



Tony Evers

Office of the Governor | State of Wisconsin

OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE DIRECTOR

Governor Tony Evers is seeking a Director for the Office of Environmental Justice.

Job Responsibilities

- Travel frequently across the state to meet with stakeholders and community members.
- Collaborate with the Office of Sustainability and Clean Energy to facilitate collaboration across state agencies.
- Work across state agencies to provide strategies to promote environmentally just policies and prevent disparate outcomes in communities across the state while engaging with farmers and rural communities, communities of color, Tribal Nations, state and local partners, and low-income populations, among other key stakeholders.
- Advise the governor on specific actions that the state should implement related to environmental justice.
- Oversee the Office's operations and environmental justice work and supervise the chief resilience officer.
- Assist the chief resilience officer with leading the administration's efforts to integrate resilience planning across state agency programs and assisting local government and Tribal Nation leaders in implementing climate resilience programs and projects in their communities to protect people and properties.

Qualifications

Governor Evers is seeking candidates who excel in being self-starting multi-taskers, who can effectively adapt to a fast-paced workplace. You should have:

- Experience with environmental justice policies, programs, and community building.
- Ability to manage a team as well as manage across state agencies.
- Knowledge or background engaging with stakeholders and coalitions.
- Knowledge or experience with effective public engagement including hosting listening sessions, engaging one-on-one with individuals, and attending group meetings to hear concerns.
- Knowledge of frontline community needs and a demonstrated ability to work with the public.
- Knowledge of state and federal laws, regulations, administrative codes, and policies relating to environmental justice.
- Ability to condense and summarize information and display key evidence for stakeholders and policy makers.

Compensation

- Salary range \$70,000 to \$85,000 annually, commensurate with experience.
- Generous benefits package.

The Office of Governor Tony Evers is an equal opportunity employer, and it strives to recruit and retain high quality staff who are committed to increasing the diversity of the organization.

How to Apply

- Send a cover letter and resume to Kara Pennoyer, Deputy Chief of Staff, at govpersonnel@wisconsin.gov by January 2, 2022.