



JOB VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Position Title: Soil Conservation Aide Internship – 2017

Location: Waterloo, Iowa

Office Address: Black Hawk Soil and Water Conservation District
2950 Southland Drive
Waterloo, IA 50701

Job Description:

Soil Conservation Aide provides technical assistance to landowners and operators in Black Hawk County as it relates to the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) and other USDA programs.

Soil Conservation Aide works in office and in the field on the promotion, documentation, contracting, installation and maintenance of conservation practices. Assists other field office staff with surveys and layout of conservation practices and performs status reviews and follow up with landowners. Produces field notes and prepares data sheets and other documents.

Soil Conservation Aide may also assist with water monitoring, conservation planning, watershed project outreach, newsletter articles and urban and rural conservation practices.

Candidate must possess above average communication skills and written skills to conduct client outreach.

Successful candidate must undergo Federal background investigation and fingerprint check.

Required Education: Must be enrolled in college or recent graduate majoring in a field of study related to agriculture, conservation, engineering, environmental studies, construction trades, GIS, communications, public relations or urban planning.

Wage: \$10.00 per hour. No benefits are offered.

Job Qualifications and Experience: Candidate must meet educational requirement and provide evidence of ability to assist with fieldwork. A valid driver's license is also required.

Duration of Position: 480 hours

Numbers of Openings: 1

Position Starting Date: May 31, 2017

Position Ending Date: December 31, 2017

Method of Application: Submit resume to the address above or email it to leslie.carey@ia.nacdnet.net by 4:00 pm on Friday, March 31, 2017

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