



**ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT**  
**#1 Natural Resources Drive**  
**Little Rock, AR 72205**

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**JOB OPPORTUNITY**

**July 2, 2019**

TITLE LOCATION	ANNUAL SALARY POSITION #	APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY:
<p><b>2-Natural Resources Program Technician/Nursery Technician</b></p> <p><b>Division: Arkansas Forestry Commission</b>  <b>Department: Baucum Nursery</b>  <b>Location: Pulaski County/North Little Rock</b></p> <p><b>Hiring Authority:</b>  Arkansas Forestry Commission  Nursery Supervisor James Shelton  1402 Highway 391 North  North Little Rock, AR 72117  Phone: 501/907-2485  E-mail:  <a href="mailto:james.shelton@agriculture.arkansas.gov">james.shelton@agriculture.arkansas.gov</a></p> <p>Standard State of Arkansas employment application required.</p> <p>Apply on line:  <a href="http://www.arstatejobs.com">http://www.arstatejobs.com</a></p>	<p>Entry Level Salary: \$29,046</p> <p>Grade GS04</p> <p>Position #: 22088412  #: 22094666</p>	<p align="center"><b>Until Further Notice</b></p>

**STATE'S MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

**Education/experience requirements:**

- The equivalent of a high school diploma.
- Three years of field experience in wildlife or fisheries management or forestry or land management.
- Must obtain a Commercial Driver's License (Class A). (Within 120 days of hire date)

**Knowledge of:**

- The procedures and methods used in documenting wildlife investigations.
- The equipment and techniques used to maintain buildings, grounds and equipment.
- Fish propagation, harvesting, cultivation, and maintenance activities.
- Tissue and blood sampling techniques used in collection research.
- Agricultural methods and basic land laws.
- Timber marking, land surveying, and other related forestry techniques.

**Ability to:**

- Collect samples of wildlife, perform fish hatchery, prepare reports, maintain files, and present oral and written information.
- Operate and maintain wildlife equipment.

**Preferred Qualifications:**

- Knowledge of herbicides and fertilizers
- Knowledge and ability of seed stratification and assist with seed planting
- Knowledge of farm equipment and operation.
- Ability to load and unload trucks and operate forklifts
- Ability to get a noncommercial chemical applicators license
- Ability to operate and maintain irrigation equipment
- Ability to perform nursery, seed orchard, landscaping, and related tasks.
- Ability to offer assistance on technical horticultural methods and operations.
- Ability to operate and maintain farm tractors and equipment.
- Supervise small work crews
- Backup truck driver
- Occasional exposure to hazardous chemicals may be required.
- Occasional heavy lifting may be required.