



DATE: January 8, 2025

POSITION: Environmental Planner

SUMMARY: This position will support BMC’s environmental planning efforts including air quality conformity, reservoir protection and climate change preparedness. Primary interest areas of candidates should include environmental/public policy, such as regulatory and legislative actions.

Responsibilities may include tracking and reporting on relevant federal and state environmental policies, assisting with air quality and transportation planning activities, supporting an interagency air quality group, ensuring federal transportation conformity requirements are met by the MPO, and assisting in regional outreach efforts.

The successful candidate for this position must have excellent project management skills, and a strong personal interest in environmental planning.

NECESSARY SKILLS: The ideal candidate will have strong interest in environmental policy with at least introductory experience in environmental planning and/or science. Additional relevant areas include regional/urban planning, environmental science/engineering, public policy, urban affairs, or transportation planning. MS Office software proficiency is necessary. Candidate should have analytical and technical writing skills, oral presentation comfort-level, and enjoy working with a variety of stakeholders.

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE: Requires a Bachelor’s Degree from an accredited college or university plus one to three years of responsible experience. A Master’s Degree may be substituted for one year of experience.

ABOUT THE BALTIMORE METROPOLITAN COUNCIL: The Baltimore Metropolitan Council (BMC) is the Council of Governments serving the Baltimore region. Our board of directors includes the Mayor of Baltimore City, the elected executive officials from six surrounding counties, two Maryland legislators and an appointee from the business community.

BMC’s primary function is to support the Baltimore Regional Transportation Board (BRTB), the area’s metropolitan planning organization (MPO), and its regional transportation planning activities. BRTB members consist of designated representatives from the cities of Annapolis and Baltimore and the counties of Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Carroll, Harford, Howard, and Queen Anne’s. Additional members include the following state agencies: Department of Transportation, Department of the Environment, Department of Planning,



and Maryland Transit Administration as well as Regional Transit Agency of Central Maryland.

SALARY: This position offers a competitive salary and benefits package, dependent upon qualifications and experience. Salary Range: \$55,000-\$70,000

BENEFITS: BMC participates in the State of Maryland's benefits program, including comprehensive healthcare, dental, and life insurance options. BMC provides a highly competitive package of additional benefits including guaranteed contribution to deferred compensation programs, optional telework, state holidays, and vacation/personal leave.

TO APPLY: Send cover letter, resume and writing sample to Kathy Renzi, via email to (krenzi@baltometro.org) or mail to Baltimore Metropolitan Council, ATTN: Kathy Renzi, 1500 Whetstone Way, Suite 300, Baltimore, MD 21230. Position will remain open until filled.

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Please Note: BMC is not sponsoring new employees in application of the H-1B Visa at this time due to budgetary constraints. All applicants must be legally authorized to work in the United States under the Immigration and Reform Control Act of 1986. Federal regulations prohibit H-1B Visa candidates from paying sponsorship fees; all sponsorship fees must be assumed by the potential employer.