

## **FIELD AND OUTREACH AMERICORPS INTERN (Six-month term)**

Clackamas River Basin Council, Damascus, Oregon

Closes: when filled

### **Position Description**

The Clackamas River Basin Council is seeking to hire an additional Americorps Intern to serve as a riparian field crew team member. The position allows a wide variety of work experiences, including: GIS mapping, writing, outreach and other office tasks, in the field work includes plant care, weed control, and tree planting. Work is performed at our Damascus, Oregon office and around the Clackamas Watershed, primarily in the lower tributaries, although some work will also be performed.

Because we are located at the edge of the urban growth boundary, the applicant will need to have their own transportation. We reimburse for work-related travel.

### **Preferred Qualifications:**

- Previous ecological monitoring, scientific field research, volunteer leadership and environmental education experience.
- Familiarity with Microsoft Office and ArcGIS software.
- Organized and self-motivated.
- Outgoing.
- Good sense of humor.
- Knowledge of Pacific Northwest ecology, botany and wildlife.

### **Member Benefits Include:**

- A taxable living allowance totaling \$5,876 which will be split into monthly increments over the service term.
- Upon successful completion of a term of service, eligible members receive an education award of \$2,362. The education award can be used to repay qualified student loans, for further education in an accredited institution of higher learning, vocational or for trade schools. The education award is taxed in the year that it is used.
- Loan forbearance (after successful completion of a term of service, AmeriCorps will pay a portion of the accrued interest on qualified loans, which is taxable).

Email your resume to Matthew Kimble: [matthew@clackamasriver.org](mailto:matthew@clackamasriver.org).

Information about the Council is on the web at [www.clackamasriver.org](http://www.clackamasriver.org).