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Job Description --- Aerial Application Ground Control Operator

Seasonal Employment: May - September

Wages: \$7,000 evenly distributed over 5-month work agreement (May -September).

Opportunity for beginning and end of season bonuses

1st year employee:

\$100 End of Season Bonus

Returning employee:

\$200 "Return Bonus"

\$200 End of Season Bonus

Wages will be paid during the last pay period of each month

Experience: No prior experience needed. Training will be provided upon hire.

Must be 18 or older to apply

Job Description: Aerial Application Ground Control Operator. Part-time. Approx. 10-15 hours/week at the discretion of the Supervisor. 7:00 AM until assignment is complete. Monday through Friday. Occasional Saturdays or Sundays if aerial application is warranted. Primarily field work will include but not limited to assisting and communicating with the Alamosa Mosquito Control District's pilot prior to, during, and following aerial applications. Following specific aerial application instructions are required and must be taken seriously! A good driving record required. If applying for this position, please include a copy of your driving record with your application.

Responsibilities:

Include but are not limited to:

- Work at the discretion of the Supervisor
- Work varied hours/schedules
- Understanding and working knowledge of mosquito insecticide EPA chemical labels and safety procedures they will apply
- Proper application of mosquito insecticide chemicals according to EPA labels

- Working knowledge and safety procedures for the vehicles and equipment they will be operating.
- Working knowledge of GPS/GIS, field tablets and their software programs
- Working knowledge of Google Earth and/or any other mapping programs
- Working knowledge of a handheld CB radio
- Working knowledge of the 4 Cardinal Directions
- Working knowledge of the District Boundary Lines, road names, & areas within.
- Proper use of safety equipment for the task at hand
- Lawfully operate vehicles and equipment
- Report equipment failure to supervisor
- Maintain the cleanliness of the vehicles and equipment you operate
- Advise Managers/Supervisor of delays or inability to work in an expeditious manner
- Other duties as assigned

Equipment: Should be able to operate basic hand and power tools, android operated tablet, lawfully operate a motor vehicle.

Physical Demands: The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by an individual to successfully perform essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

1. Wear common protective or Safety Equipment such as Safety Shoes, Glasses, Gloves, Hearing Protection, Long Sleeves & Pants when exposed to chemicals, contaminants, or variable weather conditions, and High Visualization clothing for public noticeability while on private property.
2. Ability to occasionally lift items more than 40 pounds
3. This position requires standing, walking, sitting, kneeling, stooping, bending, lifting, squatting, pushing, pulling, crawling, ascending, and descending ladders, sliding, climbing, pinching, gripping, digging, spraying, reaching overhead, reaching away from body, and repetitive motion
4. Ability to perform job tasks under conditions of potential harm (toxic fumes, hazardous materials, heights, confined spaces, and similar situations) and various types of weather conditions
5. Work may be performed under hazardous and adverse conditions, including but not limited to, slippery and uneven surfaces, and proximity to moving mechanical equipment

Additional Information:

This job description is not intended to list every function of the position, does not constitute an employment agreement, and is subject to change.

To ensure the safety of the public and reduce the risk for loss, background screenings may be completed on applicants selected for employment. This position is subject to a screening process including but not limited to criminal history search, reference check, employment verification, motor vehicle record check.