**London Councils recruitment video (Dialog text)**

(upbeat music)

The work the London Councils does has a very direct impact on Londoners.

So we, every day, affect policy.

London Councils puts the view of the 32 boroughs in the City of London to

the government, to the mayor and pushes for policy solutions that work for the boroughs.

The work that we do directly supports boroughs in terms of helping them be as good as they possibly can in the work that they do locally.

But you're also working as part of a global city which is recognised throughout the world as being a really great place to live and work.

And so you have that interaction of diversity.

Very, very local and global activity at the same time.

'Cause it's diverse it can attract a hugely diverse population in terms of our work force.

For me, London Councils was my first job.

So it's just been a brilliant experience and I recommend it to any young person who's

looking to start a career in public sector.

You can have an impact on people's lives in a whole range of ways.

We're supporting people to move freely around the borough who may have disabilities or are vulnerable and may not alternatively get out of the house.

With the grants programme, the environmental work that we do, the policy work that we do, and the lobbying to try and get a fair share resources for Londoners.

I think the most powerful thing for me in terms of impact has been that the fact in about a year's time people will actually be living in homes that wouldn't have been there if we hadn't of brought boroughs together to create solutions on homelessness.

So essentially we have a summer party if it's not raining on the roof.

It's really good.

There's a little fantasy football league and a lot of competitions in sports.

So Ping Pong we have one.

So that's one of the best things for me at work at the London Councils.

Where we're situated now, we've moved to an agile working environment where staff don't have their individual desks anymore.

So you can sit in a quiet room, you can sit within a room within the floor, or you can go to concentration areas and all sorts of things.

It's great that we have showers here and a place to park your bike that's secure 'cause a lot of people do cycle into work here.

And some people run into work as well.

Coffee shops, you're just spoiled for choice.

Food places, Borough Market, restaurants, it's just fab.

The business improvement district here runs a scheme called the Buzz Card,

which if you work here you can get access to and that gives you discounts in all the local shops and restaurants as well.

If you care about public service, if you care about what councils can do for local communities and local people, and if you care about a great city that is London, then this is a great place to come and work.

Every one's ambitious, driven, friendly.

A really supportive atmosphere, great environment.

You're part of making a positive difference to London and making a change for the better.

It's not just about doing your job, it's about looking out the window and seeing Londoners, and going, we're gonna try and help you.