



Beausoleil First Nation Human Resources

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY Relief Deckhand

Posting Date:	Sept 15, 2026	Salary:	\$20.00/hr
Classification:	Relief	Closing Date:	Until Filled
Direct Supervisor:	On-duty Captain	Vacancy Status:	Existing
Hours of Work:	On Call		

Overview

Beausoleil First Nation is seeking to hire individuals to fill a Relief Ferry Deckhand position aboard the M.V. Sandy Graham, the Niigaan Enaazhek, and the Indian Maiden. Preference will be given to applicants who are of Indigenous Descent.

Key Responsibilities Include:

- Assist the Mate to ensure that the Transportation Policy and Canada Coast Guard Rules and Regulations for ferry services are adhered to
- Responsible to the Mate for the day to day operations of the M.V. Sandy Graham, Niigaan Enaazhek, and Indian Maiden.
- Report to, liaise with and carry out the directions of the Transportation Committee
- Maintenance as required/or directed (dependant on experience)
- Liaise with community and passengers
- Other duties as assigned by Captain through chain of command

Qualifications:

- Deckhand should hold a valid Master Limited Certificate for a Short Run or willing to obtain
- Limited Mates Ticket for a short run and a SVMO Certificate for both Vessels or willing to obtain
- Must have Radio Operator’s Certificate would be an asset or willing to obtain
- MED A1, B1 and B2 would be an asset or willing to obtain
- MED II would be an asset or willing to obtain
- Must have valid standard First Aid Certificate would be an asset or willing to obtain
- Must have valid C.P.R. Certificate would be an asset or willing to obtain
- Completion of Secondary School would be an asset
- Current Transport Canada Physical completed – confirming physically fit would be an asset or willing to obtain

How to Apply

Submit a complete application package including:

- Cover letter
- Resume

* Employer references will be requested in the later stages of recruitment

How to Apply: Email applications are preferred: jobs@chimnissing.ca Alternatively, drop off at the Beausoleil First Nation Administration Building.

Accessibility: BFN is committed to an inclusive, barrier-free process under the Ontario Human Rights Code and AODA. Accommodations are available on request.

AI Use: AI will not be used to make hiring decisions. In rare cases, it may assist with organizing application data.