



Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forests

Northern Region

Outreach Notice



Permanent & Permanent Seasonal Fire Positions

The Nez Perce - Clearwater National Forests currently has several vacancies in a variety of permanent and permanent-seasonal fire positions. **Multiple positions may be filled at each location** this January - May. Please see the table below for the specific positions and duty station locations.

Position	Open Continuous Roster (OCR) Announcement Number	Duty Location(s)
Forestry Technician (Dispatch) <u>GS-0462-05</u> , Tour of duty is 13 FT/13 non-pay	OCR14-462-IADISP-5 DP OCR14-462-IADISP-5 G	Grangeville
Forestry Technician (Senior Firefighter-Engine) <u>GS-462-4/5</u> Tour of duty is 13 FT/13 non-pay	OCR14-462-ENGSRFF-4/5 DP OCR14-462-ENGSRFF-4/5 G	Elk City Kooskia (Lochsa RD) Kooskia (Moose Ck) Orofino Powell Whitebird Grangeville
Lead Forestry Technician (Fire Engine Operator) <u>GS-462-6</u> , Tour of duty is 13 FT/13 non-pay	OCR14-462-AFEO-6 DP OCR14-462-AFEO-6 G	Kooskia, (Lochsa RD)
Supvry Forestry Tech. (Fire Engine Operator) <u>GS-462-6/7</u> Tour of duty is 18 FT/8 non-pay	OCR14-462-SFEO(M)-6/7 DP OCR14-462-SFEO(M)-6/7 G	Elk City
Lead Forestry Tech. (Handcrew) <u>GS-462-6</u> , Tour of duty is 13 FT/13 non-pay	OCR14-462-HANDCREW-6DP OCR14-462-HANDCREW-6G	Potlatch
Forestry Technician (Smkjmpr) <u>GS-0462-5/6G</u> , Tour of duty is 13 FT/13 non-pay	OCR14-462-SMKJMPR-5/6DP OCR14-462-SMKJMPR-5/6G	Grangeville
Forestry Technician (Smkjmpr), Squad Leader <u>GS-0462-7</u> , Tour of duty is 13 FT/13 non-pay	OCR14-462-SMKJMPR-7G A	Grangeville
Forestry Technician (Smkjmpr), Spotter <u>GS-0462-7/8</u> , Tour of duty is 13 FT/13 non-pay	OCR14-462-SMKJMPR-7/8G	Grangeville
Supvry Forestry Tech. (Smkjmpr), Asst. Mgr. <u>GS-462-8/9</u> , Tour of duty is 18 FT/8 non-pay	OCR14-462-SMKJMPR-8/9G	Grangeville
Supvry Forestry Tech. (Smkjmpr), Training Mgr <u>GS-0462-10/11</u> , Tour of Duty is PFT	Not yet posted in USAjobs	Grangeville

For position information, applicants may contact:

Elk City Positions – Red River RD

Josh Bransford, FMO	(208) 842-2123	jbransford@fs.fed.us
Chris Lundgren, AFMO	(208) 842-2133	clundgren@fs.fed.us

Grangeville & Whitebird Positions – Salmon River RD

Kevin Chaffee, FMO	(208) 983-4031	kchaffee@fs.fed.us
Josh Warden, AFMO	(208) 839-2101(Whitebird)	mailto:jwarden@fs.fed.us
Dave Crousser, AFMO	(208) 983-4035(Grangeville)	dcrousser@fs.fed.us

Grangeville Positions – Grangeville Interagency Dispatch Center

Dennis Crew, Disp. Mgr.	208-983-6801	dcrew@fs.fed.us
Mark DeCaria, Asst Disp. Mgr.	208-983-6802	mdecaria@fs.fed.us

Kooskia Positions – Powell RD

Craig Trulock, Ranger	(208) 926-6400	ctrulock@fs.fed.us
Matt Young, AFMO	(208)-942-0345	mhyoung@fs.fed.us

Kooskia positions - Lochsa RD

Sean Gaines, FMO	(208) 926-6419	wsgaines@fs.fed.us
Brett Rogers, AFMO	(208) 926-6427	brogers01@fs.fed.us
Nate Raff, Helitack Sup.	(208) 926-6430 (Helitack)	nraff@fs.fed.us

Kooskia Positions – Moose Creek RD

Tim Schaeffer, FMO	(208) 926-8948	tschaeffer@fs.fed.us
Chris Boldman, AFMO	(208) 926-8952	cmboldman@fs.fed.us
Doug Graves, AFMO	(208) 926-8953	dagraves@fs.fed.us

Orofino Positions – North Fork RD

Mike Lubke, FMO	(208) 476-8251	mlubke@fs.fed.us
Brandon Skinner, AFMO	(208) 476-8206	bskinner@fs.fed.us

Potlatch Positions – Palouse RD

Lisa Spinelli	(208) 875-1702	lspinelli@fs.fed.us
Alan Carlson, AFMO	(208) 875-1701	alancarlson@fs.fed.us

Smokejumper Positions:

Sarah Doehring, Base Mgr.	(208) 983-9586	sdoehring@fs.fed.us
Mike Blinn, Operations	(208) 983-9588	michaelblinn@fs.fed.us

HOW TO APPLY:

Go to <https://www.usajobs.gov/>

Step 1 – Create a USAJOBS account at www.usajobs.gov. It is recommended that as part of your profile you set up automatic email notification to be informed when the status of your application changes.

