

Job Announcement

Seasonal Field Technician



ABOUT THE IERCD:

The Inland Empire Resource Conservation District (IERCD) is a local public agency, headquartered in the City of Redlands and providing conservation, wildland restoration, forestry and fire prevention, and education/ outreach service to residents in southwestern San Bernardino and northwestern Riverside counties. Governed by a seven-member board of directors appointed by the County of San Bernardino Board of Supervisors, the IERCD covers nearly 1,300 square miles of service area within which a range of biological features and cultural landmarks exist. Nineteen biological, educational, project management, and administrative staff work to carry out the District's vision, both through IERCD-focused projects and in collaborating with a variety of federal, state, other local public, and private, non-profit entities. More at www.iercd.org

Position Requirements:

1. Ability to lift a minimum of 50 lbs, hike in varying elevations, and/or perform physical tasks required for restoration of habitats for durations lasting as long as ten hours under all weather extremes including extreme hot, cold, wet, or dry weather conditions.
 2. Ability to efficiently and effectively manage invasive plant species using manual, mechanical, and chemical methods.
 3. Some working knowledge of invasive plants and native plants in the Santa Ana River Watershed.
 4. Possession of a current California driver's license and auto insurance, as well as reliable transportation.
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Duties and Responsibilities

1. Provide support to upper-level positions in the Natural Resources Department in implementation of tasks critical to IERCD short and long-term conservation, enhancement and restoration project work.
 2. Use Global Positioning System and Geographic Information Systems software and equipment as part of regular field work.
 3. Provide assistance to IERCD partner agencies on site assessments and invasive vegetation removal planning, support, and implementation, under the direction of daily supervisor.
 4. Be available to work outside of traditional office hours, including weekends as demanded by job duties.
 5. Perform other related duties as requested by daily supervisor.
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Education/Experience Requirements

A high school diploma or equivalent required; previous experience identifying and controlling invasive plants and carrying out other habitat enhancement or restoration activities is preferred.

Salary

The Seasonal Field Technician position is a temporary, full-time, non-exempt position. Salary firm at \$23/hr

Benefits

- 24 hours/year accrued sick leave available for use on or after the 90th day of employment.
- \$50/month cell stipend
- Personal Protective Equipment allowance

HOW TO APPLY

To apply, please submit resume, optional cover letter, and names/contact information of two professional references to:

By Email: Valerie Velazquez: vvelazquez@iercd.org

By Mail: Inland Empire Resource Conservation District
25864 – K Business Center Drive
Redlands, CA 92374

Positions are open until filled.