

2019-20 AMERICORPS POSITION SUMMARIES

BONNEVILLE ENVIRONMENTAL FOUNDATION – PROGRAM COORDINATOR

Implement a new pilot program involving social service and natural resource agency partners to engage unhoused people in paid stewardship work that takes place in natural areas and greenspaces.

CAMP ELSO – COMMUNITY OUTREACH COORDINATOR

Organize community outreach events to connect families and communities to outdoor educational and recreational opportunities to reclaim and reconnect marginalized communities with the land.

CITY OF GRESHAM, ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES – FOREST EDUCATION SPECIALIST

Develop an environmental education and outreach program focused on tree and forest health. Lead annual community bird survey, assist with veteran trees survey, and conduct forest health survey.

CITY OF GRESHAM, ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES – FOREST HEALTH SPECIALIST

Perform veteran tree surveys, monitor/manage active and ongoing restoration areas, manage the wildlife structure program, and develop and implement a forest health assessment survey protocol.

CITY OF GRESHAM, ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES – FOREST MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST

Develop restoration strategies that maximize natural hazard risk reduction, assess conditions related to risk and slope movement, monitor/manage restoration areas, and develop a prioritization model.

CITY OF GRESHAM, SOLID WASTE – COMMUNITY OUTREACH SPECIALIST

Encourage recycling with property managers and multifamily communities by providing direct education via door-to-door outreach and tabling events. Support schools to become Oregon Green Schools.

CITY OF PORTLAND, BUREAU OF ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES – STORMWATER OUTREACH COORDINATOR

Recruit and train community volunteers in Green Street plantings and stewardship for maximum environmental benefits in low-income, racially diverse communities.

CITY OF PORTLAND, BUREAU OF ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES – TREE EQUITY COORDINATOR

Plan and develop urban forest and sustainable stormwater capacity in low-tree-canopy, low-income, racially diverse communities in Portland.

CLACKAMAS COUNTY, SUSTAINABILITY & SOLID WASTE – WASTE REDUCTION SPECIALIST

Provide recycling/ waste reduction education in multifamily communities, through relationship building, food waste prevention education and developing inclusive resources to underserved communities.

CLEAN WATER SERVICES – WATER RESOURCE TECHNICIAN

Educate community members and youth about ecological enhancement, and engage them in stream projects, plant propagation, preparation, planting, stewardship activities and site evaluation.

FORTH MOBILITY FUND – COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SPECIALIST

Interact with employer organizations, municipalities, community partners, and the public to help promote the use of electric vehicle and EV charging infrastructure.

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF CLACKAMAS COUNTY – FOOD SECURITY COORDINATOR

Engage housing residents in community garden work parties, health and wellness education, Youth Summer Lunch programs and assessing food systems for health and food security issues.

HOYT ARBORETUM FRIENDS – EQUITY EDUCATION SPECIALIST

Lead environmental education field trips with youth and conduct outreach to form new partnerships in underserved communities, to determine needs and barriers to education programs.

JOHNSON CREEK WATERSHED COUNCIL – OUTREACH & RIPARIAN SPECIALIST

Design restoration projects, support outreach efforts and event planning, lead youth service-learning activities and plan community science programs for residents from underserved communities.

NATIONAL WILDLIFE FEDERATION/ASSOCIATION OF NORTHWEST STEELHEADERS – EDUCATION & OUTREACH COORDINATOR

Promote environmental justice by engaging communities and partners in opportunities that help develop stewardship, increase access to outdoors and restores/protects wildlife habitat.

PORTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE, SYLVANIA – LEARNING GARDEN COORDINATOR

Establish systems that supply fresh produce to low-income students experiencing food insecurity and provide education in the Learning Garden on organic food production, planting and sustainability.

REYNOLDS LEARNING ACADEMY – ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM SPECIALIST

Organize and coordinate recruitment and environmental education opportunities to engage students from diverse backgrounds. Develop bilingual materials to meet the needs of second language learners.

THE BLUEPRINT FOUNDATION – DIVERSE ENGAGEMENT SPECIALIST

Identify job opportunities to assist Black students in securing internships prior to graduation and create a mentoring program that connects students to Black professionals in various careers.

THE NATURE CONSERVANCY – COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT COORDINATOR

Engage and activate more Oregonians in conservation work: help design, build and implement urban engagement programs, including restoration and outreach programs targeted to an urban audience.

TRASH FOR PEACE – SUSTAINABILITY EDUCATION COORDINATOR

Educate youth and community about sustainability through hands-on learning. Help to implement, improve, and expand Education Program that serves to economically and socially empower participants.

VERDE – ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION SPECIALIST

Create an environmental education program to serve low-income youth and youth of color in the Cully neighborhood. Develop curriculum, strengthen partnerships, recruit volunteers and conduct outreach.

WASHINGTON COUNTY SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING – COMMUNITY OUTREACH SPECIALIST

Implement a waste prevention project for multifamily communities. Offer technical assistance to managers that include educational materials, presentations, outreach and tabling.

Recruitment for Confluence positions begins in June and positions start in September. All positions are a fulltime, 11-month commitment. Please visit our website <http://www.confluencecenter.org/> for details.