



Trail Lakes Hatchery
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POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

Project Technician, Trail Lakes Hatchery

Closing Date: January 17, 2018

CIAA has an opening for a Project Technician at Trail Lakes Hatchery, located near Moose Pass, Alaska. This position does not include housing. This position may require long work hours in support of hatchery operations.

Job description:

This is a full-time, hourly position. Under the supervision of the Hatchery Manager, this position performs a variety of responsibilities including, but not limited to:

- Maintains the hatchery building, houses, tools, vehicles, boats, outboard motors, Bear Creek Weir building, Bear Lake house, and other equipment.
- Inventories and purchases supplies related to maintenance and upkeep.
- Assists in maintenance project scheduling and maintains the Trail Lakes Hatchery maintenance calendar.
- Assists in the transportation, set up, operation and retrieval of field equipment. Requires travel for periods of up to a month in both modern housing and rustic field camp settings.
- Operates tools, boats, outboard motors, water pumps, generators, gas and diesel engines, sampling gear, and other equipment that may require fabrication.
- Assists in all operations that support seasonal personnel while in the field including purchasing and delivering supplies, orientation, and safety training.
- Assists in daily fish culture activities at Trail Lakes Hatchery. This includes egg takes, incubation, rearing, and fish transports.
- Assists with maintaining records of brood stock collection, egg incubation, ponding, fish health, growth, fish mortality, fish inventory, and release.
- Responds to emergency and process water alarms while at the hatchery and may be requested to assist with emergency and process alarms at other times.
- Escort visitors on hatchery tours.

Qualifications:

The ideal candidate will have a firm understanding of fish hatchery operations, be competent in construction, and have experience working with tools, boats, diesel and gas engines, water pumps, and generators. A background in building maintenance and upkeep along with strong mechanical abilities are desired. Good written and verbal communication skills are wanted. The candidate must hold a current driver's license and have CPR and First Aide certification. Other combinations of training and experience will be evaluated on an individual basis for relevancy. If you believe you meet the qualifications, and are looking for a fun, challenging, and rewarding job, then CIAA encourages you to apply. CIAA is an equal opportunity employer.

Compensation:

Starting pay is \$17.98/hr and is not negotiable. The benefit package includes health insurance (employee portion is a 5% co-pay), Health Savings Account with employer contribution, employee 401(k) retirement plan, vacation and medical leave.

Contact:

Applicants may direct questions and/or submit cover letter, resume, and three professional references to:

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