



Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest Outreach Notice for Seasonal Fire Positions 2015



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

For general information call the Humboldt-Toiyabe N.F. (775) 331-6444 FAX (775) 355-5399

The Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest is currently advertising for temporary (NTE 1039hrs) Fire Engine, Hotshot, Helitack and Dispatch positions for the 2015 fire season. Openings may be available at the GS-03, GS-04, and GS-05 grade levels, with temporary duty locations possibly located in **Las Vegas, Minden, Carson City, Reno, Austin, Ely and Elko Nevada; and in Bridgeport, Topaz and Markleeville California** depending on staffing needs and budgets. These are temporary wildland fire positions, with a three to six month tour of duty. Our earliest anticipated start date is late April or early May 2015, and we expect to operate until late September or early October.

These positions will be advertised under a Regional specific announcement that can be found at www.usajobs.gov

**** Please refer to the Vacancy Announcement numbers and apply within dates shown in order to be considered for these positions. ****

Only apply to the Duty Locations you are interested in.

Positions Available

Position	Grade	Series	<i>USAJOBS</i> Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Engine and Hotshot Crew (Forestry Aid - Fire Suppression)	GS-3	0462	15-TEMP-R40462-3-FS-DT-PM Jan 21st – Jan 27th, 2015
Duty Station Locations Available	Reno, Carson City, Minden, Austin, Ely, Elko, Las Vegas NV and Topaz, Bridgeport, Markleeville CA		
Position	Grade	Series	<i>USAJOBS</i> Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Hotshot Crew (Forestry Technician - Hotshot Crewmember)	GS-4	0462	15-TEMP-R40462-4-HS-DT-PM Jan. 14th – Jan 20th, 2015
Duty Station Locations Available	Carson City, NV		
Position	Grade	Series	<i>USAJOBS</i> Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Helicopter Crew Member (Forestry Technician Helitack)	GS-4	0462	15-TEMP-R40462-4-HTK-DT-PM Dec. 11th-Dec. 17th, 2014
Duty Station Locations Available	Bridgeport, CA and Las Vegas, NV		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Firefighter on an Engine (Forestry Technician Engine)	GS-4	0462	15-TEMP-R40462-4-FS-DT-PM Jan. 21st – Jan. 27th, 2015
Duty Station Locations Available	Reno, Minden, Austin, Ely, Elko, Las Vegas NV and Topaz, Markleeville, and Bridgeport CA		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Firefighter on an Handcrew (Forestry Technician Handcrew)	GS-4	0462	15-TEMP-R40462-4-FS-DT-PM Jan. 21st – Jan. 27th, 2015
Duty Station Locations Available	Ely, NV		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Firefighter on an Engine (Forestry Technician Engine)	GS-5	0462	15-TEMP-R40462-5-FEO-DT-PMA Jan. 21st – Jan. 27th, 2015
Duty Station Locations Available	Las Vegas, Ely, Austin NV and Topaz, Bridgeport, Markleeville CA		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Logistics Dispatcher (Automotive Equipment Dispatcher)	GS-4	2151	*TBD* Jan. 20th – Jan. 26th, 2015
Duty Station Locations Available	Ely and Las Vegas NV		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Logistics Dispatcher (Automotive Equipment Dispatcher)	GS-5	2151	15-TEMP-R42151-5-AUTO-DT-MC Jan. 20th – Jan. 26th, 2015
Duty Station Locations Available	Las Vegas NV		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Fire Prevention Technician (Forestry Technician Prevention)	GS-5	0462	15-TEMP-R40462-5-PREV-DT-MC Jan. 9th – Jan.15th, 2015
Duty Station Locations Available	Austin, NV		

Additional Information:

1. ONLY on-line applications are accepted through www.usajobs.gov
2. New applicants must create a new profile within www.usajobs.gov
3. Be sure to indicate the correct duty station(s) of the location(s) of where you wish to be considered.
4. **If interested in any of the positions, it is highly recommended to contact the supervisors listed to receive information about the positions and announcement numbers when they become available.**
5. The Forest is anticipating requesting a list of applicants as early as February 2015.