Step 2 - Create a Resume with USAJOBS or upload a Resume into your USAJOBS account. You may want to customize your resume to ensure it documents duties and accomplishments you have gained that are directly related to this position in order to verify that qualifications are met. In addition, your resume must support your responses to the online questionnaire (you may preview the online questionnaire by clicking on the link at the end of the How You Will Be Evaluated section of the job announcement).

Step 3 - Search for the job announcement number. Please read the entire announcement and all the instructions before you begin. Click "Apply Online" and follow the prompts to complete the Occupational Questionnaire and attach any additional documents that may be required. **Make sure you select a potential duty station.** You can update your application or documents anytime while the announcement is open. Simply log into your USAJOBS account and click on "Application Status." Click on the position title, and then select "Update Application" to continue.

ABOUT THE FOREST:

The Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forests fire program has a management responsibility for over 4 million acres of Forest Service, BLM and Private lands. The Nez Perce-Clearwater NF is made up of the Powell, North Fork, Lochsa, Palouse, Red River, Moose Creek, and the Salmon River Ranger Districts. The fire zone includes 7 ranger districts, 2 Helitack programs and the Grangeville Air Center (Smokejumper Base, Retardant Base and Air Attack platform). The Clear/Nez Fire Zone is one of the busiest fire programs in the nation, with a 10-year average fire load of 180 fires/year. Our fire program consists of all facets of managing fire across the landscape as well as an active fuels program that treats over 18,000 acres per year.

The Nez Perce/Clearwater National Forest stretches from the Oregon border on the west to the Montana border on the east; and is roughly bounded by the Idaho Panhandle N.F. to the north and the Salmon River to the south. This vast, diverse area is managed to provide a variety of goods and services including breathtaking scenery, wilderness, wildlife, fisheries, timber harvest, livestock grazing, mining, and recreation. The Forests are best known for the following wilderness areas: Gospel Hump, Frank Church River of No Return and Selway-Bitterroot that encompass nearly half of the Forest. These wilderness areas and several wild and scenic rivers provide for a multitude of recreational opportunities.

Please see the following individual links for more information on this vast and rugged area of Central Idaho:

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/nezperceclearwater>

ABOUT COMMUNITIES:

Please select a hyperlink for detailed information about the many communities that are adjacent to Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forests:

[Grangeville, Idaho](#)

[White Bird, Idaho](#)

[Potlatch, Idaho](#)

[Kooskia, Idaho](#)

[Elk City, Idaho](#)

[Orofino, Idaho](#)

[Moscow, Idaho](#)

[Lewiston, Idaho](#)

[Kamiah, Idaho](#)

[Pierce-Weippe Idaho](#)

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OUTREACH INTEREST FORM
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Voluntary response “This is not an application to any current vacancies”

If you wish to express interest in this position, please complete this voluntary Outreach Interest Form and email to any of the contacts listed above. **Interested applicants still need to apply to the identified OCR for position of interest.**

NAME: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

AGENCY EMPLOYED WITH: _____ USFS _____ BLM _____ OTHER _____

TYPE OF APPOINTMENT: _____ PERMANENT _____ TEMPORARY _____ TERM
_____ VRA _____ PWD _____ OTHER

CURRENT REGION/FOREST/DISTRICT: _____

CURRENT SERIES AND GRADE IF APPLICABLE:

CURRENT POSITION TITLE: _____

WHERE DID YOU HEAR ABOUT VACANCY/OUTREACH?:

IF NOT A CURRENT PERMANENT (CAREER OR CAREER CONDITIONAL) EMPLOYEE

ARE YOU ELIGIBLE TO BE HIRED UNDER ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL

AUTHORITIES:

_____ PERSON WITH DISABILITIES

_____ VETERANS READJUSTMENT

_____ DISABLED VETERANS W/30% COMPENSABLE DISABILITY

_____ VETERANS EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES ACT OF 1998

_____ FORMER PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEER

_____ STUDENT CAREER EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

_____ OTHER _____

Submission of this form is voluntary – Thanks for your interest!