

OUTREACH NOTICE

Land Survey Technician, GS-0817-05/06/07 Career Ladder - 13/13 Permanent

USDA FOREST SERVICE INTERMOUNTAIN REGION, R4 Lands and Minerals Staff Boundary and Title Management Program

The US Forest Service Intermountain Region is currently advertising on USAJobs for multiple Land Survey Technician positions, GS-0817-05/06/07. These are permanent career ladder positions, and serve in a detached unit of the Intermountain Regional Office Lands and Mineral program. Those with education or experience in surveying, engineering, industrial technology, construction, physics, drafting, forestry, geography, navigation, cartography, physical science, or mathematics are encouraged to apply. The potential duty stations are:

- Idaho Falls and Boise, Idaho
- Sparks and Elko, Nevada
- South Jordan and Cedar City, Utah

TO EXPRESS INTEREST IN A POSITION: Please fill out the attached outreach response form and send to Forrest Decker, Regional Boundary and Title Program Manager, <u>forrest.decker@usda.gov</u> by close of business on April 27, 2021.

MAJOR DUTIES (Duties listed below are at the GS-7 level)

Perform land survey work requiring exacting measurements, establishing basic horizontal and vertical controls.

Verify corners by utilizing a variety of methods and comparing references or by survey using recorded data.

Operate instruments and equipment to locate land and property corners and boundary lines.

Use GPS equipment to perform surveys.

Prepare topographic maps and related information pertinent to the intended project.

Prepare survey plats and related information pertinent to the project.

Performs other duties as assigned.

Physical Requirements:

The position requires working outdoors for several months of the year. This position requires work across a portion of the Region and will often include driving many hours to remote locations on rough, primitive roads. Good navigation skills are a must. Accomplishment of the necessary duties will, at times, require arduous field work in inclement weather conditions. Standard field work involves hiking for several hours a day in steep, rugged, mountainous terrain.

The incumbent will be expected to spend the majority of their time in the field, with a crew of 1-4 individuals during the field season. Extended overnight backpacking, pack stock or camping trips are periodically required. Field camps are usually isolated, primitive settings. The incumbent must be able to carry a 45 pound backpack and lift heavy cargo and gear.

The ideal candidate for this position is:

- A person who is extremely motivated, and gets things done
- Comfortable in a fast changing environment
- Very goal-driven, and wants to raise the bar every day
- A great communicator
- Someone keen to learn new things
- Passionate about travel and experiences
- Extremely well organized
- Values community connections and partnerships
- Practices inclusion and values diversity

TO APPLY:

Announcement Numbers:

21-R4SVFEB-0451-801096G-TB

21-R4SVFEB-0451-801096DP-TB

USAJob Links:

Demo: https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/598293400

Merit: https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/598296300

The closing date for this position is April 27, 2021. The last day you may apply to and receive consideration on this vacancy is 12 PM Eastern Time on April 27, 2021. To be referred, candidates must complete the application process in USA Staffing and submit all applicable required documents listed in the announcement prior to the closing date. They must also meet all eligibility and qualification requirements by the date the certificate is issued to the hiring manager.

THE INTERMOUNTAIN REGION

The Intermountain Region (R4), with the Regional offices located in Ogden, Utah provides administrative oversight and support to twelve National Forests and one National Grassland located throughout the intermountain West in Utah, Nevada, Wyoming, and Idaho. The Intermountain Region covers 32 million acres and manages 26,000 miles of land boundaries of the National Forest System. From Forests adjacent to Yellowstone and Yosemite, to the famous red sands of southern Utah, to the rugged and craggy ridge line of the Sawtooth Mountains, to the stark openness of Nevada, the **Intermountain Region** offers amazing diversity and some of the most beautiful, famous and stunning National Forests in the nation. For more information about the Forest Service's Intermountain Region (R4), please visit http://www.fs.usda.gov/r4.

HOW TO EXPRESS INTEREST: Please complete and return the response form with resume to Forrest Decker, Boundary and Title Program Manager at forrest.decker@usda.gov or 801-625-5226.

Please respond by April 27, 2021.

The location and number of positions filled will depend on anticipated staffing needs and budget.

Land Surveyor, GS-0817-07/08/09

USDA Forest Service, R4-Intermountain Region

Please respond by April 27, 2021 to:

Forrest Decker, forrest.decker@usda.gov, (801) 625-6226.

Position of Interest: Land Surveyor Technician					
Series/Grade: GS-0817 - 05/06/07					
Desired Location:					
Applicant Information					
Namo:		E-Mail Address:			
Mailing Address:					
Work Phone:		Alternate Phone:			
Agency Employed with:	USFS Other	BLM	☐ NPS		
Type of Appointment:	Permanent	Temporary	■ Term	□ VRA	
	■ PWD	Other	Not Curre	nt Employee	
Current Region/Forest/District:					
Current Series And Grade If Applicable:					
Current Position Title:					
Where Did You Hear About Vacancy/Outreach?:					
If you are NOT a current permanent (career or career conditional) employee, are you eligible to be hired under any of the following authorities:					
Reinstatement		Person with I	Person with Disabilities		
☐ Veterans Readjustment		Former Peace Corps Volunteer			
☐ Disabled Veteran with 30% Compensable Disability		Pathways (former Student Career Experience Program)			
□ Veteran's Employment Opportunities Act of 1998					
Additional Remarks					
Briefly explain your interest in this position and attach a resume:					

How to apply: All applicants must apply online at www.usajobs.gov