

Hydrological Technician – Seasonal Job Opportunities - 2017

Medicine Bow-Routt National Forests

Steamboat Springs, Colorado / Laramie & Saratoga, Wyoming

The Medicine Bow-Routt National Forests and Thunder Basin National Grassland (www.fs.usda.gov/mbr) are looking for employees to work in watershed management positions from May/June through August/September 2017. One or more positions may be filled at the GS-4 (~\$12.10) to GS-7 (~\$16.77/hr) levels in Steamboat Springs, Colorado, Laramie, Wyoming & Saratoga, Wyoming. This is a great opportunity to spend a summer outdoors and learn about watershed management in the US Forest Service.



These positions include field and office work. Job duties include a diverse range of surveys, inventory, monitoring, and restoration work. The restoration work can be physically demanding, including carrying heavy loads of materials and working long hours with hand tools. Work requires the ability to hike, wade, lift, carry and use equipment in rugged terrain and in harsh mountain weather. The ability to work safely and in a team environment is necessary, including the ability to enjoy living in remote mountain or grassland settings. Prior watershed management experience is beneficial, but not required. A valid driver's license is required, and overnight travel to different locations on the Forest may be required. Crews may periodically camp out overnight during the week, depending on work location. Limited government housing may be available at some locations for about \$7/day. Pets are prohibited in government housing and on the job.

These positions will be advertised on USAJOBS (www.usajobs.gov). If interested in applying, please follow these steps:

1. Create USAJOBS account & prepare your application (e.g. resume, transcripts) ASAP.
2. Establish a “Saved Search” in USAJOBS with the following criteria to be notified when the job vacancy announcements are available:
 - a. Series Number Search: “1316” (Hydrological Technician)
 - b. Location Search (Duty Station): Colorado – Steamboat Springs
Wyoming – Laramie & Saratoga
 - c. Agency Search: Department of Agriculture – Forest Service
3. Apply for specific job(s) **and location (“Duty Station”)** in USAJOBS following the “How to Apply” section for each announcement. Late applications will not be accepted!

Prepare Applications by late January!!

Hint: Always upload transcripts!

Job Title	Series-Grade	Announcement Number	Duty Station	Application Period (estimated)
Hydrological Technician	GS-1316-04	To be determined – see USAJOBS.	Steamboat Spgs, CO Laramie, WY Saratoga, WY	February 1-7, 2017
Hydrological Technician	GS-1316-05	To be determined – see USAJOBS.	Steamboat Spgs, CO Laramie, WY Saratoga, WY	February 1-7, 2017
Hydrological Technician	GS-1316-07	To be determined – see USAJOBS.	Steamboat Spgs, CO	February 1-7, 2017

If you have any questions, or need additional information, you may contact:
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 Laramie, WY positions: Katie Buchan, Hydrologist kbuchan@fs.fed.us (307) 745-2313
 Saratoga, WY positions: Dave Gloss, Hydrologist: dgloss@fs.fed.us (307)326-2510