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## JOB OPPORTUNITY September 19, 2019

TITLE LOCATION	ANNUAL SALARY POSITION #	APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY:
<p><b>District Forester (Division Forester)</b></p> <p>Arkansas Department of Agriculture Forestry Division, Management Little Rock</p> <p><u>Hiring Authority:</u> Arkansas Department of Agriculture #1 Natural Resources Drive Little Rock, AR 72205 Phone: 501/219-6379 Email: <a href="mailto:joe.fox@agriculture.arkansas.gov">joe.fox@agriculture.arkansas.gov</a></p> <p>Standard State of Arkansas employment application required</p> <p>Apply online: <a href="http://www.arstatejobs.com">http://www.arstatejobs.com</a></p>	<p>Entry Level Salary: \$56,039</p> <p>Grade GS10</p> <p>Position #22088650</p>	<p><b>September 25, 2019</b></p>

### STATE'S MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

#### Education/experience requirements:

- The equivalent of a bachelor's degree in forestry or a related field.
- Five years of experience in forest management or a related field.
- Two years in a supervisory or leadership capacity.
- Registered forester in accordance with ACA 17-31-301.

#### Knowledge of:

- The principles and practices of forestry.
- State and federal laws, rules, and regulations governing state and national forest lands and resources.
- The principles of Incident Command System and fire suppression and control.
- The principles and practices of organizational personnel management.

#### Ability to:

- Plan work unit objectives and operations and to assign and direct the work of subordinates.
- Review events, circumstances, or facts of a case, ascertain applicable laws, and determine necessary actions.
- Plan, coordinate, and direct incident command for wildfire and other disasters.
- Prepare for and make formal presentations before public audiences.
- Supervise a large professional and technical staff.

#### Preferred Qualifications:

- Experience in forest management, silviculture (seed to harvest), and urban forestry principles.
- Experience applying for and managing federal grants
- Experience in communicating/networking with multiple forest stakeholder groups
- Experience with computers and software including mapping software
- Experience in forest health issues and applications