Municipal Internship Program

2025 Host Profile for Lamont County (website)



Community

Lamont County is located less than 45 minutes east of Edmonton and is part of Alberta's Industrial Heartland. With a population of approximately 4,000 and a service area of over 9,500 residents, we contribute to over 40 major industrial companies and investments of over \$45B. The county is adjacent to Strathcona County and the City of Fort Saskatchewan, as well as many important municipalities in the region. As the centre of a vast agricultural and oil and gas producing region, Lamont County is prospering and growing. Lamont County is a great place to work! We are the

Cradle of Ukrainian Settlement in Canada, with the honour of having the first Ukrainian settlers in Canada, and over 40 historical churches—the county is designated the Church Capital of North America.

Lamont County is nestled in the Beaver Hills and is proud to boast attractions such as: Elk Island National Park, Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village, Babas and Borshch Ukrainian Festival and Church Tours of over 40 historical churches. In the region, outdoor enthusiasts will enjoy baseball diamonds, a skateboard park, a spray park, wildlife viewing, campgrounds, and golf.

The county offers affordable housing options, ensuring a high standard of living without the high costs associated with larger urban centers. The low cost of living, combined with the region's natural beauty and community amenities, makes Lamont County an attractive place for families and professionals alike. Residents and visitors can enjoy hiking, biking, canoeing, wildlife watching, and stargazing.



Municipal Projects

The finance intern will be involved with budget consultations and preparation, an exciting P3 procurement for a water line, and the year-end preparation and audit process. We anticipate our intern will receive broad exposure to all areas of municipal finance.



The Top Three

Lamont County is seeking a candidate that is: 1) An **enthusiastic and quick learner**, with the ability to take on a wide variety of responsibilities. 2) **A good communicator**, who works effectively as part of our finance team, and will build trust by seeking help when needed. 3) **A positive person** who contributes to a supportive, friendly, and professional workplace.

Work

It is expected that the intern will be present in the main office Administration Building in Lamont County during office hours Monday to Friday.



Here are some links where you can explore more about this vibrant community:

<u>Lamont County Facebook Page</u> <u>Elk Island National Park</u> <u>Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village</u> <u>Babas and</u> Borshch Ukrainian Festival Invest in Lamont County

Workplace

"Lamont is such a positive place to work. People support each other and are there when you need them. I enjoy coming to work every day to be around friends."

"Our people take pride in providing a high level of service for our residents and contributing to our community."

Designation

Lamont County will support the intern in pursuing the CPA designation with available mentoring, supervision, and accounting tasks which are directly applicable to their work experience needs.

Salary

The municipality of Lamont County is offering an annual salary range of \$66,000 to \$70,000 based on education and previous experience.



