



Technical Assistant – Native Plant Solutions

Position Details: Full Time, Fixed Term (approx. May – Aug, with possibility of extension) Salary: Starting salary at \$18/hr, based on a 35-hour work week. Salary for this position will commensurate with each individual's education and/or experience as it relates to the position. Location: Winnipeg, MB

Closing Deadline: January 31, 2024 (11:59PM EDT)

Who We Are

Ducks Unlimited Canada (DUC), one of the nation's leading conservation organizations, is a passionate community of people who believe that nature is the foundation of strong communities, a prosperous economy and a sustainable future that supports the hopes and dreams of the next generation. Together, we conserve and restore some of the most valuable and threatened landscapes on the planet.

Native Plant Solutions (NPS), a consulting branch of DUC, is the most experienced company in Canada in naturalized stormwater system design, construction, and management.

What You Will Do

Working with other staff to perform activities related to the establishment, management, and maintenance of habitat programs.

Day-to-day review, monitoring, and reporting of NPS' projects in and around the city of Winnipeg, site inspections, supervise soil placement, quantifying work areas, drafting work, site reports and assisting our wetland and upland teams with tasks as required.

Depending on the location of the position, there may be times where you will be required to travel to various communities or remote areas. This position will also involve heavy lifting, physical work and outdoor work in all weather conditions. Our ideal candidate will be able to take direction and execute tasks in a safe and efficient manner without direct supervision.

Requirements

- Relevant work experience in one or more of the following specialties:
 - earthworks, soil erosion management, surveying, heavy civil construction, equipment operation, agriculture/farming, greenspace management, or landscaping.
- Relevant work experience in one or more of the following specialties would an asset:
 - municipal works or community development, construction coordination, construction inspections or work within an engineering office
- Education from Red River College's Civil Engineering Technology program will be an asset.
- Experience with MS Office, AutoCAD, surveying
- Strong work ethic, enthusiasm for the outdoors and environmental conservation.
- Practical field skills, effective written and oral communication skills and organizational/planning skills.
- Able to work independently or within a dynamic team environment.

- Valid drivers license.
- Able to work flexible fulltime hours on short notice (including early mornings, evenings, weekends, and overtime).

How to Apply

If you are qualified and interested in this opportunity, please visit our <u>online career center</u> to submit your application for confidential consideration.

Due to external funding requirements for select positions, preference may be given to candidates between ages 15 and 30, who are legally entitled to work in Canada.

While Ducks Unlimited Canada would like to thank all applicants, only those considered for an interview will be contacted.

DUC is proud to be recognized as a non-profit employer of choice. When nature is diverse, the Earth thrives. When our organization is diverse, people thrive. That's why Ducks Unlimited Canada is building a culture where everyone is welcome.

