



**Outreach Notice – Supervisory Forestry Technician (Fire)
Job Corps Forest Assistant Fire Management Officer
(JCFAFMO).**



The Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest (B-D NF) and the Anaconda Job Corps Civilian Conservation Center (AJCCCC) is recruiting for a **Supervisory Forestry Technician (Fire) Job Corps Forest Assistant Fire Management Officer (JCFAFMO)**. This position is advertised as a GS-0462-08/09. Duty Station will be the Anaconda Job Corp Civilian Conservation Center located in Anaconda, MT. Direct supervisor for the position would be the Forest FMO on the Beaverhead-Deerlodge NF. The selected individual will be expected to work directly with Anaconda Job Corp Center staff and students as well as forest program managers and other forest personnel from the Beaverhead-Deerlodge NF. This position is an FS-FPM position and must meet the IQCS minimum core and secondary requirements to be considered. The core requirement is Crew Boss and the secondary requirement is Incident Commander Type 4. Refer to the Forest Service FS-FPM Standard Position Description Crosswalk for a full description of the minimum qualification standards. <http://www.fs.fed.us/fire/management/ifpm/crosswalk.pdf>

The purpose of this Outreach Notice is to inform interested candidates in applying for the position to submit the Outreach Notice Form (attached) no later than November 1, 2014.

The announcement for this position will be available by December 1, 2014 or sooner.

This is a single vacancy announcement.

JOB DUTIES:

Duties:

- Promote AJCCCC as a partner with the B-D NF in completing the Forest Service mission.
- Be proactive in creating a learning environment for the students and provide opportunities for exposure to land management.
- Perform as liaison between AJCCCC and B-D NF in relation to project work which meets the Forest Service mission to be accomplished by students. This may include trail work, fuels reduction, burn line preparation, sign building/painting, facility maintenance, welding, masonry, etc. Plan and direct projects to be accomplished by students and prepare schedules for completion of work.
- Provide technical guidance to the AJCCCC fire program. Coordinate training, certification, and physical fitness for the students as well as maintain students and staff from AJCCCC within the IQCS Program.
- Coordinate the use and maintenance of the fire cache, office space, and work space for the program at AJCCCC.
- Cooperate with AJCCCC and B-D NF Fire Management to develop students who will function as initial attack firefighters on B-D NF IA Modules, Engines and / or Type 2 IA Crews.
- Coordinate with AJCCCC and B-D NF Fire Management to mobilize the AJCCCC Camp Crews and Kitchen Crews per the SOP for national, regional, and local incidents. Coordinate roster, logistics, vehicles, equipment, and supplies required for the assignment(s).

We are looking for an individual who has:

- Proven coordination, cooperation, and interpersonal skills to further promote the partnership of the AJCCCC and the B-D NF.
- Skills to educate, inspire, and motivate students to safely work in the outdoors and fire management.
- Organizational skill to perform and direct the accomplishment of multiple projects working between the B-D NF and AJCCCC.
- Knowledge and understanding of fire policy and procedures.
- The qualification of CRWB AND ICT4. Currency is required for both qualifications.

Contact:

If you have questions about the position feel free to contact me via email or phone.

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ABOUT THE FOREST:

The Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest at 3.3 million acres is the largest forest in Region 1. Located in Southwest Montana and straddling the Continental Divide, the Beaverhead-Deerlodge contains a variety of habitats, ranging from timbered mountains and jagged granite peaks, to open, rolling sagebrush expanses. There are five Ranger Districts with a diverse and challenging work program that focuses primarily on range management, recreation opportunities, timber harvest and mineral extraction. Southwest Montana and the Beaverhead-Deerlodge Forest are known for outstanding elk hunting and blue ribbon trout streams. Check the Forest web site at: www.fs.usda.gov/bdnf

Recreational pursuits include hunting, especially for elk, but also for bighorn sheep, mountain goats, moose, pronghorn antelope, whitetail deer, and mule deer. Southwest Montana boasts world-renowned trout streams, including the Beaverhead, Big Hole, Rock Creek and Madison Rivers. Many campgrounds and lakes dot the mountains, offering camping opportunities. Ice fishing is a popular winter activity. In February, the Beaverhead Search & Rescue sponsors its annual ice fishing derby at Clark Canyon Reservoir where a couple thousand participants vie to catch the biggest fish. The Anaconda-Pintler Wilderness lies in the northwestern corner of the forest, and many areas in the Beaverhead-Deerlodge Forest, though lacking official wilderness designation, provide a rugged wilderness experience. Off-road vehicle travel and horseback riding opportunities abound on the many trails and routes on public lands.

