



Seasonal Natural Resources Technician

Preservation Parks of Delaware County is currently seeking a temporary Seasonal Natural Resources Technician position for summer 2012. Hours may vary but are typically Monday-Friday from 7:00 am to 3:30 pm. This position is an excellent opportunity for a candidate in a Natural Resources program to gain valuable work experience.

The position will assist with the continued implementation of our resource management program while maintaining a diverse habitat within the Park District. At Preservation Parks visitors can see meadows, prairies, wetlands, virtually untouched wood lots, ravine systems, waterways, and the remains of glaciers.

The Seasonal Natural Resources Technician will assist with a variety of land management projects such as controlled succession and burns, wetland restoration and management, herbicide application, prairie restoration and alien vegetation control. He or she will: clean and maintain equipment and facilities; mow specific areas; construct nesting boxes and interpretive signs; and assist with seed picking, planting, and management of restored prairies. In addition he or she might work at park events and programs, on special improvement projects and with the documentation of plant and animal species.

Required qualifications are: secondary education or experience with natural resources, ecology, or other natural sciences with a general understanding of natural resources and the environment; ability to operate hand, power tools, and mowing equipment; ability to work without supervision; and a valid driver's license and evidence of satisfactory driving record for insurability.

Positions are open until filled. Interested applicants should send a cover letter and resume to careers@preservationparks.com or you may contact Jason Nahvi at 740-524-8600 ext. 7 for further questions.