

Join our dedicated Metrology Team at Lancashire County Council

Principal Metrology Officer - £44,711- £49,764- Full Time- Hybrid in Lancashire
Senior Metrology Officer - £39,513- £44,711- 18.5 hours per week- Hybrid in Lancashire

Our **Principal Metrology Officer** will lead and develop the provision of metrology and calibration functions. You will act as the technical focus person for legal metrology and support colleagues, businesses, and partners on this subject. You will also lead a team of officers to ensure our statutory obligations are fulfilled. Additionally, the role includes overseeing the operation of a calibration facility and comprehensive metrology equipment resource including a weighbridge test unit. With your technical expertise you will assess, evaluate, and plan the targeted use of all resources.

The appointed person will also act as the strategic representative for the Service within regional and national bodies.

What we're looking for?

You will be a fully qualified Trading Standard's professional with substantial experience in Metrology and legislative requirements. You will have leadership experience with the ability to coordinate and develop a team of officers. You'll be great at influencing and communicating effectively to drive delivery and develop partnerships with external stakeholders.

If you are a proven trading standards practitioner and are determined to use your metrology expertise to the full, then don't hesitate to apply!

For more information and to apply before the closing date on 26th January 2025 please use the following link: [Principal Officer Metrology | Trading Standards | Bamber Bridge - LCC Career Site Careers](#)

Our **Senior Metrology Officer** will professionally advise local businesses to be compliant with legal obligations required under the Weights and Measures Act 1985 – with your technical expertise you will make critical judgements to influence and encourage local businesses to comply with their statutory obligations to avoid enforcement.

In this varied role you'll be assessing a wide scope of equipment from petrol pumps, weighbridges and more, so you will consider each competing priority and plan accordingly to deliver our responsibilities with the support of the technical team. You will also commercially interpret data to generate income avenues for the team.

What we're looking for?

You'll be a statutory qualified Metrology specialist with the technical experience to deliver our statutory obligations. You will influence business accordingly to meet recommendations and legal requirements. You will be methodical and analytical, the ability to record and analyse metrics consider timescales and plan accordingly to gather any data you require.

We'll need you to communicate to a wide audience of stakeholders and you may need to have difficult conversations so how you approach each situation will be key. You'll also be an exceptional team player and understand the importance of listening, guiding, and collaborating with others to achieve the best outcome for businesses and their customers.

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Our Metrology Team in the Trading Standards Service is a specialised team working alongside other teams including food standards, and we deliver essential statutory services to a variety of businesses and stakeholders. Our role is to advise, guide and encourage legal compliance, with enforcement, when necessary, to protect both the businesses and consumers within Lancashire.

Joining Lancashire County Council means being part of a team that values your expertise, supports your development, and embraces diversity. If you're ready to make a difference and grow in your career, this is the place for you. More details on our excellent benefits are available [here](#).

Contact details: If you would like an informal chat about these opportunities, please contact David Scott (Trading Standards Manager) on 01772 530573 or email David.Scott@lancashire.gov.uk

