

Department of State Lands



Job Opportunity: Forester

Come Make a Difference for Oregon. The Department of State Lands manages the land and resources that help fund public schools, ensuring an education legacy for Oregon's kids through sound stewardship, and protects the state's waterways and wetlands for the many benefits they provide.

The DSL team makes a difference for Oregonians every day. As our Forester, you will too.

What You'll Do. Oregon has approximately 750,000 acres of Common School Fund lands, and every year the fund provides tens of millions of dollars to our schools.

The Forester has an important role in managing Common School Fund forestlands across the state. This position:

- Assesses, analyzes and monitors current forest land activities.
- Determines management needs of forest lands through inventory and assessment.
- Provides forest management assistance for forest activities within the South Slough Reserve in Charleston, Oregon.

Working with Us. The Forester (Natural Resource Specialist 3) is a full-time, limited-duration* position. Salem or Bend are the preferred work locations for this position. Alternate locations within the State of Oregon may be considered during the selection process. Benefits of working with the Oregon Department of State Lands include a commitment to a work-life balance and:

- Working with a team of supportive, talented, and highly motivated professionals.
- Competitive compensation. Salary range for this position is \$4,216-\$6,157 monthly.
- Paid sick leave, vacation, personal leave and 10 paid holidays per year.
- Flexible work schedules are considered. Teleworking may be considered after six months of employment.
- Comprehensive medical, dental and vision plans for the employee and qualified family members. Learn more: www.oregon.gov/OHA/PEBB
- Membership in the Public Employees Retirement System (PERS)/Oregon Public Service Retirement Plan (OPSRP). Learn more: www.oregon.gov/PERS
- An inclusive environment that treats all people with respect and embraces the differences that result from a diverse range of perspectives. DSL fosters a high-trust culture that supports a happy, healthy and meaningful work environment for all.

**This position is funded through June 30, 2019. The Department has requested funding for the position through June 30, 2021.*

To Apply. Please submit a cover letter and resume to Beth Vergara at beth.a.vergara@dsl.state.or.us. The position is open until filled. First review of resumes and cover letters will take place on November 1, 2018.

