**Senior Planner**

**General Statement of Duties**

The Foothills Regional Commission (FRC) is seeking an experienced professional for the position of **Senior Planner** in the Community and Economic Development Department. You will lead the department’s Rural Planning Organization (RPO) and perform other long-range planning and grant related work within the Foothills Region. The successful candidate should be well-organized, detail-oriented, and possess excellent communication skills.

**Desired Education and Experience**

Bachelor’s degree from an accredited four-year college or university with an emphasis in public administration, planning, or related field is required. Experience within municipal, county, or transportation planning is required. Master’s degree preferred but not required along with 3-5 years’ experience in a municipal, county, or regional government, or an equivalent combination of education and experience.

Salary will be based on qualifications and experience, but the expected starting range is **$52,442 to $65,552 with extra consideration for preferred qualifications**. Excellent benefits package includes health, dental, vision, 401k match, and NC local government pension. Work is performed primarily in an office environment, with the potential to work remotely on occasion.

Send cover letter, resume, and references to Alan Toney at atoney@foothillsregion.org. The position will remain open until filled.

**Foothills Regional Commission is an Equal Opportunity Employer.**

All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, religion, color, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, handicap, or national origin.