Conservation Area Field Staff (Summer Student Positions - 2)

Conservation Sudbury is seeking two (2) summer students to work as a team to monitor and maintain the environment and facilities related to our Conservation Areas and Conservation Sudbury programs. Conservation Sudbury is one of Ontario’s 36 watershed-based stewardship agencies. Our main goal is to ensure healthy interaction between the watersheds, the natural environment and the local economy.

Duties

- Trails maintenance (building/repairing infrastructure like boardwalks and stairs, trail tread maintenance, trail drainage, signage, brushing, and field data collection, etc.)
- Facility maintenance and general cleaning functions (garbage, trail guide boxes and dog waste bag dispenser refilling, facility cleaning, etc.)
- Tree assessments and site visits related to tree-planting programs
- Monthly water sampling duties as part of the Provincial Water Quality Monitoring Network
- Some office duties, including data entry and management and outreach material production and editing
- Other duties as assigned by the supervisor(s)

Eligibility Requirements

- Candidates must be between the ages of 18-29
- Ability to work outdoors, in inclement weather and over steep terrain
- G Drivers License required
- Recommended, but not required: educational background in the areas of Resource management, engineering, architecture, Forestry Fish and Wildlife, Geography, Environmental Programs, or Outdoor Leadership

Additional Information

- The Conservation Area Field Staff will be seasonally employed by Conservation Sudbury. This position will work mainly in the field, both within the Conservation Sudbury jurisdiction and out of the Lake Laurentian Conservation Area (2309 South Bay Rd). Successful candidates must be able to get themselves between the various work sites.
- The maximum work period will be sixteen (16) weeks. The maximum work period will be from May 6, 2023 to August 23, 2024, inclusive.
- The Conservation Area Field Staff will be paid $16.55 per hour plus 4% vacation pay. WSIB coverage is included but no other employment benefits are provided. The normal work week will be 35 hours, 9:00a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday. Compensation for approved overtime will be through time-in-lieu and not cash payment.
- Staff in this position report to the Conservation Lands Supervisor and the Water Resources Technologist who will assign work and provide direction and supervision.

To apply for this position please send your resume and a cover letter to ndca@conservationsudbury.ca by Friday March 22, 2024 at 4:00p.m.