ABOUT COMMUNITIES:

Anaconda:

Anaconda Job Corps is located approximately 7 miles west from downtown Anaconda. Easy access off of I-90 the major freeway running east and west will put you on Montana Highway 1 towards the center. For more information, visit: <http://www.anacondamt.org/>.

The Center

Anaconda Job Corps Center houses 236 co-ed students in a 7-day a week, 24-hour a day residential program. The Center trains young people from the ages of 16-24 in vocational skills, educational goals and social development. The Center offers eight vocational trades, high school diploma, GEDs, transfers to advanced training, college and Armed Forces. The Center has a superior recreational program for the students. The Center functions similar to a small community college campus with dormitory living.

Philipsburg: The community of Philipsburg is located in Granite County, on Montana Highway No. 1. The population of Philipsburg is 920, and the population of Granite County is 2,700. It lies in the beautiful Flint Creek Valley of Southwestern Montana at 5,280 feet (one mile high). The Flint Creek Range, Anaconda-Pintler Range, Sapphire Range, and the John Long Mountains surround Philipsburg. These mountain areas provide numerous summer and winter sport activities; including Discovery Ski Area and Georgetown Lake. The community has a hospital, a museum, an opera house and the public school system is K-12. There are gas stations, a grocery store, and several options for lodging and food services, as well as a local brewery. For more information about Philipsburg, you can visit the following website: <http://www.philipsburgmt.com>

Butte: The population of Butte is approximately 34,000. The elevation of Butte is 5,280. The summer daytime temperatures are around 60-90 degrees, averaging 68 during the day and 45-50 in the evenings. The daytime winter temperatures average 20-25 degrees, however, it still can go well below zero. The housing market has plenty to offer although rentals are limited. Rental rates for an average 1-bedroom apartment range from \$300 to \$500/month. A three-bedroom rental ranges from \$700 – \$1,100/month. Purchase price for a 3-bedroom home averages from \$125,000 and up. Butte has a public K-12 school system, as well as two privately run religious schools (one Catholic, one non-denominational Christian). Montana Tech offers degrees in many areas with national recognition in the engineering practicums. St. James Healthcare offers all medical services to the community. Medical clinics, outpatient surgical centers, and immediate medical care clinics are located throughout the medical district. Dentists, orthodontists, and other specialty services are available in the medical sector. Butte has 6-8 full time professional day care facilities in the city, including two day care facilities for infants. There is a shopping mall and many specialty shops throughout Butte. There are several museums, art galleries, and antique shops located in Historic Uptown Butte.

Wise River: Wise River is a small community, located along the beautiful Big Hole River, in Beaverhead County, Montana. Wise River is situated approximately 40 miles southwest of Butte, 35 miles southeast of Anaconda, and 50 miles northwest of Dillon, on State highway 43 between Divide and Wisdom. The area is settled with ranches, with some logging and a small amount of mining. Wise River serves as seasonal headquarters for hunting and fishing in the Big Hole Valley. Big game animals, such as elk, mule deer, moose, and black bear are common to the area. Grouse are found in the wooded areas and sage hen are common on lower open hillsides. Mountain goats can be found on many of the high craggy peaks surrounding Wise River. Winter usually greets the area by Thanksgiving, with periodic cold spells dipping at times to forty degrees below zero. Winter recreation abounds, with several areas developed for both downhill and cross country skiing, as well as snowmobiling, all easily accessible within a 50-100 mile radius. The town of Wise River is comprised of a general store, post office, one church, one cafe/bar, and one motel. The local school accommodates children from kindergarten through eighth grade, with two teachers. High school students generally attend school in either Butte or Dillon, riding the bus from Divide to Butte or from Melrose to Dillon.



OUTREACH NOTICE RESPONSE FORM
Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest

Position Title/Series/Grade: _____

Location: _____

Personal Information

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Address: _____

Lotus E-Mail Address: _____

OR

Internet E-Mail Address: _____

Phone: Office _____
Cell: _____

Current Title/Series/Grade: _____

Highest Position Held: _____

Title/Series/Grade: _____

Location: _____

Are you currently a Federal Employee? Yes: _____ No: _____

IF YES:

Type of Appoint you are currently under: _____
(e.g., Career, Career-Conditional, Excepted)

Current Agency and location: _____

IF NO:

Are you currently a temporary employee? Yes: _____ No: _____

Briefly describe why you will be a quality candidate for this position: *