

# **Island of Hoy Development Trust**

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# Job Description Project Development Officer

## **JOB PURPOSE**

- 1. Coordinate a project to identify the requirements to allow the safe opening of the YM, Longhope in line with all government legislation and guidance.
- 2. Support and monitor the delivery of the project, within agreed timescales.
- 3. Provide an Options Appraisal to support IOHDT's decision making regarding the future operation of the YM, Longhope
- 4. Provide policy documents to support the ongoing performance management of the YM, Longhope.

#### **MAIN DUTIES**

#### Communication

- 1. Provide and receive complex information relating to the future development of the YM, Longhope including seeking appropriate advice re Health & Safety and Risk Management etc.
- 2. Discuss the project and future options with staff, directors of the IOHDT and members of the Community.
- 3. Make routine presentations to the IOHDT Board and members of the Community.
- 4. Provide IOHDT with written updates as required and a final project report.
- 5. Contribute to the IOHDT's plans and actions aimed at ensuring effective and timely communication with the wider community.



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#### **Analytical and Judgemental Skills**

- 1. Undertake analysis of current requirements for the operation of a Community Facility.
- 2. Make judgements regarding minimum requirements for future operation and governance of the YM, Longhope, providing options for the IOHDT Board to consider, e.g. compliance with Health & Safety legislation, Risk Management.
- 3. Create an Options Appraisal that considers different operational structures for the YM, Longhope

## **Planning & Organisational Skills**

- 1. Develop operational and administrative systems and procedures to enable the project to run efficiently and effectively.
- 2. Organise and manage relationships with all relevant stakeholders including IOHDT Board, other professionals and the wider community

# **Policy and Service Development**

- 1. Develop and propose policies required for future operation of YM.
- 2. Propose changes to the project as required.
- 3. Adhere to IOHDT policies and procedures.

## **Financial & Physical Resources**

- 1. Observe personal duty of care in relation to equipment and resources used in course of work.
- 2. Authorised signatory for project related expenses.



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#### **Information Resources**

- 1. Provide verbal and written reports for the IOHDT Board as requested, including and highlighting any unanticipated problems
- 2. Maintain record of project progress.

#### **Human Resources**

1. Support the induction of new Board Directors including provision of information re role and responsibilities.

# **Audit/Governance**

1. Conduct audit of YM policies and procedures prior to completion of project.