

Vice President of Corporate Services – Holland Power Services

About Holland Power Services

Established in 1996 and based in the greater Fredericton area of New Brunswick, Holland Power Services (HPS) specializes in emergency power restoration providing efficient assistance to utility customers in times of need. HPS has earned a reputation for professionalism due to the depth and breadth of experience of their people, established processes and systems that ensure quick and efficient assistance and the respect they show to those affected by power outages. With climate change widely viewed as responsible for the increased frequency of major weather events that are adversely impacting the utility industry, Ontario-based Alectra acquired HPS in January 2021.

Today, HPS maintains a fleet of more than 350 line trucks and support vehicles operated by qualified professionals and dispatches restoration crews throughout the eastern US all the way to Florida as well as the Bahamas from their five primary locations in New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario and New England.

About the role

Reporting to the President of HPS and as a key member of the executive team, the **Vice President of Corporate Services** will provide strategic and financial leadership for the Corporation and develop innovative approaches to structuring the business for success. Your portfolio will include all aspects of corporate finance, treasury, taxation, insurance, human resources, information technology and storm administration (a team of 15-20). You will be responsible for safeguarding the company's financial assets and establishing effective internal controls, appropriate cross-border insurance and building a sophisticated financial management structure. You will work closely with Alectra and other external stakeholders, identify any potential internal barriers and deliver solutions to positively impact the employee experience and consequently, overall value provided to clients. You will lead by example as a practical and hands-on leader and create a positive work environment for all by maintaining a high degree of accountability for achieving business and financial excellence.

Preference for this role to be based in the Fredericton area of New Brunswick but exceptions can be made for those located in our other service jurisdictions.

As the Ideal Candidate you:

- Have a CPA designation and a post-secondary degree, with 10+ years of progressive financial and executive leadership experience. Experience or knowledge of the energy and/or utility industries would be considered an asset;
- Are highly proficient in financial reporting (IFRS) and developing new or refined applications, processes, and practices which promote continuous improvement and efficiency across an organization;
- Are equally comfortable and effective working at a tactical or strategic level with varying corporate cultures and perspectives;
- Are results-oriented with the ability to deliver on key initiatives with an appropriate sense of urgency;
- Are naturally motivated to rise to the challenge of making a lasting contribution to a growing and evolving organization, and;
- Have unmatched interpersonal and communication skills.

If you are interested in this opportunity, please apply online at <https://www.kbrs.ca/Career/17243>. For more information, contact Kevin Stoddart at kstoddart@kbrs.ca or Camilla Quaglia at cquaglia@kbrs.ca.

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