VACANT POSITIONS CONTACTS:

Spring Mountain National Recreation Area, Las Vegas Nevada

Ron Bollier, Fire Mgt. Officer.	Phone (702) 515-5422	e-mail: rbollier@fs.fed.us
Brent VanGundy, Asst. Fire Mgt.	Phone (702) 515-5406	e-mail: bvangundy@fs.fed.us
Mark Redfox, Fire Ops. Specialist	Phone (702)515-5426	e-mail: mredfox@fs.fed.us

Bridgeport Ranger District, Bridgeport and Topaz, California

David Easton, Fire Mgt. Officer	Phone (760) 932-5804	e-mail: deaston@fs.fed.us
Stacy Saucedo, Asst. Fire Mgt. Officer	Phone (760)932-5802	e-mail: ssaucedo@fs.fed.us
Mark Ingram, Helicopter Manager	Phone (760) 932-7259	e-mail: mingram@fs.fed.us

Carson Ranger District, Carson City, Reno, Minden, Nevada, and Markleeville California

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Charlie Dobson, Asst. Fire Mgt. Officer	Phone (530) 694-2142	e-mail: cdobson@fs.fed.us
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Brad Sawyer, Fire Ops Specialist	Phone (775) 787-3224	e-mail: bradssawyer@fs.fed.us
Matt Hoggard, Hotshot Supt.	Phone (775) 884-8107	e-mail: mhoggard@fs.fed.us
Matt Gill, Hotshot Asst. Supt.(acting)	Phone (775) 884-8106	e-mail: mgill@fs.fed.us

North-East Zone (Mtn. City& Jarbidge/Ruby Mtns.Ranger Districts) Elko, Nevada

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Sean Basso, Engine Captain	Phone (775) 778-6116	e-mail: sbasso@fs.fed.us
Doug Clark, Dispatcher	Phone (775) 748-4000	e-mail: dougclark@fs.fed.us

Central Zone (Ely& Austin/Tonopah Ranger Districts) Ely and Austin, Nevada

Bill Panagopoulos, Fire Mgt. Officer	Phone (775) 289-5131	e-mail: wgpanagopoulos@fs.fed.us
Flavio Gallegos, Asst. Fire Mgt. Officer	Phone (775) 964-2671	e-mail: fgallegos@fs.fed.us

***Housing MAY be available at some of the forest duty stations, but not all.....make sure to ask the contact above what the housing situation looks like on their district.

If you are having difficulty applying for the position through the USAJOBS, you may also contact:

ASC_HCM_Contact_Center@FS.FED.US or **Albuquerque Service Center-Human Capital Management at 877-372-7248**

All applications must be processed through www.usajobs.gov , an online application service used by the USDA Forest Service.

WORK CAPACITY TEST (WCT) for Wildland Firefighters: These positions participate in wildland firefighting activities. Based on the type of work performed, TAKING and PASSING the WCT at the ARDUOUS level is a "condition of employment." The Arduous fitness (Pack) test consists of a three (3) mile hike, within forty-five (45) minutes, while carrying a forty-five (45) pound pack. You are strongly encouraged to consult with your physician and begin training immediately if you are applying for these positions. This announcement constitutes the required 30 days advanced notice for testing requirements.

About the Forest

At over 6.3 million acres, the Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest is the largest National Forest in the contiguous United States. The Forest spans the state of Nevada, and includes one million acres of land in eastern California, along the eastern Sierra Front. The Forest consists of four distinct geographic areas: the Sierra Nevada, Central Nevada, Northeastern Nevada, and the Spring Mountains (Las Vegas).

How to Apply

Through the announcement (when available) you may be instructed to electronically attach additional information (e.g.; resume, DD-214, SF-50, training documentation/certificates, college transcripts, etc.)

The applicant must select the desired “Duty Location City” in order to be considered.

Announcements for these positions are on the USAJOBS website. These web-based applications provide individuals interested in employment opportunities with the Forest Service to apply for jobs. You must log into USAJOBS to create an account and an applicant profile. www.usajobs.gov.

For step by step details on how to apply:

http://fsweb.asc.fs.fed.us/HRM/eRecruit/documents/FS_CM_HowtoApplyforaJob.pdf

Additional links:

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/htnf/about-forest/offices>

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/htnf/about-forest/jobs>

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