OUTREACH NOTICE
USDA-Forest Service, Enterprise Program
Archaeologist GS-0193-09
Respond By: 04/18/2016

Respond to: Carl Hutchison, chutchison@fs.fed.us
Location TBD

POSITION: The Enterprise Program of the US Forest Service is outreaching to find the best candidate(s) for our upcoming archeologist position. The duty station will be negotiated.

The selected applicant(s) would perform a variety of professional work in the field of archaeology. The incumbent will be responsible for applying their professional archaeological knowledge and skills to Section 106 surveys and reporting; environmental planning; Section 110 projects; site identification, testing, monitoring, and evaluation; crew and project management; artifact identification; development of mitigation measures; predictive modeling, data entry and INFRA; GIS, GPS; and heritage program tasks. This position requires superior oral and written communication and people skills. The incumbent performs a wide range of duties as a member of interdisciplinary teams or as a single resource to analyze proposed heritage management resource plan direction and/or proposed natural resource management projects. This responsibility helps ensure that the relationships between people and national forests and grasslands are understood and addressed in resource management. The incumbent of this position engages in a variety of activities at the local, regional or national levels. The incumbent is a leader of, member of, or advisor to, interdisciplinary teams developing NEPA compliance projects. The incumbent will be expected to lead field crews. The incumbent is also expected to manage the budgets and time associated with all project work assigned.

Interested applicants should be energetic, safety minded, organized, work well in a team environment, responsible, self-directed, and possess skills in Archaeology, History, Anthropology or related field, NHPA, NEPA, field methods, crew participation, project management, and GIS. Applicants should also be proficient in communication and human relations to maintain good working relationships with partners and peers. Strong writing skills are important for the various reports and analyses that need to be completed. In addition, knowledge of Forest Service policies and procedures is preferred. Up to two positions may be filled as permanent full-time positions on or more Enterprise Units. The selected applicants must possess highly developed skills in communications and human relations in order to maintain good working relationships with customers and other team members. Incumbent must have knowledge of Forest Service policies and procedures. This position requires approximately 80 percent travel.
The Enterprise Program is a unique resource, comprised of skilled and experienced Forest Service employees who help us get our work done”—Forest Service Chief Tom Tidwell

Interested applicants should be energetic, responsible, self-directed, possess skills in economic and social analysis and be proficient in communication and human relations to maintain good working relationships with partners and peers. The Enterprise Program emphasis is on partnerships and the delivery of seamless customer service to our clients.

The Enterprise Program is an internal enterprise business within the Forest Service. Employees in enterprise businesses maintain all rights and benefits of government employment. Enterprise businesses are not directly funded by appropriated dollars. They are funded by revenue generated from customer agreements and are therefore expected to be self-starting, independent, energetic and flexible in order to meet high customer demands. Travel is often necessary to meet customer needs!!

Additional Information: If you are interested in receiving more information about the position, please respond by email to Amanda J. Campbell ajcampbell@fs.fed.us

Those who return the attached Outreach Response Form will be notified when the vacancy announcement is advertised in USAJobs.

“They’re Forest Service employees. They’re mobile, they’re skilled, they know how to get the job done, and they know what Forest Service people need.”

Former Forest Service Chief, Dale Bosworth

About the Enterprise Program

The Enterprise Program was recently endorsed by the ELT to be a permanent, national program and, as such, it is an exciting time to be part of the Enterprise Program!

The Enterprise Program was initiated in 1997 by Region 5 as part of the National Performance Review. The program was created to support increased productivity and effectiveness through implementing business practices within a Government structure. The program has become national in scope. The Enterprise Program offers a new way of doing business.

Enterprise Units are Forest Service resources that offer an internal choice for the accomplishment of the agency’s work. These teams of dedicated Forest Service employees operate as independent, financially self-sustaining units funded by the clients/customers who benefit from the products and services they offer. There are currently 17 Enterprise Units offering a wide range of offerings and employees located across the nation. As the Enterprise Program enters its second decade exciting changes are in the wind.

What it offers
Choice — Enterprise Units provide an alternate choice for Forest Service units to obtain support and services.

Financial Accountability — Enterprise Units receive no direct appropriated funds and must be completely self-sustaining financially. As such, unit members develop heightened awareness of costs, delivery of quality, and gains in efficiencies.

Work with a Purpose — Enterprise Units do not work for profit like commercial businesses. They work for the purpose of contributing to the Forest Service Mission, and through their training and experience exercise a discriminating awareness of effectiveness and efficiencies.

Spreading Cost Awareness — Forest Service units that utilize enterprise services frequently are exposed to how enterprise recognizes expenses and calculates rates of cost recovery used to estimate project costs. This begins the expansion of true cost recognition beyond the nucleolus of enterprise.

Intranet
http://fsweb.wo.fs.fed.us/enterprise-program/

Internet
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NAME: __________________________________________
MAILING ADDRESS: ________________________________________
TELEPHONE NUMBER: ________________________________________

AGENCY EMPLOYED WITH: USFS □ BLM □ OTHER □

TYPE OF APPOINTMENT IF CURRENT GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE:

□ PERMANENT □ TEMPORARY □ TERM □ VRA □ PWD □ OTHER

CURRENT REGION/FOREST/DISTRICT (IF APPLICABLE):

CURRENT SERIES AND GRADE (IF APPLICABLE):

TELEPHONE NUMBER:

CURRENT POSITION TITLE:

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 AUTHORITY (VRA)
□ DISABLED VETERANS WITH 30% COMPENSABLE DISABILITY
□ VETERANS EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES ACT OF 1998 (VEOA)
□ FORMER PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEER
□ STUDENT CAREER EXPERIENCE PROGRAM
□ OTHER

Thank you for your interest!
e-mail responses to: chutchison@fs.fed.us
Learn more about TEAMS Enterprise at: http://www.fs.fed.us/enterprise.