



# USDA Forest Service

Canyon Lakes Ranger District, Fort Collins, Colorado

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## 2013 Range & Weeds Crew Outreach

**Positions:** We are planning to fill three to four positions on the range and weed crew in 2013. 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 15, 2013**

Announcement Number	Duty Station	Pay Grade	Job Title
TEMPOCR-0455-03-RANGE-DT	Fort Collins, CO	GS-3	Range Technician
TEMPOCR-0455-4-RANGE-DT	Fort Collins, CO	GS-4	Range Technician
TEMPOCR-0455-5-RANGE-DT	Fort Collins, CO	GS-5	Range Technician
TEMPOCR-0404-03-GEN-DT	Fort Collins, CO	GS-3	Biological Science Aid
TEMPOCR-0404-4-PLANTS-DT	Fort Collins, CO	GS-4	Biological Science Technician (Plants)
TEMPOCR-0404-5-PLANTS-DT	Fort Collins, CO	GS-5	Biological Science Technician (Plants)

**Work Schedule:** Employment is expected to last from mid-May through mid-August (as available or needed, dates are negotiable). Work schedule is full time: 4, 10-hour days (Monday-Thursday). Housing in Fort Collins may be available and costs are approximately \$4.85 per day.

**Salary/Benefits:** Earn \$12.82-16.10 per hour. Employees will earn 4 hours of sick leave and 4 hours of annual leave every two weeks (per pay period). He/she will be compensated for Federal holidays that fall during regularly scheduled work days.

**Duties:** The range/weed crew is primarily field oriented, but is expected to be responsible for a variety of duties over the course of employment. Duties will range from grazing allotment inspections and range monitoring to noxious weed treatment and inventory surveys. Specific projects may involve fixing or building fences, working with partners or permittees, or staying overnight at remote locations. This work requires technical ability in plant identification and using herbicide application equipment. Training will be provided. The work may be arduous due to rough terrain and adverse weather conditions. Employees must have a valid driver's license, be able to operate a standard transmission vehicle, and be able to hike up to five miles with a 25-30 lb pack.

**How to Apply:** Applicants can go to [www.usajobs.gov](http://www.usajobs.gov) and enter the announcement numbers (listed above) under **What:** 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 select Fort Collins, CO as the duty location. If you want to apply to more than one place or grade you will need to apply to each announcement and place listed.



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