

Senior Trading Standards Officers

Location: Home/Sandwell Council House, Freeth St, Oldbury B69 3DE

Salary: £38,296 - £43,516 per annum

Ref: SAND000007130

Following on from a service re-design and the creation of new posts, we have an exciting opportunity to recruit to 3 new Senior Trading Standard Officer posts within the Citizen and Consumer Protection Business and Consumer Team which includes Environmental Health, Trading Standards and General Licensing. It's an exciting time to join Sandwell Council's Trading Standards Team. Our service re-design is part of a forward-thinking review of our services to ensure that we are a team fit for the future.

About you

We are looking for a qualified Trading Standards Officer competent in Weights and Measures or Food Standards. Working alongside our recently promoted Seniors you will help shape the direction of our team, use your specialist knowledge and experience to lead on projects and to provide support to officers and assist the Team Managers with leading on the different disciplines. You will need to have a minimum of 3 years' experience within the specialist area and be open to new challenges, have excellent communication skills, be professional and an exemplar for Sandwell MBC and the Trading Standards profession.

The team

The team is a busy, friendly and professional team covering Age Restricted Products, Fair Trading, Food Standards, Intellectual Property, Product Safety and Weights and Measures.

We are also keen to provide our officers with opportunities for further development and we support officers with further training and ensuring they can meet Continuous Professional Development.

Requirements:

Educated to degree level or equivalent in a subject relative to either Environmental

Health or Trading Standards.

For Trading Standards to be competent in Weights and Measures or Food Standards.

For Environmental Health to be competent in Food Safety, Health and Safety or Statutory Nuisance.

For an informal discussion about these job opportunities please contact Liz Nembhard, Operations Manager – liz_nembhard@sandwell.gov.uk

Closing date: 27th March 2023

Our Values: Trust, Unity and Progress make us unique, they define how we do things and are reflected in the way we behave. They are important to us, guiding and shaping our organisational culture. Our values are key to us achieving Sandwell's Vision 2030 and also guide us when we recruit.

We reserve the right to close vacancies prior to their advertised date if we receive a large number of applications. Therefore, you are strongly advised to complete and return your application as soon as possible. When completing your application please refer to the supporting documents attached.

If you have a disability and require assistance in making an application, or have experienced a problem whilst applying for a position, please contact the Resourcing Team on 0121 569 3300 or via e-mail to: hr_resourcing@sandwell.gov.uk

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