



Purbeck Community Rail Partnership

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Community Rail Partnership Officer

**Part time, 18.5 hours per week with potential to increase
£23,111 per annum (pro rata salary of £11,555). Fixed term three year contract.**

A motivated and competent person is required for this interesting, challenging and exciting role.

Purbeck Community Rail Partnership is an alliance between Dorset County Council, the Swanage Railway, South Western Railway, Purbeck District Council, Network Rail, Borough of Poole Council, Perenco and Swanage Town Council. The Partnership has been working since 1997 to re-establish a regular passenger rail service between Swanage and Wareham and it aims to connect the community with its railway, enhance station environments and promote public transport.

The Community Rail Partnership Officer will perform a leading role in delivering the objectives and plans agreed by the Purbeck Community Rail Partnership. The aim is to increase and improve, through community involvement and engagement, the use and development of rail in southern Dorset.

We require a highly driven person with excellent management and communication skills, a proven track record in a small complex organisation with geographically dispersed staff and partners, experience of community engagement, grant applications and public transport.

In return we offer a flexible working environment, a train travel pass on valid South Western Railway and Swanage Railway services for duty purposes, a small but dedicated team atmosphere and a holiday allowance. The post is based at Swanage Railway with attendance at other relevant locations to be agreed as required.

Some evening and weekend work will be required. We are happy to discuss flexible working hours.

Application is by completed application form only.

Closing date for applications is 12:00 on 22nd October 2018 and interviews will be held on 30th October 2018 at the Purbeck District Council offices, Westport House, Wareham.

For more information and to request an application pack please email:
recruitment@swanagerailway.co.uk or write to: Recruitment, Swanage Railway Company, Station House, Swanage, Dorset, BH19 1HB

For more information about the Purbeck Community Rail Partnership please visit the Partnership's website at: <https://www.dorsetforyou.gov.uk/travel/public-transport/purbeck-community-rail-partnership.aspx>

We want our organisation to be as diverse as the communities we serve. We welcome applications from all sections of the community.