

The City of Santa Barbara Invites Applications For Airport Director

The City of Santa Barbara is seeking an Airport Director to provide oversight and leadership for the day-to-day operational and administrative activities of the department. In addition, he/she will serve as top advisor and liaison to various community and advisory groups. The Airport Director is also responsible for establishing and maintaining a positive employee and labor relations climate, and for the proper and efficient use of both human and financial resources. The position of Airport Director is an at-will appointment and serves at the pleasure of the City Administrator.

Experience and Education

- **Education:** A Bachelor's degree with major coursework in airport management, public administration, business administration, or a related field is required. However, a combination of education and experience will be considered at the sole discretion of the City. An advanced degree is a plus combined with a track record of success. AAE or IAP accreditation is preferred.
- **Experience:** This position requires significant and progressively responsible executive Airport administration experience in a comparable or larger municipal Airport department. With a passion for public service and a proven track record of success, top candidates will have achieved an outstanding career in Airport service and a progressively responsible senior level career path with demonstrated accomplishments, including leading major projects, airport development, and administration and compliance initiatives.

Compensation

The successful candidate will be offered a very competitive salary with an outstanding benefits package. The current range is \$157,014 – \$190,853. The starting salary extended to the top candidate will reflect the candidate's work experience and track record of career success. Moving and relocation expenses are negotiable. Benefits include retirement, health insurance, vacation, sick leave, management leave, personal leave, holidays, deferred compensation, life insurance and car allowance.

For instructions on how to apply, please [click here](#) to see the recruitment brochure, or visit the searches tab at www.adkexecutivesearch.com.

Posting closes November 19, 2017.