



Outreach Notice for Seasonal Fire Positions

2025



Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest USDA FOREST SERVICE INTERMOUNTAIN REGION, R4

The Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest is currently advertising for temporary (NTE 1039hrs) Dispatch, Fire Engine, Wildland Fire Module, Helitack, and Hotshot positions. Openings may be available at the GS-03, GS-04, and GS-05 grade levels, with temporary duty/work locations possibly located in:

Nevada (Austin / Carson City / Elko / Ely / Las Vegas / Winnemucca) and in California (Bridgeport / Topaz) depending on staffing needs and budgets. These are temporary wildland fire positions, with a 5 to 6 month tour of duty. Our earliest anticipated start date is late April to mid-May and we expect to operate until mid-October to late October.

These positions will be advertised under a Regional Announcement that can be found at:
www.usajobs.gov

**** Please refer to the Vacancy Announcement numbers and apply within dates shown in order to be considered for these positions. ****

The Announcement Numbers will not appear in USAJOBS until the opening date shown.

Only apply to the Duty Locations you are interested in.

*******Positions Available*******

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Forestry Technician (Helitack Crewmember)	GS-5	0462	25-TEMPF3-R4-0200-5DH October 24 th -November 6 th , 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Carson City, NV		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Forestry Technician (Fuels)	GS-4	0462	25-TEMPF3-R4-0911-4DH October 24 th -November 6 th , 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Carson City / Elko / Ely / Las Vegas, NV and Bridgeport, CA		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Forestry Technician (Fuels)	GS-5	0462	25-TEMPF3-R4-0912-5DH October 24 th -November 6 th , 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Carson City / Elko / Ely / Las Vegas, NV and Bridgeport, CA		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Forestry Technician (Hotshot/Handcrew)	GS-5	0462	25-TEMPF3-R4-2036-4DH October 24th -November 6th, 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Carson City, NV		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Forestry Technician (Hotshot/Handcrew)	GS-4	0462	25-TEMPF3-R4-2037-5DH October 24th -November 6th, 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Carson City, NV		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Forestry Technician (Fire Dispatcher)	GS-4	0462	25-TEMPF3-R4-0935-4DH October 24th -November 6th, 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Carson City / Elko / Ely / Las Vegas / Winnemucca, NV		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Forestry Technician (Fire Dispatcher)	GS-5	0462	25-TEMPF3-R4-0936-5DH October 24th -November 6th, 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Carson City / Elko / Ely / Las Vegas / Winnemucca, NV		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Forestry Technician (Fire Dispatcher)	GS-6	0462	25-TEMPF3-R4-0937-6DH October 24th -November 6th, 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Carson City / Elko / Ely / Las Vegas / Winnemucca, NV		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Automotive Equipment Dispatcher (Logistics Dispatcher)	GS-4	2151	25-TEMP3-R4-2854-4DT-ME October 24th -November 6th, 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Carson City / Elko / Ely / Las Vegas / Winnemucca, NV		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Automotive Equipment Dispatcher (Logistics Dispatcher)	GS-5	2151	25-TEMP3-R4-2855-5DT-EW October 24th -November 6th, 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Carson City / Elko / Ely / Las Vegas / Winnemucca, NV		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Forestry Aid (Engine, Hotshot, & WFM Fire Suppression Crewmember)	GS-3	0462	25-TEMPF3-R4-3867-3DH October 24th -November 6th, 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Austin / Carson City / Elko / Ely / Las Vegas, NV and Bridgeport / Topaz, CA		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Forestry Technician (Engine, Helitack, Hotshot, & WFM Fire Suppression Crewmember)	GS-4	0462	25-TEMPF3-R4-3868-4DH October 24th -November 6th, 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Austin / Carson City / Elko / Ely / Las Vegas, NV and Bridgeport / Topaz, CA		

Position	Grade	Series	USAJOBS Announcement Number Open and Closing Dates
Forestry Technician (Engine, Helitack, Hotshot, & WFM Fire Suppression Crewmember)	GS-5	0462	25-TEMPF3-R4-3869-5DH October 24th -November 6th, 2024 **Announcements close Midnight EST**
Duty Station Locations Available	Austin / Carson City / Elko / Ely / Las Vegas, NV and Bridgeport / Topaz, CA		



Follow the QR Code above or the Link below to express you interest

<https://forms.office.com/g/Vta9MFeLMq>

VACANT POSITION CONTACTS:

Bridgeport Ranger District: Bridgeport and Topaz, California

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Carson Ranger District: Carson City / Reno / Minden, Nevada and Markleeville, California

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Supervisors Office: Bridgeport Helitack, Carson City, NV

Grant Gifford, Helicopter Manager	Phone (775) 685-6749	e-mail: grant.gifford@usda.gov
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Housing **MAY** be available at some of the forest duty stations, but not all.....make sure to ask the contact above what the housing situation is on their district.

Additional Information:

1. ONLY on-line applications are accepted through www.usajobs.gov
2. New applicants must create a new profile within www.usajobs.gov
3. Be sure to indicate the correct duty station(s) of the location(s) of where you wish to be considered.
4. **If interested in any of the positions, it is highly recommended to contact the supervisors listed to receive information about the positions and announcement numbers when they become available.**
5. The Forest is anticipating receiving a list of applicants as early as **December 2024**.

How to Apply

Through the announcement (when available) you may be instructed to electronically attach additional information (e.g.; resume, DD-214, SF-50, training documentation/certificates, college transcripts, etc.)

The applicant must select the desired “Duty Location City” in order to be considered.

Announcements for these positions are on the USAJOBS website. These web-based applications provide individuals interested in employment opportunities with the Forest Service to apply for jobs. You must log into USAJOBS to create an account and an applicant profile. www.usajobs.gov.

For step by step details on how to apply:

<https://www.fs.usda.gov/working-with-us/careers/application-tips-and-webinars>

If you are having difficulty applying for the position through the USAJOBS, you may also contact:

[ASC HCM Contact Center@usda.gov](mailto:ASC_HCM_Contact_Center@usda.gov) or Albuquerque Service Center-Human Capital Management at 877-372-7248

All applications must be processed through www.usajobs.gov

Pre-Employment Drug Screening required prior to receiving position Confirmation Letter

WORK CAPACITY TEST (WCT) for Wildland Firefighters: These positions participate in wildland firefighting activities. Based on the type of work performed, PASSING the Work Capacity Test at the arduous level is a "condition of employment." The arduous fitness (Pack) test consists of a three (3) mile hike, within forty-five (45) minutes, while carrying a forty-five (45) pound pack. You are strongly encouraged to consult with your physician and begin training immediately if you are applying for these positions. This announcement constitutes the required 30 days advanced notice for testing requirements. <https://www.fs.usda.gov/sites/default/files/2023-03/Work-Capacity-Test-brochure.pdf>

About the Forest

At over 6.3 million acres, the Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest is the largest National Forest in the contiguous United States. The Forest spans the state of Nevada, and includes one million acres of land in eastern California, along the eastern Sierra Front. The Forest consists of four distinct geographic areas: the Sierra Nevada, Central Nevada, Northeastern Nevada, and the Spring Mountains (Las Vegas).

Additional links:

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/htnf/about-forest/offices>

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/htnf/about-forest/jobs>

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