

Job Announcement: NR Forestry Specialist

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Job ID	Job Title	Work Location	Area Office	Education Requirement	Salary Range	Supervisor e-mail	Application Deadline
60188	Forestry Specialist	Big Falls, MN	Littlefork, MN	BS in Forestry or SAF Certification	\$46,249 - \$67,087/year	Jon.mcdonald@state.mn.us	November 30, 2022
60189	Forestry Specialist	Outing, MN	Backus, MN	BS in Forestry or SAF Certification	\$46,249 - \$67,087/year	steve.bartz@state.mn.us	November 30, 2022
60190	Forestry Specialist (2 vacancies)	Orr, MN	Tower, MN	BS in Forestry or SAF Certification	\$46,249 - \$67,087/year	dave.sopoci@state.mn.us	November 30, 2022
60191	Forestry Specialist	Baudette, MN	Baudette, MN	BS in Forestry or SAF Certification	\$46,249 - \$67,087/year	David.dragon@state.mn.us	November 30, 2022
60192	Forestry Specialist	Williams, MN	Baudette, MN	BS in Forestry or SAF Certification	\$46,249 - \$67,087/year	David.dragon@state.mn.us	November 30, 2022

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Primary Role: The primary role of these positions is spent in the field suppressing wildfires, timber management, regeneration activities, forest inventory and ecological classification. In addition, the Division provides many opportunities for training and professional improvement. Contact the supervisor to find out more about a specific job or location.

Schedule: The primary schedule is Monday – Friday, 8:00 am to 4:30 pm. During fire season, foresters and technicians must work evenings, nights, weekends, and holidays and occasionally have to travel and work overnight to assist neighboring areas or participate in short mobility assignments.

Applicants must also possess knowledge of forest management practices and policies; have excellent leadership, organization, and human relations skills; the ability to communicate complex ideas clearly; the ability to resolve conflicts; and have an unrestricted driver's license.

These are union jobs with NR Technicians being represented by [AFSCME](#) and NR Forestry Specialists represented by [MAPE](#). [Health, dental, vision, and life insurance](#); paid vacation, holiday, and sick leave; [MSRS](#) pension and pre-tax retirement account investment opportunities set State of Minnesota jobs apart. Compensation beyond an employee's paycheck including insurance, retirement, Medicare, and Social Security benefits is worth an additional 30% of an employee's annual salary.