



FORESTER – NORTH CASCADE OPERATIONS

BACKGROUND:

Our North Washington Region has an opening for an experienced Forester. The safe and efficient growing of commercial forests for harvest, in an environmentally and economically sound manner, is the core of this role. This position is based out of our Sedro Woolley office and reports to the North Cascade Area Manager, with additional accountabilities to the Region Forester for silvicultural activities in the area. It is a full-time, exempt position. Salary level is dependent on skills and experience.

Primary responsibilities include site preparation (chemical/mechanical), regeneration, land exams, vegetation control (chemical/mechanical), stocking control, commercial thinning, fire protection and involvement in other related fields.

KEY FUNCTIONS:

- Making silvicultural prescriptions based on science, critical thinking, judgment, experience, and data.
- Project layout, using aerial photos, maps, GIS systems and ground reconnaissance.
- Contract negotiation, bidding, and field administration.
- Developing and tracking budgets and key silvicultural metrics.
- Keeping careful and accurate records of silvicultural activities.
- Using computers for planning, tracking, and forestry inventory.
- Forecasting silvicultural projects and expenditures.
- Fire preparedness, firefighting and other protection functions as required.
- Must always model and inspect for safe work practices.
- Act as company representative with landowners, government agencies, and community representatives.
- Serve as a role model and mentor for entry level foresters.
- Ensure compliance with state and federal safety statutes, environmental requirements and Weyerhaeuser resource and stewardship goals.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- BS degree in Forest Management or relatable degree. (Years of experience will be considered in lieu of degree).
- Two (2) years' experience in operational forestry.
- Knowledge of state and federal wildlife, water, and Washington forest practice rules/statutes.
- Experience preparing, negotiating, administering, and monitoring contracts.
- Able to develop, prioritize, plan, implement and manage activities to meet targets and deadlines with occasional extended work periods and weekend work.
- Experience managing expense and capital budgets.
- Possess strong team building, communication, analytical and critical thinking skills.
- Proficiency in use of personal computers and related software applications such as; MS Work, Excel, PowerPoint, and Geographical Information Systems, are highly desirable.
- Willing to work independently in an office setting and travel to destinations in the woods. Minimum of 50% of work time is spent in the field, working on steep or broke ground covered with slash and brush, and in all weather conditions.
- Hold or attain a Washington Private Applicator Pesticide License.
- Valid driver's license is required, as work involves driving company vehicles on rough roads (25,000 miles per year).

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