

Fishlake and Manti-La Sal National Forests

Seasonal Job Announcement 2015

The Fishlake and Manti-La Sal National Forests are looking for a committed, hardworking, highly skilled workforce to work in the Wildland Fire and Fuels management programs. The Wildland Fire and Fuels management program is very rewarding and requires talented and skilled people working safely as part of a team in a variety of specialized positions; including Wildland Fire Engine crews, Hand crews, Fire dispatch, Fuels management, and Fire prevention.

All vacancy announcements will be posted on the “USAJOBS” website as Manti-La Sal or Fishlake National Forest announcements starting in mid-December 2014 or early January 2015.

Position	Series/Grade	Open	Close	Job Announcement #
Forestry Aid (Suppression)	GS-0462-03	01/21/2015	01/27/2015	15-TEMP-R40462-3-FS-DT-PM
Forestry Tech. (Suppression)	GS-0462-04	01/21/2015	01/27/2015	15-TEMP-R40462-4-FS-DT-PM
Forestry Tech (Hotshot/Handcrew)	GS-0462-05	01/14/2015	01/20/2015	15-TEMP-R40462-5-HS-DT-PM
Forestry Tech (Fire Engine)	GS-0462-05	01/21/2015	01/27/2015	15-TEMP-R40462-5-FEO-DT-PMA
Forestry Tech (Prevention)	GS-0462-05	01/09/2015	01/15/2015	15-TEMP-R40462-5-PREV-DT-MC

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See our web page: <http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/mantilasal/about-forest/jobs>



The Positions

Applications must be submitted through the “[USAJOBS](#)” website. Each position has its own unique announcement number (see list above) and will have instructions on how to apply to that job. Applicants are encouraged to apply for multiple locations. **Please read through the vacancy announcement summary and basic qualifications tab carefully before applying.** You can search for these positions either by the Forest name, or by the specific announcement number.

USAJOBS Webpage: <https://www.usajobs.gov/>

The Region

The Intermountain Region in Ogden, Utah provides administrative oversight and support to thirteen National Forests located in Utah, Nevada, eastern California, western Wyoming, and southern and central Idaho. The region covers 31,816,792 acres in the National Forest Systems. There are approximately 2200 permanent employees in Region 4.

The Forests

The Fishlake National Forest located in south-central Utah, encompasses 1.5 million acres in Beaver, Garfield, Iron, Juab, Millard, Piute, Sanpete, Sevier and Wayne Counties. The Forest features majestic stands of aspen encircling open mountain meadows that are lush with a diverse community of forbs and grasses. Fish Lake, from which the forest takes its name, is considered by many to be the gem of Utah. The largest natural mountain lake in the state, it offers trophy fishing and bird watching. The mountains of the Fishlake are a source of water for many of the neighboring communities and agricultural valleys in the region. Hunting, fishing and OHV use are among the most popular forms of recreation enjoyed by forest visitors.

The Manti-La Sal National Forest’s 1.4 million acres are scattered through some of the most wide-open spaces in Utah and parts of Colorado (about 17,000 square miles). It features high forested areas, with glacial bowls and alpine peaks, and lower desert elevations strewn with remnants of ancient cultures. The Forest includes the Dark Canyon Wilderness Area and is bordered by Arches National Park, Canyonlands National Park, and the San Rafael Swell. It is not far from the Glen Canyon National Recreation Area, and Lake Powell. Rock climbers come from throughout the world to test their skills on the conglomerate rock walls of Maple Canyon in the Sanpitch Mountains of central Utah. Snowkiters have discovered the

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unique pairing of wind currents and large snowbowls on the Wasatch Plateau. Not far away, Joes Valley is loved by bouldering enthusiasts and kayakers. To the southeast, cyclists take to the trails of the beautiful La Sal Mountains, which provide an island of cool green towering above the red rock deserts of Moab. American Indians revere many sacred sites in the Abajo Mountains found in the far reaches of southeastern Utah.

How to Apply

You can apply for any of these positions through the online application process at "USAJOBS". You will need to submit your application by the closing date that is specific to each announcement number. **Applicants will need to identify the duty location related to the positions you are interested in.** Through the application process online you will be instructed to electronically attach additional information such as your resume, training documentation/certificates, college transcripts and /or your **IQCS Master record. Please be sure to attach all required documents or your application will not qualify.**

Application Instructions:

Please read the entire announcement and all the instructions before you begin.

You must complete the application process and submit all required documents electronically by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on the closing date of the Job Announcement

Step1 – Create a USAJOBS account (if you do not already have one) at www.usajobs.gov. It is recommended that as part of your profile you set up automatic email notification to be informed when the status of your application changes. If you choose not to set up this automatic notification, then you will have to log into your USAJOBS account to check on the status of your application.

Step 2 - Create a Resume with USAJOBS or upload a Resume into your USAJOBS account. You may want to customize your resume to ensure it documents duties and accomplishments you have gained that are directly related to this position in order to verify that qualifications are met. In addition, your resume must support your responses to the online questionnaire (you may preview the online questionnaire by clicking on the link at the end of the How You Will Be Evaluated section of the job announcement).

Step 3 - Click "Apply Online" and follow the prompts to complete the Occupational Questionnaire and attach any additional documents that may be required.

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