



Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest Outreach Notice for Seasonal Fire Positions



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 2014 fire season. Openings may be available at the GS-03, GS-04, and GS-05 grade levels, with temporary duty locations 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 2014, and we expect to operate until late September or early October.

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

Positions Available

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement#
Firefighter on an Engine or Hotshot Crew (Forestry Aid - Fire General)	GS-3	0462	
Firefighter on an Engine (Forestry Technician Engine)	GS-4	0462	
Firefighter on an Engine (Forestry Technician Engine)	GS-5	0462	
Helitack Crew Member (Forestry Technician Helitack)	GS-4	0462	**All Announcements will be posted at a later date**
Helitack Crew Member (Forestry Technician Helitack)	GS-5	0462	
Fire Dispatcher (Forestry Technician Dispatch)	GS-4	0462	
Fire Prevention Technician (Forestry Technician Prevention)	GS-5	0462	

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 2014. .

Spring Mountain National Recreation Area, Las Vegas Nevada

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

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

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***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](mailto: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:

www.fs.fed.us/r4/htnf/fire/

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/htnf>