

PROJECT DIRECTOR PREVENTION COALITION – City of Vernonia, Oregon – (Salary: \$45,000 - \$54,000 annually (DOQ) with excellent benefits and retirement program.) Vernonia, population 2,365, is located about 45 miles from Portland. The City is seeking a Project Director for the Vernonia Prevention Coalition to administer a multi-year Drug Free Communities Grant of about \$125,000 per year. The Director will develop and coordinate community efforts to plan and implement science-based prevention programs, will coordinate the Coalition's work, develop and implement a plan for presentation of educational and informational materials, and facilitate the selection and implementation of focused programs in the community. Requirements--Education: Bachelor's degree in counseling, social work, psychology, education, public health or a related field. Preference given for a Master's degree. Experience: A minimum of two years of responsible prevention experience. Preference for previous work with Drug Free Communities grant program. Applicants must possess a working knowledge of substance abuse prevention and early intervention, community organizing, grant writing, and youth development. To apply, send a resume, cover letter, three work-related references, and your last or current salary to: Jim Johnson, Interim City Administrator, 1001 Bridge Street, Vernonia, Oregon 97064. Phone: 503-429-5291x102. Fax: 503-429-4232. Email to: jim@vernonia-or.gov. All application material must be received by 5:00 p.m. on May 26, 2009.