

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

LOCATION: Vega State Park POSITION: Visitor Services Technician PAY RATE: \$12.00/ hour SEASON: May to October (School schedules may be accommodated) INTERVIEWS: February/March

DUTIES:

A customer service based position that involves working in the Visitor Center or Entrance Station greeting visitors. Daily interaction with park visitors requires effective communication and public relations skills. This position will also conduct aquatic nuisance species inspections, so please see the ANS technician announcement for that description and requirements. Specific Duties may include:

- Staff the park entrance station.

- Provide information and assistance to visitors (distributes maps/ brochures, orients visitors to park facilities and amenities, promotes education programs, educates on State Park regulations, etc.)

- Provide information to the boating and non-boating public.
- Sell parks passes, permits, books, maps, clothing, firewood and other novelties
- May sell gift certificates, search and rescue cards, boat registrations, OHV registrations and snowmobile registrations, fishing and hunting licenses.
- May operate a cash register at some locations.
- Answering of telephones and transferring/taking messages.
- Photo-copying and filing
- Collects revenue, completes shift report and balances shift box at end of each shift.
- May prepare campground reservations forms and documents.
- May document and report visitor complaints.

- Cleaning and light maintenance duties of interior and exterior of Visitor Center and offices. Including litter pick up.

- May assist with special events or programs within the park.

- Other duties as assigned.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Must be at least 16 years of age.
- Must have a valid drivers' license or reliable transportation
- Must be able to work weekends, holidays, and varied shifts.

- Previous experience handling money and working with the public is preferred.

- Experience with Microsoft Office Suite (MS Word, Excel). Enter data into spreadsheets.

- May need to undergo criminal background investigation.
- First Aid and CPR certifications may be required for some positions.
- Possess strong interpersonal communication skills
- Ability to work with little supervision

- May be required to work the Entrance Station for an 8 hour shift and take lunch in the station.

Uniforms

The park will provide some uniform items. Employee will be required to purchase limited uniform items at their own expense.

WORK ACTIVITIES

Interacting with Computers – Using computers and computer systems (including hardware and software) to program, write software, set up functions, enter data, or process information

Communicating with Supervisors, Peers, or Subordinates – Providing information to supervisors, co-workers, and subordinates by telephone, in written form, e-mail, or in person

Processing Information – Compiling, coding, categorizing, calculating, tabulating, auditing, or verifying information or data.

Making Decisions and Solving Problems – Analyzing information and evaluating results to choose the best solution and solve problems.

Getting Information — Observing, receiving, and otherwise obtaining information from all relevant sources.

Updating and Using Relevant Knowledge — Keeping up-to-date technically and applying new knowledge to your job.

Identifying Objects, Actions, and Events – Identifying information by categorizing, estimating, recognizing differences or similarities, and detecting changes in circumstances or events.

Analyzing Data or Information — Identifying the underlying principles, reasons, or facts of information by breaking down information or data into separate parts.

Organizing, Planning, and Prioritizing Work - Developing specific goals and plans to prioritize, organize, and accomplish your work

Communicating with Supervisors, Peers, or Subordinates — Providing information to supervisors, co-workers, and subordinates by telephone, in written form, e-mail, or in person.

Thinking Creatively — Developing, designing, or creating new applications, ideas, relationships, systems, or products, including artistic contributions

Interpreting the Meaning of Information for Others – Translating or explain what information means and how it can be used.

WORK CONTEXT

Electronic Mail – How often do you use electronic mail in this job? Very often **Freedom to Make Decisions –** How much decision making freedom, without supervision, does the job offer? A great deal

Structured versus Unstructured Work – To what extent is this job structured for the worker, rather than allowing the worker to determine tasks, priorities, and goals? Structured with some independence

Telephone – How often do you have telephone conversations in this job? Often **Spend Time Sitting** — How much does this job require sitting? 50%

Face-to-Face Discussions – How often do you have face-to-face discussions with individuals or teams in this job? Almost Daily

Importance of Being Exact or Accurate — How important is being very exact or highly accurate in performing this job? Very important

HOUSING:

Housing in our four bedroom bunkhouse, located on park, may be available for a small monthly fee for those requiring such accommodations.

FOR APPLICATIONS:

www.cpw.state.co.us

Completed Applications can be sent to:

Kyle Compton Vega State Park PO Box 186 Collbran, CO 81624

Phone - 970-487-3407 Email - vega.park@state.co.us

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