



Job Announcement

Seasonal Natural Resources Technician - Soils (April-Sept. 2018)

Introduction

The Fairbanks Soil & Water Conservation District (FSWCD) is an outreach and technical assistance organization whose mission is to serve its cooperators, private landowners, and all citizens of the district by promoting wise development and conservation of natural resources. The person who is selected for this position will be required to complete various technical projects for FSWCD and will be responsible for assisting with an annual Tree and Shrub Sale, the soil testing program, two agriculture/entomology research projects, public outreach, and other duties as assigned.

Duties and Responsibilities

1. Assist with organization and management of an annual Tree and Shrub Sale, including data entry, customer service, display creation, and other duties.
2. Soil sampling for landowners (farms, gardens, lawns); analyze soil test results
3. Delineate research plots, create maps, collect soil quality data, and other work for research projects
4. Outreach and teaching educational lessons as required (such as the IABA home show or lessons for the Habitat Youth Corps)
5. Assist with riparian restoration projects, such as streambank stabilization and revegetation
6. Other duties as assigned

Job Requirements

1. Background in natural resource fields, especially agriculture, soils and entomology.
2. Degree or course work in Natural Resources Management
3. Ability to communicate well orally and in writing
4. Computer literate, especially Microsoft Office
5. Self-starter! Ability to work independently and as a team player
6. Applicants MUST possess a valid Alaska driver's license and be able to pass a federal background check

Wages and Benefits

This position will be from 25-40 hrs./week from April - September 2018. The rate of pay will be \$15-17/hr. DOE.

Apply by March 16th, 2018

Cover letter, resume, and 3 references may be emailed to fairbanksswcd@gmail.com or hand-delivered to 590 University Avenue, Suite 2, Fairbanks Alaska 99709