

Forest Health Monitoring Program Monthly Update - Supplement June 21, 2013

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The USDA Forest Service, Rocky Mountain Research Station is currently advertising for the Inventory and Monitoring Deputy Program Manager, a GS-401-13/14 Supervisory Biologist position that supports the Program Manager in oversight of a dynamic Forest Inventory and Research Organization. The position is located in Ogden, UT. The incumbent participates in program management and shares accountability for the general effectiveness of the Inventory and Monitoring Program. Represents the Program Manager in any activity affecting the Program with the same degree of authority to make commitments and provide policy as the Program Manager; shares responsibility with the Program Manager for providing technical and administrative leadership in all aspects of the Program. Supports the Program Manager in advising management in formulating, establishing, and effectuating natural resource inventory, monitoring, and evaluation policies and programs for the Interior West and the Nation as a whole. Provides direct technical and administrative supervision to a subordinate staff consisting of professional, technical, administrative, and clerical employees. Serves as Acting Program Manager in providing first and second level supervision for approximately 180 positions, including Team Leaders, administrative staff, scientists and techniques staff, forest resource analysts, programmers, field operations staff, and up to 50 temporaries hired every field season. Plans and directs the overall work of the Program performed through Team Leaders, subordinate supervisors, or similar personnel. For complete information about the position, including how to apply, view the full vacancy announcement on www.usajobs.gov. The job announcement number for any U.S. citizen is 13-22531638-0389DP-EB and for federal career and status eligible applicants (see announcement for a full list) is 13-22531638-0389G-EB. The open period is Monday, **June 10, 2013 to Monday, July 01, 2013**. *USDA is an Equal Opportunity Employer.*

The State of Alaska Division of Forestry is recruiting for the full-time Forest Health Forester/Forester II position with a duty station of Anchorage, AK. Key responsibilities include, but are not limited to: providing integrated forest pest management assistance and technical advice statewide on State and private forest lands; developing project budgets; writing grant proposals; tracking and reporting program and grant accomplishments; developing forest pest prevention and control measures; and implementing Forest Health Program grant projects related to forest insect prevention, monitoring and control. This position involves significant collaboration and cooperation with the U.S. Forest

Service Forest Health Protection group on forest health protection projects across Alaska, native and non-native insect monitoring projects, and participation in Alaska's statewide annual aerial detection survey (ADS). A significant part of the position is to provide forest pest management and control advice to private and public agency landowners and land managers, field technical assistance and advice to private and non-industrial forest landowners in controlling and mitigating injurious forest pests during forest management operations as well as initiating, administering, and coordinating forest health-related grants to support the State of Alaska's forest health protection efforts statewide. The application period is **06/20/2013 12:00 A.M. Alaska time through 07/01/2013 5:00 P.M. Alaska time**. For a full job description and instructions to apply, please visit: <http://doa.alaska.gov/dop/workplace/> and select "Current Job Openings" under the Job Search heading. You can find the full job announcement by selecting 'Forestry' under Category and 'Anchorage' under Location. *The State of Alaska is an equal opportunity employer and supports workplace diversity.*

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