

Principal Regeneration Officer (Neighbourhood Spaces)

Salary Range: £47,394 - £54,222

Level: Level 4 Zone 2

Location: 5 Pancras Square, N1C 4AG

Reports to:



About the role

These new roles have been created as part of a new team that will ensure the fast-paced delivery of the Neighbourhoods and Vacant Spaces Programmes to achieve our Estates and Neighbourhoods Mission outcomes in advance of 2030. You will project manage the transformation of a number of undeveloped sites working across multiple internal departments. You will assist with finding the right operators for spaces and you will run engagement events with local communities to test uses to in spaces and agree hours of operation etc. Your work will also influence the delivery of Camden's Affordable Workplace Strategy and Meanwhile Use Strategy.

The things you'll achieve

Camden's Estates and Neighbourhoods Mission seeks to ensure that by 2030 Camden's estates and their neighbourhoods are healthy, sustainable and unlock creativity. Central to this mission is our Vacant Spaces Programme which will transform underused and unloved spaces on housing estates into places of community connection and enterprise, whilst generating jobs and upskilling opportunities for local people.

About you

Experience

- Commercially aware with substantial work experience in regeneration, development or associated field of work.
- Experience of delivering community and/or enterprise spaces that release demonstrable social value to the local community.
- Knowledge of the processes involved in constructing new community / enterprise spaces– including developing business cases and securing funding.
- Understanding of the latest software and digital solutions relevant to the post.
- Educated to degree level or equivalent, preferably with a professional qualification related to the built environment.

You have

- Excellent community engagement and communication skills that build support for new initiatives.
- Strong project management skills.
- Adaptable and willing to take on tasks to get the job done and able to work at pace.
- Excellent teamwork, collaboration, networking and partnership building skills.
- An engaging communicator, with the ability to galvanise support.
- The ability to work across multi-disciplinary project teams in a mission-orientated environment.
- Passionate about regeneration and creating exceptional, sustainable places and opportunities for local communities.
- Embraces innovation, actively seeks out best practice and solution focussed.

Other important stuff...

People management

The post holder will matrix manage project teams that cross council directorates and in some cases organisations. Reports to the Neighbourhood Hubs Transformation Manager.

Work environment

This role is office based at 5 Pancras Square but some working from home is encouraged. The role requires a significant amount of contact with a wide range of partners through strategic relationships, often in meetings in and outside of the Council. External meetings are likely and site visits are essential, along with a willingness to work outside of normal office hours when requested.

Who you will be working with

In this role you will be responsible for collaborating successfully and co-designing with a range of internal and external stakeholders including community groups and residents. The ability to lead multi-disciplinary project teams and to galvanise support is essential and on a day-to-day basis the role requires working closely and collaboratively with teams and individuals across then organisation, partner organisations, stakeholders, and local resident and business groups.

Who we are

Diversity & Inclusion

At Camden, we value and celebrate difference and encourage diversity in all respects. Our diverse workforce ensures we represent our communities to the best of our ability and enables us to make better decisions. Because of this, we particularly welcome applications from Black, Asian and those of other non-white ethnicities, those who identify as LGBT+, neurodiverse and disabled people.

Agile working

At Camden we view work as an activity, not a place. We focus on performance, not presenteeism. We create trusting relationships, we embrace innovation rather than bureaucracy and we value people. Collaboration is the Camden way, silo working isn't.

Asking for Adjustments

Camden is committed to making our recruitment practices as accessible as possible for everyone. This includes making adjustments or changes for disabled people, neurodiverse people or people with long-term health conditions. If you would like us to do anything differently during the application, interview or assessment process, including providing information in an alternative format, please contact us on 020 7974 6655, at resourcing@camden.gov.uk

