STATE’S MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

Education/experience requirements:
- The equivalent of a high school diploma.
- Two years of experience as a Forest Ranger I and successful completion of all Forest Ranger I and II training and skills demonstrations.
- Must possess a commercial drivers license and pass annual physical standard as a condition of employment.

Knowledge of:
- Fire laws and regulations.
- Fire prevention, fire suppression, and fire control.
- Geographic Information System (GIS) and Global Positioning System (GPS).

Ability to:
- Organize, coordinate, and lead fire suppression and disaster response activities.
- Assist with fire investigations.
- Collect forest management data.
- Prepare and present oral and written reports/materials.
- Identify tree species.
• Identify and classify forest insects and diseases.

Preferred Qualifications:
• Experience in delivery of wildland firefighter training
• Experience in delivery of wildland fire prevention programs
• Knowledge and experience in Shade Trees On Playgrounds and other Urban Forestry programs
• Applicants having not completed Ranger II training may also be considered