Job Announcement

Soil and Water Conservation Technician/Planner Tremonton, Utah

The Northern Utah Conservation District has an opening for the position of a Soil and Water Conservation Technician/Planner. This position will be based out of the Tremonton Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) office. The position is funded in Box Elder County by the Northern Utah Conservation District and Division of Water Quality Nonpoint Source Program. Some travel and work may be required outside of county boundaries.

The successful applicant will provide technical assistance to the conservation district cooperators, on private, state and federal lands in developing and writing plans for conservation projects and practices focused on soil health, to reduce soil erosion, enhance soil health, and improve water quality.

The new employee will also assist interested conservation districts in providing technical assistance to local cities and counties by using NRCS Soil Surveys, collecting important resource data and providing Geographical Information Systems (GIS), databases and maps for land use planning and evaluation of development proposals.

The position will require education or experience, which includes knowledge of natural resource management and some engineering principles, methods and techniques as applied to soil and water conservation, and conservation practices such as no-till and cover crops.

A college degree is preferred, although not required if the applicant has had several years of appropriate experience. On the job training is provided. *It is necessary that the person hired for this position completes a course of study to be qualified as an NRCS certified planner.* The applicants should have a good understanding and background in natural resource conservation and the ability to work with the agricultural community.

This is a full-time entry-level position with a salary \$35,000.00 to \$40,000.00 (negotiable): depending on education and experience.

The position also includes health and dental insurance benefits.

Please submit a resume and an introductory letter, about yourself by close of business, February 29, 2024 or until filled.

Send resume to:
Utah Association of Conservation Districts
PO Box 4117
Logan, UT 84323
Or by email to kdavis@uacd.org

The resumes' received will be evaluated, and the top qualified individuals will be invited to interview for the job. Interviews will be held at the NRCS Office, Tremonton, Utah or by Zoom. Regrettably, the Northern Utah CD cannot reimburse any expenses incurred in coming to the interview. This position will remain open until someone is hired. Employee must pass a federal background check.