Job Description

Job Title: Field Construction/Maintenance Worker
Job ID: 10553
Project Name: Pacific Coop Studies Unit
Full/Part Time: Full-Time
Regular/Temporary: Regular

MINIMUM HOURLY PAY RATE: $22.74/Hour

DUTIES: Works for the Army Natural Resource Program constructing and maintaining ungulate enclosures and/or other field construction projects. This involves (but not limited to) clearing vegetation along fence corridors using chainsaws, weed whackers and other power/hand tools. Required to remove non-native plants along the fence lines with herbicides. Assist with fence line routing, fence materials distribution and fence construction. In addition, evaluation, inspection, maintenance and repair of existing fence lines and/or other field structures/facilities will also be conducted.

PRIMARY QUALIFICATIONS: EDUCATION: High School Diploma or General Education Development (GED). EXPERIENCE: Up to one (0-1) year of experience in fence construction. ABIL/KNOW/SKILLS: Knowledge of a variety of commonly used fencing equipment and techniques. Ability to work using safety ropes and operate power tools including chain saws, weed eaters, generators, etc. Must obtain and maintain the American Red Cross Certification in First Aid/CPR (or be able to obtain the certificate following the training provided.) Ability to obtain and maintain State of Hawaii Certification for Application of Restricted Use Pesticides. Must possess valid driver's license, and ability to operate 4-wheel drive and vehicles. Post Offer/Employment Conditions: - Must be able to pass a DOD security check for employment as an Army contractor. Must provide a copy of driver's abstract and have no citations that will prevent incumbent from driving on Department of Defense installations. Must be able to complete basic helicopter safety course, helicopter sling load course within six (6) months of hire. Must complete State of Hawaii Certification for Application of Restricted Use Pesticides within six (6) months of hire. Must pass 4 wheel drive training within six (6) months of hire. Must complete rappelling training (for fall protection purposes) and chain saw class within twelve (12) months of hire. Must be certified in First Aid/CPR within three (3)-months of new hire probation period. PHYSICAL/MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS: Ability to hike and camp in remote areas and rugged terrain under inclement weather conditions, up to five (5) consecutive days. Able to backpack to up to 12 miles on irregular terrain with backpacks weighing up to 50 pounds. Must not be afraid of heights.

SECONDARY QUALIFICATIONS: Associate's Degree from an accredited community college in Biological/Environmental Sciences or related field (e.g. botany, zoology). Education and experience in programs managing native ecosystems in Hawaii. Knowledge of native Hawaiian flora and fauna and alien species. Skill in field mapping using GPS, reading contour maps and compass. Knowledge of pesticide application techniques. Familiar with helicopter use and safety.

Inquiries: Matt Burt 655-9189 (Oahu).
APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS: The preferred method of applying for a job is through our on-line application process. Please go to www.rcuh.com, click on "Employment" and navigate to "Job Announcements/Apply for a Job." However, if you do not have access to the Internet, you may apply by submitting resume; cover letter including Recruitment ID#, referral source, narrative of your qualifications for position and salary history; names, phone numbers and addresses of three supervisory references and copy of degree(s)/transcripts/certificate(s) to qualify for position by fax (808) 956-5022, mail, or hand-deliver to: Director of Human Resources, Research Corporation of the University of Hawaii, 2530 Dole Street, Sakamaki Hall D-100, Honolulu, HI 96822 before the closing date. Online applications and faxed documents must be submitted/received by the closing date (11:59 P.M. Hawaii Standard Time/RCUH receipt time). Mailed documents must be postmarked by the closing date. Hand-delivered documents must be received by our HR office by 4 P.M. Hawaii Standard Time/RCUH receipt time. If you have questions on the application process and/or need assistance, please call (808)956-3100.

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Please apply before: 10/06/2010