FORESTER POSITION IN WYOMING

Timber Forestry Technician GS-0462
Bighorn National Forest Supervisor?s Office
Sheridan, WY

Timber Shared Services of the Bighorn National Forest will soon be advertising a permanent seasonal 18/8 timber forestry tech position. The purpose of this outreach is to determine interest and an applicant pool. Depending on the results, the position may be flown internally, demo, or both. The timber shop is zoned across the Forest, and covers the Medicine Wheel/Paintrock, Powder River, and Tongue Ranger Districts. The duty station is the Supervisor?s Office in Sheridan.

Please obtain and return a completed form by January 30, 2013 to dlozinski@fs.fed.us or fax to (307) 674-2668 or mail to
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Respondents will receive an email when the position is advertised.

The Position
18/8, grades 06/07

The position is an 18/8; 18 payperiods of active employment, 8 payperiods of inactive. Promotion level is GS-07. Benefits associated with permanent positions are available.
Primary duties for the position include completing stand exams in proposed timber sale and fuels reduction locations; conducting regeneration surveys; unit layout; designating timber to be harvested according to marking guides; cruising to determine stand volume; inspecting for marking, cruising, planting, and TSI service contracts; and other duties as assigned. Incumbent must be proficient with diameter tape, compass, prism or relaskop, GPS, clinometer, chainsaws, increment borers, and other forestry equipment. GIS experience is very helpful. This may be a supervisory position.

This position provides a wide array of timber experience. Incumbent will be cross-utilized between sale prep and silviculture, with some harvest inspection duties, as necessary. Therefore, applicants should be self-motivated, able to work independently in rugged terrain in all weather types, contribute as a team member, and plan to work 40-hour weeks with the probability of overtime during busy summer months.

There is a possibility for participation in fire detail and/or prescribed fire, but it is neither guaranteed nor a condition of the position.

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