



Itasca Soil and Water Conservation District Position Announcement

Position Title: Aquatic Invasive Species Control & Monitoring Technician
Position Status: Seasonal
Employment Duration: Mid-May through October (Flexible)
Starting Pay: \$13.00 per hour
Hours: 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM Monday through Friday
Occasional weekends; not to exceed 40 hrs./wk.
Application Closing Date: April 19th, 2019

Position Summary:

The technicians will work alongside an experienced crew of Aquatic Invasive Species Control & Monitoring Specialists surveying lakes, rivers, and wetlands within Itasca County for all Aquatic Invasive plants and animals. This position will be almost entirely outdoors in all types of weather.

This position involves assisting in creating and implementing management plans for the control and monitoring of aquatic invasive species populations. Training will be provided in all areas of the program including the application of, and licensing for the use of herbicides.

Minimum Qualifications:

- Applicants must have a valid MN driver's license with a clean record
- Must have, or be pursuing, a Natural Resource related degree
- Ability to read and understand maps
- Ability to operate GPS units
- Willingness to operate boats including 16' boat with 25-30hp motor and canoes
- Ability to back trailers into boat accesses and garage
- The ability to carry 30+ lbs. while doing a considerable amount of walking in waders
- Ability to lift 30+ lbs. over your head multiple times a day

Interested applicants should submit a complete resume and cover letter to Chris Evans at the email address below or mail to:

Chris Evans
1889 E Hwy 2
Grand Rapids, MN 55744

Individuals selected for interviews will be contacted by phone/email.
Late applicants will not be considered.

If you have any questions, please contact:
Chris Evans at (218) 280-1547 or chris.evans@itascaswcd.org