

# The Olympic Peninsula awaits you...

## Join us on the Hood Canal!

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The Hood Canal Ranger District on the Olympic National Forest is outreaching to fill two Volunteer Campground Host positions. These positions are for the busy **Seal Rock Campground** and the newly renovated and expanded **Big Creek Campground**. These positions are ideal for those who enjoy meeting new people and helping visitors experience and enjoy the National Forest.

### **Seal Rock Campground**

Seal Rock Campground is located approximately ½ mile north of Brinnon, WA on US Highway 101. Seal Rock Campground is located on the shores of the Hood Canal, famous for its shrimp, oysters, clams, and Dungeness crab. This busy campground has 40 sites which can accommodate both RV and tent camping. This unique campground offers a saltwater to mountains experience.

The host is responsible for the campground and the associated day use area. The host site has water, septic, and electrical hook-ups. The host site and propane will be provided as part of the volunteer agreement. The typical season at Seal Rock Campground runs from late April through mid-September.

### **Big Creek Campground**

Big Creek Campground is located approximately 10 miles from Hoodspport, WA near the beautiful Lake Cushman. Big Creek Campground was recently renovated and expanded and 2016 will be the grand re-opening. With 60 camping sites, accommodating both tent and RVs, and the associated day use area, the Big Creek Campground Host would ideally be a couple or pair. The Lake Cushman area is one of the most popular areas on the Hood Canal Ranger District with a diverse array of recreational opportunities.

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### **Host Responsibilities**

The host will be expected to perform the daily cleaning and minor maintenance of campground facilities. The host will be provided with all of the necessary cleaning and maintenance equipment. Hosts are expected to keep accurate campground logs and follow the established safety protocols. Hosts are expected to be on site 5 days a week, with scheduled days off being Wednesday and Thursday.

The ideal host will have the ability to do physical work for short durations. They will be able to walk on uneven ground, bend frequently, and lift up to 15 pounds. The ideal host will engage



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with the public in a friendly, safe, and service-first manner. We are looking for someone who is interested in living on site at least 5 days a week and who is able to commit to the full season of work.

To express interest or for more information, please contact Nicole LaGioia, Recreation Specialist, at (360) 765-2213.



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