



***US Forest Service
Ouray & Norwood
Ranger Districts
Uncompahgre N.F.***
OUTREACH



The Ouray and Norwood Ranger Districts of the Grand Mesa, Uncompahgre, and Gunnison National Forests in Montrose, Colorado are looking for enthusiastic, self-motivated, outdoor-oriented people to work on a west zone timber crew. The physical setting is stunning and the work is diverse and challenging, and includes timber marking, forest inventory, insect and disease surveys, and reforestation.



Autumn on Dallas Divide, Ouray Ranger District. 14,150-foot Mt. Sneffels (center) is an easy day-climb.



Crew members pose during lunch break near Telluride where they were conducting bark beetle surveys.

The crew will be based out of Montrose. Montrose is a full-service southwestern Colorado community of about 19,000 people. More information can be found at this website www.cityofmontrose.org. For more information about the Grand Mesa, Uncompahgre and Gunnison National Forests, visit this website <http://www.fs.usda.gov/gmug>.

Work Schedule/Period of Employment: Employment will begin in early June and the crew will typically work 4, 10-hour days per week. Non-students will typically work through the first part of November.

Salary/Benefits: Wages range from \$11.95 - \$16.73 per hour based on education and experience. Employees are paid bi-weekly and earn 4 hours of sick leave and 4 hours of annual leave each pay period. Any federal holidays during employment will also be paid.

Housing: Government housing is available and costs approximately \$4.85 per day. The crew will occasionally be expected to camp out or stay at guard stations in remote locations.

HOW TO APPLY

These positions are being filled through an open, continuous, on-line application process. Interested individuals are encouraged to apply as soon as possible, but **NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 22nd**. The application process can take some time, so please plan accordingly to provide a complete application.

Applicants can go to www.usajobs.gov and enter the announcement number (listed below) under **Search Jobs** then click **Search**. Click on the **Position Title link** and an **Apply Online** button will become available for creating a profile and applying to the job. **Be sure to specify Montrose, Colorado as the duty location. These positions are now posted.**

Announcement No. Position Title, Series, Grade

TEMPOCR-0462-03-GEN-DT Forestry Aid (General), GS-0462-3

TEMPOCR-0462-04-TSP-DT Forestry Technician (Timber Sale Prep), GS-0462-4

TEMPOCR-0462-5-TSP-DT Forestry Technician (Timber Sale Prep), GS-0462-5

TEMPOCR-0462-6-LDTSP-DT Lead Forestry Technician (Timber Sale Prep), GS-0462-6

If you want to apply to more than one place or grade you will need to apply to each announcement and place listed.



Glacial basin at the upper blue lake of the Blue Lakes Trail.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

If you have questions or need more information, contact Monica Ruiz-Diaz at (970)240-5406 or via email at mruidiaz@fs.fed.us .