

Commissioner, Community Services Region of Waterloo

Location: Kitchener, ON.

The Region of Waterloo has a bold and compelling vision to help build a world-class community. The Region's Leadership Team has a mandate to reimagine the Corporation's service provision, to put residents first and ensure that the community remains a great place to live, work and play – for everyone.

We know world class communities are compassionate, equitable and work to lift up those most in need and the Region's Community Services Department and its partners play a key role in shaping the future of the community by providing services for children, older adults, and those who need help finding work, homes that are affordable, emergency shelter or income support.

We are looking for a world-class leader who seeks to challenge the status quo in pursuit of a culture of equity, innovation and world class service excellence. Reporting to the CAO and as a member of the Corporate Leadership Team, you will establish corporate strategic priorities for the Region and ensure that Departmental initiatives and programs are integrated and aligned with these priorities.

Peers appreciate you for your art of the possible mindset, resiliency, flexibility and bias to action. Your teams appreciate your high expectations along with your supportive, people-first approach. Passionate, dynamic and politically astute, you are an outstanding communicator who engenders trust and confidence with all partners across the community. You are a champion of addressing barriers to equity while improving the health and well-being of local residents.

You are an empowering and empathetic leader who fosters an extremely high degree of teamwork, collegiality and collaboration. This is an organization where employees are valued. It is a place where employees are recognized for their talents. The Region's employees take pride in the work they do and understand that what they do improves the lives of 630,000 residents each and every day.

To see what makes the Region of Waterloo truly special, please [click here](#).

Join the Region of Waterloo in making an impact in a thriving and dynamic community. To apply for this position, please visit: boyden.thriveapp.ly/job/1241. For more information, please contact Richard Rankin at rrankin@boyden.com and **state the title of the position in the subject line of your email**.

The Region of Waterloo is an equal opportunity employer committed to diversity, inclusion, and supporting the well-being of its employee. The Region encourages qualified applicants to apply and will accommodate the needs of qualified applicants under the Human Rights Code in all parts of the hiring process.

We thank all applicants for their interest, however only those under consideration for the role will be contacted.