Working Title: ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNICAL SPECIALIST
Vacancy Title: TEMPORARY SEASONAL LABOR
Position Number: 4050278
City: Park Hills
Division/Program: Environmental Quality / Environmental Remediation Program
Hourly salary: $15.10
Posting Period: 05/20/2019 – 05/28/2019

Position Description:
This is a Temporary Seasonal Labor (TSL) position to assist the Environmental Remediation Program’s (ERP) Site Assessment Unit (SAU) staff with soil sampling and analysis for the purpose of removing lead from residential yards in the Park Hills, Leadington, and the Farmington areas.

This position will be temporary, extending the length of the project, expected to occur between June and December, 2019. The work week will be Monday through Thursday, with the possibility of working on Fridays, if needed. Work hours are expected to be 40 hours per week, not to exceed 1,000 hours total during the length of the employment.

This position will be a great opportunity to network with Missouri Department of Natural Resource’s staff and environmental remediation contactors.

Job Duties:
• Operate an X-Ray Fluorescence (XRF) analyzer and effectively record related data according to the Job Specifications and Sampling Plan; device-specific training will be provided
• Obtain incremental samples according to the Job Specifications and Sampling Plan
• Process and log samples at the designated laboratory according to the Job Specifications and Sampling Plan
• Provide weekly updates to senior staff through electronic communication
• Effectively work under the supervision of senior environmental staff in the field
• Participate in technical conference calls and meetings
• Perform other duties as assigned
Key Skills:
• Candidate must participate and successfully obtain 40-Hr HAZWOPER Certification (to attend June 10-14 class in Springfield or St. Louis)
• Detail oriented
• Effective communication skills
• Familiarity with Quality Assurance & Quality Control (QA/QC) principles
• Experience working in a laboratory setting
• Able to work outside 10+ hours/day in variable climates (heat, cold, rain, & snow)
• Able to lift 50 lbs.

Preferred Qualifications:
• Bachelor’s degree in biological studies
• Possess a valid driver’s license
• Familiarity with residential yard removal of lead contamination is beneficial

To Apply:
Submit all resumes to Martin Kator at martin.kator@dnr.mo.gov
Attn: Martin Kator; Site Assessment Unit Chief

For questions please contact, Martin Kator at 573-751-1388.

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