

Lawyer

The Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities (SARM) is an independent association that represents its membership of rural municipal government in Saskatchewan and is the principal advocate in representing them before senior governments.

SARM is seeking a highly motivated lawyer to join our legal services team. The position would be full-time, however we are prepared to consider part-time as well.

Performance Expectations:

- Work under the guidance of the Director of Legal Services
- Provide legal counsel to the Association, its Board of Directors and SARM Insurance and Benefits Programs
- Conduct legal research and provide advice and representation to member municipalities on a wide range of issues
- Identify legal issues, research & analyze complicated situations quickly and develop practical solutions in an efficient and timely manner
- Develop good working relationships with a variety of stakeholders and work effectively with outside counsel
- Write briefs on regulations, legal/compliance matters and other ad hoc legal issues to support SARM's legal positions
- Ability to work both independently and as part of a small team
- Possess strong written & oral communication skills
- Ability to manage multiple priorities with excellent organizational skills

Credentials:

- Completion of a university degree in law and membership, or eligibility for membership, in the Law Society of Saskatchewan
- Experience in the areas of municipal law and civil litigation not essential, but would be an asset
- Ability to influence and negotiate effectively and be a persuasive advocate

The SARM office is located in east Regina. SARM employees enjoy competitive salaries and an attractive benefits package which includes health and dental coverage and participation in the Municipal Employees' Pension Plan.

Applications for this position will be accepted until **December 14, 2018**. Only those selected for interviews will be contacted.

Please submit your cover letter and resume to:

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