

January 2012

SEASONAL POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

POSITION TITLE: Seasonal Forester

LOCATION: Granby District – Granby, CO

HOURLY PAY RATE: \$11.00 per hour–housing and utilities provided

EMPLOYMENT DATES: May 2012 through August 2012 (start and end date may be variable)

CLOSING DATE: Applications will be considered until the positions are filled, however materials should be received by April 6, 2012 for full consideration

Seasonal Foresters Duties and Responsibilities:

- Timber cruising and data collection for management plans
- Various GPS and GIS applications
- Assisting with timber sale and service contract layout - cruising, boundary delineation, and marking
- Chainsaw operation
- General labor - facility and equipment maintenance, seeding, fences, etc.
- Other Duties as assigned

Preferred Background:

- Pursuing bachelor's degree in forestry or related natural resources field
- Possession of or ability to obtain a valid driver's license
- Ability to operate 4-wheel drive vehicles in variable weather and road conditions
- Ability to operate ATV's
- Ability to (or willingness to learn how to) operate chainsaws/misc. logging equipment, forestry equipment, and perform strenuous outdoor work in a variety of weather conditions
- Ability and willingness to work long hours with occasional evening and weekend duties (work based on a 40 hour work week)
- Demonstrated ability to work as a team

Preferred Experience:

- One season of field experience is preferred
- Classroom or field experience in timber cruising and cruising equipment
- Experience/ Training in the operation and maintenance of chainsaws
- Experience in timber sale layout/ marking
- Experience in the utilization of MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint, internet, e-mail
- Experience in the utilization of GPS and ArcGIS
- Good written and oral communications

To Apply:

Please send the following to the address listed below

1. Cover letter stating interest for the position and identifying skills and experience relating to the position duties and responsibilities described above
2. Professional resume
3. At least three professional references and their current contact information (previous supervisors preferred)

Colorado State Forest Service

Attn: Paul Cada

PO Box 69

Granby, CO 80446

or e-mail application packet to: paul.cada@colostate.edu

For questions regarding these positions, please contact Paul Cada (970) 887-3121.

This announcement is also posted on our website at: <http://csfs.colostate.edu/pages/employment.html>

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