be familiar with the implementation of comprehensive plans and proficient with ArcMap and Microsoft Office. A minimum of five years' experience is required. Applicant will be expected to work with the Planning Commission, Board of Supervisors, County Engineer and Comprehensive Plan Consultant.

Benefits: Health Insurance, retirement plan provided and Dental/Vision plan optional

Salary: Commensurate with education, qualifications, work experience and certifications

Contact Information: Lisa Carwyle, County Administrator 662-236-2717, LCarwyle@lafayettecoms.com

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<http://lafayettems.com/general-info/employment/>