



Position Announcement

Position: **Operations Forester**
Location: **Farmington, ME**
Department: **MAIN**
Reports To: **District Manager**

American Forest Management, Inc. (AFM) is the largest forest consulting and real estate brokerage firm in the United States. AFM currently manages over 5.1 million acres of privately owned timberland and has sold over \$1.8 billion in real estate transactions. With 260 employees operating from 49 offices located in 16 states, AFM's team of professionals is focused on meeting client needs by providing a complete range of forestry services including land and wildlife management, land sale and acquisition services, forest inventory and design, growth and yield modeling, cash flow projections, environmental services, appraisal, forest resource data management and harvest scheduling.

Minimum Qualifications

- BS in Forestry or commensurate level of technical experience in field forestry operations
- Experience in forest operations
- Working knowledge of GPS devices and GIS applications (will train specific applications for this job)
- Working knowledge of water quality protection through best management practices (BMP's) and State regulations (will train specific regulatory requirements for this job)
- Familiarity with northeastern US tree species and silvics
- Working knowledge of Microsoft Excel and Word
- Maine and / or New Hampshire forester license or ability to obtain license in the first two years of employment
- Valid driver's license and good driving record

Work Environment

- Significant time working alone in remote forestlands accessed by private unimproved woods roads
- Long periods of outdoor work including extreme weather conditions (proper dress required)
- Must be skilled with orienteering and short term survival skills

Principal Duties & Responsibilities

- Forestry operations (road and harvest reconnaissance, refine silvicultural prescriptions, and land management activities)
- Contract administration (road construction and maintenance, timber harvesting)
- Employ established protocols for the development of plans, implementation of timber harvest and road construction projects, and other associated duties
- Provide field administration of timber product preparation to market specifications

Salary and Benefits

- Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience
- Exempt salary position paid semi-monthly
- Paid holidays
- Paid vacation schedule
- Healthcare and disability plan
- Tuition Reimbursement Program²
- 401(K) retirement plan with company match
- Ongoing professional development training
- Eligible for annual and new business bonus plans

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