



Lassen National Forest OUTREACH NOTICE PHASE 4, NON-CENTRALIZED HIRING EVENT

This is an permanent, full-time opportunity on the Lassen National Forest being advertised during Phase 4, non-centralized hiring event. Please be sure to apply at USAjobs.gov by May 28, 2026.

For information contact Rick Hopson at 530-957-0330, or richard.hopson@usda.gov

Announcement 26-FIRE-P4VA-FFMOH-1213DH Open May 19 through May 28, 2026

FOREST FIRE MANAGEMENT OFFICER (CH1) GW-0456-12/13

This position is established on a Forest Service unit. The incumbent serves as a Forest Fire Management Officer (FFMO) responsible for providing leadership and program direction for the unit's fire and aviation management program

Major Duties

- Provides technical and administrative supervision to a highly skilled fire staff consisting of several program experts and specialists
- Participating member of the Lassen National Forest Leadership Team

Additional Information

- Participates in the development of a mentoring program including training agreements, aimed at developing lower-level employees for leadership positions.
- This position is categorized as a High Complexity Unit Fire Program Manager (UFPM) position in the Interagency Fire Program Management (IFPM) Standard and Guide as designated by the W.O. Fire and Aviation Management.
- Approved for secondary firefighter coverage under CSRS and FERS by USDA on 10-28-11, B8.

Lassen Fire Program:

The Lassen National Forest is looking for a committed, hardworking, highly skilled workforce to manage the resources of the Forest. Lassen National Forest is comprised of the Forest Supervisors Office and three ranger districts (Almanor, Hat Creek, and Eagle Lake). The Lassen is in cooperation with CAL FIRE, Nor Cal BLM, Lassen Volcanic National Park, and Lassen County Fire Departments through the Susanville Interagency Fire Center Dispatch Center. The work is very rewarding and requires talented, skilled people working safely as part of a team in a variety of specialized positions.

About Lassen National Forest and Susanville, CA

Please visit the provided links:

www.fs.usda.gov/lassen.

<http://www.co.lassen.ca.us/>

<http://www.cityofsusanville.org/>

Please utilize the below links to access the Forest Service outreach and employment database.

FS: Internal link to outreach notice

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LASSEN NATIONAL FOREST**

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AT RICHARD.HOPSON@USDA.GOV BY **MAY 28, 2026****

NAME: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

AGENCY EMPLOYED WITH: {USFS {BLM _____ {OTHER

TYPE OF APPOINTMENT: {PERMANENT {TEMPORARY {TERM
 {VRA {PWD _____ {OTHER

CURRENT: {REGION _____ {FOREST
_____ {DISTRICT

CURRENT: _____ {SERIES _____ {GRADE

CURRENT: _____ {POSITION TITLE

HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT THIS OUTREACH NOTICE?

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 (VRA)
- DISABLED VETERANS W/30% COMPENSABLE DISABILITY
- VETERANS EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES ACT OF 1998
- FORMER PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEER
- PATHWAYS PROGRAM