OUTREACH ANNOUNCEMENT

Region 4
Salmon Challis NF
Lost River Ranger District
Customer Service Representative

GS-303-04 PPT

Reply Due: July 31, 2013

The Lost River Ranger District is looking for an energetic and motivated individual who is interested in working part time as a Customer Service Representative. Outreach responses will be used to determine how the job will be advertised.

The successful candidate will be responsible for public information services including answering telephones, providing information and greeting public, partners and permittees. The incumbent will be responsible for keeping apprised of the organization's rules, regulations, travel plan and Agency-wide directives and procedures.

With over-counter sales, the employee will serve as a Collection Officer selling maps, recreation passes, over-counter forest product permits and interpretive supplies. They will maintain a large supply of maps, fuelwood tags, recreation passes, handouts and other publications. The incumbent will support business management in overall standard clerical operations such as data entry, property, purchasing, mail and file duties, copier or duplicating operations and word processing

This is a non-supervisory position. Housing will not be provided.

Salmon-Challis National Forest

The Salmon-Challis National Forest covers over 4.3 million acres in east-central Idaho. The Forest is bordered by the Bitterroot Range on the border with Montana on the east, and to the west includes over 1.3 million acres of the Frank Church--River of No Return Wilderness. There are currently six administrative units on the Forest: Salmon-Cobalt, Challis/Yankee Fork, Lost River, Middle Fork, North Fork and Leadore Ranger Districts.

Rugged and remote, this country offers adventure, solitude and breathtaking scenery. The Forest also contains Mt. Borah, Idaho's tallest peak, the Wild & Scenic Salmon River and the Middle Fork of the Salmon River. The area is a highly desired destination for hunting, fishing, white-water rafting and the many other popular recreational pursuits. The Forest features diverse, rough topography, geologic conditions, and miles of streams with anadromous fish spawning habitat creating a highly complex land management situation. The Forest Office is located in Salmon, Idaho.
http://www.fs.fed.us/r4/sc.

Lost River Ranger District

http://www.fs.fed.us/r4/sc/lostriver/index.shtml

The District encompasses 817,000 acres which includes four mountain ranges, seven of the nine highest mountain peaks in Idaho, three rivers, and over 100 high mountain lakes. Elevation ranges from 5,550 to 12,662 feet with all the diverse ecosystems that occur within that range.

Recreation is an important component of public uses on the District, including hunting, fishing, camping, hiking, horseback riding, ATV and motorcycle trail riding. A large variety of **wildlife and fish** occur on the District - mule deer, elk, moose, wolves, big horn sheep, mountain goats, bull trout, whitefish, rainbow and brook trout.

Permitted uses include **outfitters and guides, grazing, communication sites, education organizations, and fire wood** and **timber products**. The District also has an active **fuels** program and the Forest is one of the highest in number and size of **wildland fires**.

Participation in the community is important whether it be parades, town clean-up, or hiring local kids for summer. This leads to good relationships and partnerships creating a great work and living environment.

Mackay

http://mackayidaho.com/

Mackay sits at an elevation of 5,891 feet and at the last census reported a population of 680. The climate of Mackay ranges from lows of -20°F to highs of +30°F in the winter and from lows of 30°F to highs of 100°F in some areas in the summer. Mackay has a fairly dry climate, typical of high desert bordering alpine areas. The average annual total precipitation is 9.8 inches and average annual snowfall is 33.5 inches.

There is a high school, elementary school, several churches, library, medical clinic, grocery store, lumber store, general store, plus several restaurants, bars and motels. Mackay has a 9-hole golf course, RV park, and campgrounds. Housing is inexpensive and available compared to many communities. It hosts events such as the Mackay rodeo, the A.B.A.T.E. motorcycle rodeo, several golf tournaments, Custer County Fair, Free Mackay Barbeque, RMEF banquet, and the Annual Cowboy Poetry Gathering.

If you are interested in this position or have any questions, please complete the attached "Outreach Form" and submit to:

Diane L. Weaver, District Ranger
Lost River Ranger District
P.O. Box 507, Mackay, ID 83251
dlweaver@fs.fed.us
208-588-3402

OUTREACH NOTICE FORM – Vacancy Announcement Expected Early August

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Salmon-Challis National Forest
Lost River Ranger District
Customer Service Representative

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NAME:_____

E-Mail:_____

MAILING ADDRESS:_____

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TELEPHONE NUMBER:_____

AGENCY EMPLOYED WITH:	USFS	BLM	OTHER
TYPE OF APPOINTMENT:	PERMANENT	TEMPORARY	TERM
	VRA	PWD	OTHER

CURRENT REGION/FOREST/DISTRICT:

CURRENT SERIES AND GRADE:

CURRENT POSITION TITLE:

IF NOT A CURRENT PERMANENT (CAREER OR CAREER CONDITIONAL) EMPLOYEE ARE YOU ELIGIBLE TO BE HIRED UNDER ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL AUTHORITIES:

_____ PERSON WITH DISABILITIES
_____ VETERANS RECRUITMENT ACT
_____ DISABLED VETERANS W/30% COMPENSABLE DISABILITY
_____ VETERANS EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES ACT OF 1998
_____ FORMER PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEER
_____ PATHWAYS
_____ OTHER

Thank you for your interest in our Vacancy!