# ROLE PROFILE FOR BUILDING SURVEYOR

**Role Title:** Building Surveyor

Service: Property and Economic Development

Location: Surrey Heath House, Knoll Road, Camberley, Surrey, GU15 3HD

**Reporting To:** Technical Services Manager

## Role Purpose

To provide professional construction services in connection with the repair, maintenance and provision of property for the delivery of Council activities.

#### Main Duties and Accountabilities

#### **Knowledge and Expertise**

- Design and specification of construction works.
- Preparation and management of contracts for construction work based on JCT standard forms.
- Building pathology

## **Creativity and Innovation**

- Support the Council's vision through investigating opportunities for environmental sustainability.
- A practical approach to problem solving.



#### **Financial Accountability**

- Management of tender processes.
- Management of contract compliance.
- Management of project budgets.

#### Impact upon the Organisation & the Community

- Supporting the Council's sustainability policies.
- Supporting client departments to deliver their services.
- Supporting efforts to comply with health and safety requirements.

#### **Management & Supervisory Responsibilities**

- Contract and project management.
- External contractors and consultants.

#### **Initiative & Independent Action**

- To have the ability to think creatively to optimise maintenance and repairs.
- To ensure best practice in contract management.
- To proactively solve problems.

#### **General**

- To be familiar with and able to apply relevant health and safety regulations to design and construction projects.
- Knowledge of the regulations around asbestos management.

#### **Continuous Professional Development**

■ Will be required to ensure that the Council remains compliant and at the forefront of technical innovation.



#### Customers and Contacts

#### Important Internal Relationships

- Technical Services Manager and the wider property team.
- Client departments.
- Finance and procurement colleagues.

#### **Important External Relationships**

- Contractors.
- Consultants.
- Tenants and other occupiers.

#### **Additional Requirements**

- To work collaboratively with colleagues in accordance with our corporate values and policies to achieve the Council aims and objectives.
- Ability to work from home if required, with access to reliable fast broadband connectivity.
- No contra-indications in personal background or criminal record indicating unsuitability in this role.
- Legally entitled to work in the UK.
- Ability to participate in the Council's out of hours Civil Emergency arrangements.
- To carry out any other duties commensurate with the grade of this post as is required of the Council.



# Job Title - Person Specification

## **Qualifications and Training**

Criteria	Essential or Desirable	Application, Interview or Assessment
Educated to degree level and/or relevant qualification in building	Е	
Qualified project manager	D	
Qualification(s) in relevant areas of health & safety, e.g. asbestos management, CDM, IOSH, etc.	D	

## **Knowledge and Experience**

Criteria	Essential or Desirable	Application, Interview or Assessment
Experience of building contract	E	
procurement and management		
Experience of using standard JCT forms	E	
of contract		
Knowledge and understanding of local	D	
government and its services		
Experience of managing project budgets	E	
Experience of high volume/low value	E	
repair works		
Ability to use AutoCAD	D	



## **Skills and Relations with People**

Criteria	Essential or Desirable	Application, Interview or Assessment
Ability to work effectively with senior management and staff at all levels.	D	
Proven ability to communicate a persuasive message effectively both in writing and orally.	E	
Ability to work confidently with external consultants.	D	

## **Creativity and Innovation**

Criteria	Essential or Desirable	Application, Interview or Assessment
Demonstrate experience of working on own initiative to achieve results.	E	
Demonstrate skills for competent project management.	E	
Ability to devise effective and innovative solutions to problems associated with managing older buildings.	D	

## **Financial Accountability**

Criteria	Essential or Desirable	Application, Interview or Assessment
Understanding of the role of budgets	E	



## Impact upon the Organisation and the Community

Criteria	Essential or Desirable	Application, Interview or Assessment
Ability to understand the impact of the		
work of the team on the communities of	E	
Surrey Heath		

## **Initiative and Independent Action**

Criteria	Essential or Desirable	Application, Interview or Assessment
Demonstrate experience of working on own initiative to achieve results	E	
Strong evidence of decision making, taking responsibility and problem solving	E	
Ability to set, plan and manage workload	E	

## **Additional Requirements**

Criteria	Essential or Desirable	Application, Interview or Assessment
Commitment to uphold the Values of The Council in undertaking the role	Е	

## **DBS** Requirements

■ No Check Required

