

FW: Student job opportunity

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FYI – see below! Please let me know if you have any students in mind; this opportunity can start on June 20th.

From: Pat Lynch <pat@westernheritage.com>

Sent: Sunday, May 17, 2020 5:05 PM

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Hi Leanna,

Thank you for returning my call last Wednesday and expressing interest in our project which could benefit both students and us as well.

Below is a description of our summer work project.

Job Location: On private forest land within Green Mountain Resort owned by Brush Creek Ranch, surrounded by Medicine Bow National Forest, 11.5 miles southwest of Encampment, Wyoming

Property Owner: Brush Creek Ranch, Saratoga, WY

Project Description: This job involves thinning marked trees on 30-35% slopes at 8,000' to effect spacing allowing for glade skiing. Cut trees will be marked by Contracting Officer. This necessitates felling trees (6" -12" DBH) by cutting at ground level, lopping and scattering limbs on forest floor, and removing logs over 6" in diameter from the site to open areas where they will be piled for removal by the owner. The removing of the logs may be done with small mechanized equipment such as ATV's or by hand. There is a total of 38 acres that need this thinning treatment.

The work can commence on or near June 20 and continue until completed or until snowfall. There are three (3) different thinning sites (glades) varying in size from 8 - 19 acres. Work will begin on the smallest sites and work moved to the next largest glade to insure full completion of each site before moving to the next.

On-site accommodations: The contractors may choose to procure rental housing in Encampment, WY which is located 11.5 miles from the job site or set up a campsite on the job location. The campsite would have no improvements other than a porta-potty provided by the property owner.

Project Contracting Officer: Pat Lynch, Encampment, WY. On occasion Mr. Lynch may designate an Acting Contracting Officer. (Mr. Lynch is a graduate of CSU with a B.S. in Forest & Range Management and had a career with the U.S. Forest Service as Forester, District Ranger in Colorado and Wyoming, and Safety and Training Officer for all National Forests in Alaska.)

For more Project information contact: Pat Lynch, ph: 970-227-8744

This project could be accomplished with CSU students by either of the two approaches shown below.

1. Green Mountain Ski Resort Summer Work Project 2020 – Forestry Interns

Looking for three (3) chainsaw operators, six (6) laborers who would work with our team of Foresters to fell marked trees, de-limb downed trees and spread slash, and one (1) chainsaw and tool sharpener/maintenance person. They would interact with property owner's professional Forester and other representatives, State of Wyoming field forester, and ski mountain planners/managers. From June 20, 2020 to Sept. 1, 2020 This work may qualify for college credit hours or meet some requirement for field experience.

2. Green Mountain Ski Resort Summer Glade, Clearing and Cleaning – Independent Contractor

Looking for Independent Thinning Contractor with three (3) chainsaw operators, six (6) laborers (who would fell marked trees, de-limb downed trees and spread slash), and one (1) chainsaw and tool sharpener/maintenance person to thin approximately 38 acres of lodgepole/spruce/fir forest. Schedule is flexible within June 20, 2020 – Oct. 1, 2020 Must be experienced, carry advanced First Aid/CPR cards, trained in fire safety/prevention/initial attack, have general liability and workers compensation for crews, plus provide all necessary tools and equipment (including communication radios or cellphones).

Leanna, please let me know if you have any questions, comments, etc.

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