



Fishlake National Forest Beaver Ranger District



Seasonal Fire Positions and Announcement Numbers

GS-5 Forestry Technician Engine 17-TEMPF-R4-462-5FEO-DT
Apply 01/03/2017 thru 01/09/2017

GS-5 Forestry Technician Hotshot/handcrew 17-TEMPF-R4-462-5HSHC-DT
Apply 01/04/2017 thru 01/09/2017

GS-4 Forestry Technician 17-TEMPF-R4-0462-4FIRE-DT
Apply 01/06/2017 thru 01/10/2017

GS-3 Forestry Aid Fire 17-TEMPF-R4-0462-3FIRE-DT
Apply 01/20/2017 thru 01/24/2017

To apply for these jobs you must submit an application through USAJOBS at <http://www.usajobs.gov>.

The wildland fire program on the Beaver Ranger District has up to 8 seasonal vacancies for the 2017 fire season. These positions are crew members on one wildland engine and a wildland fire module located in Beaver, Utah. Government housing is available.

Engine Crews are used for initial attack, extended attack, suppression of small or large fires, support of prescribed fires, patrolling, and providing structure protection. These crews work with specialized firefighting equipment and perform many strenuous activities such as – mobile attack with engines, hose lay, construction of fireline with various hand tools, burnout operations, and mopping up hotspots.

Tushar Mountain Wildfire Module is primarily an initial attack resource for the forest with the full complement of WFM knowledge, skills and abilities to be able to assist in management and planning of longer duration wildland and prescribed fires.

Wildland firefighting can be strenuous and dangerous work. If selected, you will be required to pass a medical evaluation and a physical fitness test called the Work Capacity Test; for more information go to http://www.fs.fed.us/fire/safety/wct/2002/brochure_2002.pdf. You must be at least 18 years old at the time of hire to be considered.

These jobs will provide many training opportunities. The work is performed in forest and desert environments where the terrain may be steep, uneven, rocky, and covered with thick and tangled vegetation. Temperatures commonly exceed 100 degrees F and fall below freezing. Rain, snow, wind or dust may be encountered. The vacant positions may be filled as a GS-3 Forestry Aid, GS-4 or GS-5 Forestry Technician. Start date for the positions would be mid May 2017, and would go through September 2017.

Interested individuals should contact: Clay Matheson at (435) 896-1613, Shane Benson at (435)-896-1626, or Nick Schenck at (435) 896-1660