

## **JOB DESCRIPTION**

Position:	<b>SUMMER SILVICULTURAL STUDENT (multiple)</b>
Salary Range:	\$ 773.50 to \$ 931.00 / week
Hours of Work:	50 hours per week: 7:00 am to 5:00 pm Employee may be required to work evenings and weekends
Contract Length:	Early May to late August 2022

The Nawiingnokiima Forest Management Corporation (NFMC) is a Crown Agency established in 2012 and the Sustainable Forest License (SFL) holder for the Pic and White River forests in northern Ontario. The NFMC is responsible for supervising all harvest, renewal, and compliance reporting activities on the Pic and White River forests.

### **Duties for this position include:**

- Assist with supervision of the 2022 tree plant program(s), conduct renewal area monitoring/reporting, assist with the aerial herbicide application program, and the mechanical site preparation program;
- Conduct competition and survival assessments, tree plant quality assessments, and free to grow assessments as directed by the supervisor;
- Utilise a handheld GPS and tablet to transfer, track, and record collected field data;
- Conduct field work in remote and isolated areas;
- Report and document health, safety, and compliance issues to supervisor;
- Various Operations duties such as bridge cleaning, infrastructure inspections/inventories, etc.
- Other duties as assigned.

### **Qualifications:**

- Must possess a High School Diploma or equivalent;
- Preference will be given to candidates enrolled in, or in possession of, a Forestry/Natural Resource Technician Diploma/Degree;
- Must demonstrate interpersonal, communication, organizational, and leadership skills;
- Must have a demonstrated ability to work independently with minimal supervision;
- Must provide high-quality project data in a timely, professional, and effective manner;
- Capable of demonstrating strong work ethic;
- Demonstrated willingness to work alone outdoors in inclement weather, exposed to biting insects, in remote locations for long periods of time;
- Be comfortable with possible wildlife encounters (bears, moose, etc.);
- Possess working knowledge of Microsoft Excel, Word, GPS, and GIS technology;
- Previous experience in operational silviculture is an asset;
- Knowledge of the OH&S Act and completion of Standard First-Aid is an asset;
- Experience driving on forestry access "bush roads" is an asset;
- Must possess a valid Ontario "G" Class Driver's License, or equivalent;

### **Note to candidates:**

- The successful applicant must provide: a) a criminal record check; b) a motor vehicle abstract prior to commencement of employment contract. The costs for these records will be reimbursed by the NFMC;
- Staff housing will be provided in Manitouwadge, Ontario;
- Vehicles will be provided for work transportation;
- Work references will be requested

**A cover letter and resume must be received before 4:30 pm, Friday January 7, 2022.** Please submit your resume to [mathew.hodgkin@nfmcforestry.ca](mailto:mathew.hodgkin@nfmcforestry.ca) with the job title in the subject line. Only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

If you require accommodations at any time throughout the application process, please contact the NFMC prior to the job closing date so that appropriate arrangements can be made.