



# OUTREACH NOTICE OUTREACH NOTICE



USDA FOREST SERVICE  
INTERMOUNTAIN REGION, R4  
HUMBOLDT-TOIYABE NATIONAL FOREST

## ***Supervisor's Office***

### **Engineering Equipment Operator WG-5716-08**

We are looking for individuals who are interested in coming to the Supervisor's Office on the Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest for several temporary, seasonal Engineering Equipment Operator positions on the Road Crew in Sparks, Nevada.

The Engineering Equipment Operator position operates engineering equipment on a Forest unit in support of road systems and other program areas. CDL 'B' is required, CDL 'A' is preferred, and is subject to random drug testing. Operates engineering and construction equipment, such as graders, tractors with bulldozer or angledozer blades, front-end loaders, backhoes, trench diggers, and large industrial tractors, on all types of terrains, close to buildings, trees, dropoffs, rocks, or other obstructions and obstacles. Excavates, backfills, grades, or levels earth to rough specifications on all types of terrain. Moves earth on mountains and steep slopes, graded curves and shoulders, rocky or soft ground, hilly forests, and other similar rough features to grade the earth to the general contour desired on trails, roads, canals, tunnels, or construction sites. Performs rough grading as well as fine surfacing on flat or rolling terrain.

This position requires extensive traveling, with approximately 90% of the work being performed out of town. The road crew typically works a modified schedule of eight days on and six days off, with a day consisting of ten hours. Flexibility is essential, including the ability to work overtime when needed, as well as the ability to respond on short notice to emergency road needs caused by weather events. Ability to follow directions as related road maintenance and construction is required. Flexibility to adapt to changing work priorities and conditions is also necessary. Good communication skills to convey work accomplishments and details to supervisor is essential.

This position is a temporary seasonal position, not working more than 1,039 regular hours. The successful candidate will have the option of competing for the same or a similar position in subsequent years depending on availability. A drug screening will be required prior to beginning employment. The approximate time frame of employment is May 2016 to October/November 2016.

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## About the Location

The Forest Supervisors Office for the Humboldt Toiyabe NF is located in Sparks, NV. The City of Sparks is located just east of Reno, NV, at the base of the Sierra Nevada mountain range. The world renowned Lake Tahoe is less than a one hour drive away. Sparks is in a high desert climate at an elevation of nearly 4,500 feet with four seasons and sunshine 80 percent of the year. It is the fifth largest city in Nevada with a population of 92,331 (2010). [Reno/Tahoe International Airport](#), five minutes away, serves Sparks.

Sparks is known as the premiere special events venue for all of northern Nevada, a place where there is always something happening - with attractions on our Victorian Square which bring hundreds of thousands of visitors to such annual events as the [Hot August Nights](#), [Best in the West Nugget Rib Cook-off](#), and [Sparks Hometowne Christmas](#). The city's newest destination includes the [Legends at Sparks Marina](#), a premiere shopping and dining experience.

Sparks is filled with more than 50 beautiful parks along with countless recreation programs. The City's landmark gem includes the unique Sparks Marina. The Marina consists of eighty acres of water surrounded by swimming, boating, fishing, scuba diving and picnicking facilities, with breath-taking views of the nearby mountains. Events are always happening at the Marina such as the [Scheels Turkey Trot](#) held annually on Thanksgiving Day.

[Golden Eagle Sports Complex](#) featuring 1.4 million square feet of artificial turf, hosts hundreds of softball tournaments and sporting events annually. And [Rock Park](#) offers an exciting whitewater attraction geared for family fun with pools for kayaking, tubing and rafting for all abilities in a wonderful setting. The list of fun and exciting things to do in Sparks is growing.

Sparks is part of the beautiful Truckee Meadows and is surrounded by picturesque foothills. Whether walking, running, or biking, there are plentiful opportunities to experience the great outdoors year round. And don't forget that the City's rich history can be experienced at the [Sparks Heritage Museum](#).

## **Outreach Response**

Interested applicants, or those desiring further information, can contact Troy Jorgenson, Civil Engineer at 775-352-1260 or via email at [tjorgenson@fs.fed.us](mailto:tjorgenson@fs.fed.us) or Peter Fleischmann, Assistant Forest Engineer at 775-352-1272 or via email at [pfleischmann@fs.fed.us](mailto:pfleischmann@fs.fed.us).

***Interested applicants should apply through USAJobs to announcement  
#16TEMPR04HTNFSPARKS57168EEO***

***The announcement will run from January 16, 2016 to January 25, 2016. You must have your application complete in USAJOBS by January 25, 2016 to be considered. You must meet all qualification requirements by January 25, 2016 to be considered.***

# OUTREACH RESPONSE FORM

ENGINEERING EQUIPMENT OPERATOR WG-5716-08  
(Seasonal Fulltime)



## HUMBOLDT-TOIYABE NATIONAL FOREST

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

AGENCY EMPLOYED WITH:  {USFS  {BLM \_\_\_\_\_ {OTHER

TYPE OF APPOINTMENT:  {PERMANENT  {TEMPORARY  {TERM  
 {VRA  {PWD \_\_\_\_\_ {OTHER

CURRENT:  {REGION \_\_\_\_\_ {FOREST  
\_\_\_\_\_ {DISTRICT

CURRENT: \_\_\_\_\_ {SERIES \_\_\_\_\_ {GRADE

CURRENT: \_\_\_\_\_ {POSITION TITLE

HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT THIS OUTREACH NOTICE?

IF NOT \_\_\_\_\_

A CURRENT PERMANENT (CAREER OR CAREER CONDITIONAL) EMPLOYEE

ARE YOU ELIGIBLE TO BE HIRED UNDER ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL AUTHORITIES:

- PERSON WITH DISABILITIES
- VETERANS READJUSTMENT
- DISABLED VETERANS W/30% COMPENSABLE DISABILITY
- VETERANS EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES ACT OF 1998
- FORMER PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEER
- STUDENT CAREER EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

Thank you for your interest in our Vacancy!