



VOLKER STEVIN POSITION PROFILE

Position:	Materials Tester 1	Status:	Seasonal - Hourly
Company:	Volker Stevin Contracting Ltd.	Location:	Spy Hill/ Aldersyde Lab
Division:	Plants & Pits/ Quality Control	Supervisor:	Quality Control Supervisor
Is this Safety Sensitive position?		Yes	

Volker Stevin Canada and its subsidiaries across **Western Canada** are dedicated to providing the highest level of quality services in the areas of: construction, project management, highway maintenance, civil works and bridge construction, maintenance and rehabilitation expertise, and asphalt/aggregate plants and pits.

In anticipation of our client’s needs, we strive to build and maintain long term relationships based on safety, quality, value, trust, and timely service. In addition to upholding professionalism, integrity, honesty, and fairness in our relationships with our clients, professional associates, subcontractors, and suppliers we ensure the longevity of the Company while sustaining growth and profitability.

Holding a moral obligation to a safe, environmentally responsible work environment we model safety excellence as our way of life – where individual professional growth is the foundation for company growth. Our culture of building and maintaining successful partnerships instills confidence in achieving both employee and client goals.

Position Rationale

To aid in Quality Control testing of all aggregate and asphalt materials.

Position Accountabilities

Aggregates:

- Quality control testing of materials being crushed
- Stock pile material testing
- Report results to the Senior Asphalt Inspector with final testing data for entry into the computer

Asphalt:

- Take samples from truck at plant take to lab and process.
- Plant moistures
- Follow proper testing procedures according to asphalt being produced (e.g. A.T. specs)
- Ensuring proper personal protective equipment is worn when necessary
- Testing of all asphalt materials (bin samples, midstream samples)
- Relaying all information to the Senior Asphalt Inspector.
- Maintaining a consistent inventory of lab equipment
- Keep lab and equipment clean and usable



Communication:

- Communicate with Senior Asphalt Inspector always to see what is going on that day.
- Forward any customer info to Senior asphalt inspector

Customer Service:

- Project a professional image in dealing with the public, internal and external clients, suppliers, and sub-contractors.
- Model a clear understanding of who the internal and external customers of the Volker Stevin Group of Companies are.
- Demonstrate a “can do”, “problem solving” approach to all inquiries and concerns.
- Assist team in managing the workload by keeping team aware of any conflicting priorities.
- Know when to escalate an issue for immediate response.

Work Environment / Conditions:

- Work is performed in a testing lab or outdoor setting, which could include inclement weather, heat and humidity, and exposure to dust and asphalt.
- Overtime and weekend work, as required
- Valid Class 5 Operators License; with clean Driver’s Abstract

Safety:

- Actively engage in Volker Stevin Canada’s safety culture.
- Engage senior management on an ongoing basis regarding safety activities and successes.
- Remain visibly committed to the safety excellence way of life by:
 - Participating in all relevant safety training.
 - Attend weekly safety meetings.
 - Actively and positively participate.



Position Requirements

Qualifications & Experience:

- Engineering Technologist degree or a student at a college or university.
- On the job training and experience with aggregates and asphalt test an asset, but not necessary.
- High School Diploma
- Work well independently and in a team environment
- Willing work long hours and weekends
- Basic First Aid is an asset
- Valid Class 5 driver’s license (Driver’s Abstract required)
- Experience with Microsoft Word and Excel