



Employment Opportunity

Contract Position – 16 weeks



Alderville First Nation Black Oak Savanna Field Technician (2)

Applications are now being accepted for two (2) Field Technician positions with the Alderville Black Oak Savanna for 16 weeks, starting approximately May 1st 2018. The successful applicants will assist with Alderville Black Oak Savanna/Tallgrass Prairie restoration and Stream to Shore Restoration initiatives. The Award winning Alderville Black Oak Savanna hosts the largest remnant of Oak Savanna and Tallgrass Prairie in central Ontario and the Rice Lake Plains.

Duties:

- Vegetation monitoring/identification and compilation/notation of field data, literature and associated reports
- Assisting in coordination and implementation of restorative planting/planting initiatives
- Identification and recording of plants, birds, insects, small mammals, and herptiles
- Invasive plant control (identification, weed pulling, and collecting data) to improve critical habitat
- Collaboration with partner groups including planting days and installation of native plant gardens
- Supervision of summer students when necessary
- Trail and sign building/maintenance
- Other duties as assigned

Qualifications:

- Some post-secondary education in ecology, biology, restoration, or related field
- Ability to work independently, self-motivated, responsible, mature, trustworthy and energetic
- Familiarity with restoration maintenance equipment: string trimmer, ATV, bush hog mower, saws, pruning equipment etc.
- Strong interpersonal skills to liaise with public, partners, supervisors and summer students
- Knowledge of ecological methodologies and assessment techniques
- Ability to analyze basic data and interpret general ecological results
- Knowledge of Alderville First Nation history and experience identifying Ontario flora and fauna- specifically Savanna and Tallgrass Species

Certifications and Employment Conditions:

- Valid G class driver's license - only G class will be accepted
- Occasional work on weekends and evenings as assigned
- Independent and reliable transportation to and from work location
- Current Criminal Reference Check and Vulnerable Sector Search (if position is offered)

Contract Wage, Duration and Working Hours:

- 16 weeks' duration at 35 hours/week
- \$15/hour

Application Deadline:

- April 8th 2018 by 4:00pm (**Late applications will NOT be accepted**)

Application Process:

- Sealed applications can be hand delivered to Alderville First Nation Administration Office reception at 11696 Second Line Road, P.O. Box 46, Roseneath, Ontario K0K 2X0 or emailed to jhenry@alderville.ca:
 - ATTN: Julie Henry, Alderville Black Oak Savanna Natural Heritage Coordinator
 - RE: Alderville Black Oak Savanna Field Technician
- Submissions must include a **cover letter, resume and three (3) work related references and/or letters of reference**

Alderville First Nation thank all who apply, however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

Alderville Chief and Council retain the right to make the final selection of candidate(s).