



LAKE COUNTY FOREST PRESERVES EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

CURRENTLY RECRUITING

Ecological Technician

Temporary Position (October through February)

Location: Libertyville, IL

Hourly Rate: \$11.00 – \$14.00

Application deadline: Open Until Filled

SUMMARY

The Ecological Technician assists with the District's Ecological Monitoring, Management and Conservation Programs. Assists with the collection of ecological data including monitoring of plants, plant communities, vertebrates, invertebrates, fish, mussels and fauna communities, including endangered and threatened species. Assists with cover-board, camera and live trap surveys of fish, mammals, amphibians, and reptiles, including construction, setting, baiting, checking, cleaning and repairing traps and other equipment. Identifies, sorts and labels ecological images collected during surveys and species monitoring program. Drives a motorized vehicle to travel to different locations. Performs tasks that will require walking, bending, stooping, standing, kneeling, climbing, reaching and sitting. Performs lifting tasks up to 50 pounds.

EXPERIENCE

Two years college level course work in ecology, biology, natural resources, environmental studies or related field. Familiarity with handling techniques for regional vertebrate species. Basic knowledge of occupational hazards and safety precautions pertaining to field work. Must possess valid driver's license.

HOW TO APPLY AND APPLICATION DEADLINES

Interest in Forest Preserve employment can only be expressed by submitting a Forest Preserve Employment Application. Applications are accepted online at www.LCFPD.org. Applications are accepted only for posted positions.

ABOUT LAKE COUNTY FOREST PRESERVES

As principal guardian of Lake County's open space and natural areas since 1958, we manage more than 30,800 acres of land and offer innovative educational, recreational and cultural opportunities for all people. Visitors of all ages can enjoy over 205 miles of trail for a variety of outdoor recreation uses, ponds and lakes for fishing, public golf courses, historical and cultural venues, public access to the Fox River and Lake Michigan and award-winning nature and history education programs and events.

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