



RECRUITMENT NOTICE

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES

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March 16, 2018

The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources is recruiting for the job title described below. **ALL** applications for this position must be filled out online at the Mississippi State Personnel Board's Career Center located at www.mspsb.ms.gov under the Job Seekers tab. Please enter the job title as it appears below in the State Job Title section. Resumes are not a substitution for completing a job application. The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources does not have the authority to fill this position above the below listed annual starting salary.

STATE JOB TITLE: **DMR-Coastal Resource Management Specialist I**

WORKING TITLE: **Permitter**

ANNUAL STARTING SALARY: **\$27,780.92**

OFFICE: **Office of Coastal Resource Management**

LOCATION: **Harrison County/Biloxi, Mississippi**

RECRUITMENT DATES: **March 16 – March 30, 2018**

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS: This is professional level work in which the individual reviews, analyzes, and makes recommendations concerning requests for coastal wetlands permits submitted to the Office of Coastal Resource Management at the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources. Inspection of permit violations is also required. Travel is required to make site inspections of proposed permit activities within the three coastal counties of Mississippi.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES: The ideal candidate should have a working knowledge of coastal and estuarine ecosystems of the Gulf of Mexico, coastal resource management techniques, the fauna and flora of the Gulf of Mexico, and ecological principles. Knowledge of wetlands delineation is desired. Candidates also need to possess excellent verbal and written communication skills; be able to appropriately interact with a wide variety of people; possess skill in executing multiple projects simultaneously; have excellent negotiation, computer,

and presentation skills; and, have the ability to exercise considerable judgment and discretion. Degrees in biology, botany, geography, ecology, environmental science, forestry, or wildlife biology are preferred.

EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS: A Bachelor's Degree from an accredited four-year college or university in biology, botany, geology, geography, ecology, anthropology, archaeology, environmental science, forestry, wildlife biology, or a related field.

NOTE: This is a time-limited position funded with federal funds. Continuation of the position is dependent upon continuation of the federal funds.

The complete job description may be found at: www.mspb.ms.gov.

The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources is an equal opportunity employer and will fill positions without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex, age, marital status or disability.