

POSITION : **LIVELIHOODS SPECIALIST – 2 YEAR FIXED TERM**
CENTRE : **GREAT FISH RIVER NATURE RESERVE**
BAND : **C UPPER**

Purpose

The Livelihoods Specialist shall facilitate partnerships, leverage financial resources, identify and develop new business opportunities, build capacity and promote the active participation of the Brakfontein community Reserve in the Wildlife and Biodiversity economy industry.

Requirements

- A 3 (three) year National Diploma or NQF Level 6 in environmental / natural resource management or relevant qualification
- 2 (two) years relevant experience in any of the following fields: biodiversity economy, community liaison, stakeholder facilitation, or enterprise development in the environmental context.
- Qualification in Development Studies, marketing and/or commercialization would be an added advantage.
- Knowledge of relevant conservation and environmental legislation and statutory processes (IDP, SDF).
- Knowledge of the National Biodiversity Economy Strategy.
- Valid driver's license.

Key Performance Areas

- **Leveraging of financial opportunities and resources:** Identify and leverage opportunities to create dignified employment, entrepreneurship, and skill development for the Likhayaletu communal Property Association (CPA). leveraging resources.
- **Partnerships Building:** Facilitate partnerships to ensure that Likhayaletu CPA and Brakfontein community reserve integrate into the biodiversity economy.
- **Stakeholder Management:** Engage and liaise with key stakeholders critical to the success of the Brakfontein project. Provide ongoing advice and support to the community and other key stakeholders.
- **Capacity building:** Facilitate training and skills development for the Likhayaletu CPA.
- **Monitoring and reporting:** Monitor and report on progress.

In line with the Employment Equity Policy of the Eastern Cape Parks & Tourism Agency, preference will be given to suitable candidates from the designated groups. (Where applicable)

Closing Date: 07 December 2024.

Please forward your application to:

- 1) recruitment2@ecpta.co.za please specify the position you are applying for. Please submit a comprehensive CV. Applications received after the closing date and/or those submitted to an address not listed above will not be considered.
- 2) If you do not receive a response within 30 days, please consider your application as unsuccessful.

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