Marine Technician 2 – McIntosh County

LOCATION	Sapelo Island						
DIVISION	Wildlife Resources Division						
POSITION #	00185169	JOB CODE	NRT051	PAYGRADE	ı	ENTRY SALARY	\$32,418.30

JOB DESCRIPTION

Under supervision of the Research Coordinator this position is the lead field technician for the Research & Monitoring Program of the Sapelo Island National Estuarine Research Reserve (SINERR). Primary duties include collecting and reporting data for the long-term System-Wide Monitoring Program/SWMP (water quality, water nutrients and meteorological data), and maintaining the infrastructure necessary for the program. The technician will also be involved in other projects relevant to SINERR objectives. These duties may include data synthesis, field data collection beyond SWMP (e.g., biological monitoring), and the maintenance and operation of small vessels in coastal waters. The technician will also be expected to monitor lab inventory and procure replacement equipment and supplies when needed. Most work will be on a limited access island with daily ferry transportation provided. The technician should expect at least 45% of work to take place in the field outside of an office. Must be able to lift 40 lbs. No state housing on island is available for this position.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Associate's degree in Marine Sciences or a related field from an accredited college or university.

OR

Completion of equivalent coursework (90 quarter hours or 60 semester hours) in Marine Sciences or a related field from an accredited college or university.

OR

High school diploma or GED

AND

Two years of experience in the Coastal Resources Division at the lower level Marine Technician 1 (NRT050) which included responsibilities in marine operations.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

Preference may be given to applicants with:

- Bachelor Degree in environmental science, natural resource management, or related field
- Experience in deployment and maintenance of multiparameter sondes
- Experience in scientific field collections and lab protocol
- Experience with synthesizing data and writing summary reports
- Experience in safe operations of small vessels in coastal waters
- Experience working in field conditions found in the coastal Southeastern U.S.

If interested in applying for this position, please submit an electronic DNR Application for Employment to the e-mail address highlighted below or mail a completed DNR Application for Employment to the following address:

Georgia Department of Natural Resources Wildlife Resources Division ATTN: Recruitment and Selection 2067 US Hwy, 278, SE Social Circle, GA 30025 WRD.Careers@dnr.ga.gov

The Deadline date to apply for this position is 4/1/22

Applicant Information

- Vacancies are open to all qualified applicants. Applicants will be screened for the minimum qualifications listed for each
 job vacancy. Preference will be given to applicants who, in addition to meeting the minimum qualifications, possess one
 or more of the listed preferred qualifications, when applicable.
- Employees will be given the opportunity to compete within their division or within central office to transfer to or voluntary demote to a vacant position prior to consideration of applicants from outside of the agency.
- Applications are accepted for <u>announced jobs only</u>.
- To apply for an announced job vacancy, applicants must submit a Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Application for Employment to the individual address listed with each job posting. It is important that applications be sent directly to the contact person and/or locations listed. Applications sent to another location may not be forwarded and may result in applications not being considered.
- Applicants must submit one application for each position being applied for.
- A .pdf version and a Word version of the DNR Application for Employment can be found by visiting the Careers page of the DNR website at https://gadnr.org/careers.
- If submitting a résumé, please attach the résumé with a completed DNR Application for Employment.
- Please be sure to include the following information on your application, Job Title and Position Number.
- If the minimum qualifications for a job require a college education and you have obtained a degree from a college or
 university outside the USA, you are required to submit an International Education Evaluation Letter showing your degree
 is equivalent to one obtained at a college or university in the USA. International Educational Evaluations are accepted
 from the National Association of Credential Evaluation Services (www.naces.org/members.htm) or the Association of
 International Credentials Evaluators (www.naces.org/members.htm)
- Your application must be postmarked no later than the application deadline date noted on the specific job posting.
 Please note that deadlines will differ by job postings.
- Any offer of full time and part time employment by DNR is conditional upon a background check that is appropriate for
 the job functions and business necessity. If related criminal records are revealed in the process, the applicant will not
 be automatically disqualified.
- Information found on publicly posted social media accounts may be examined.
- Current State of Georgia employees transferring to a DNR position, on the same pay grade, will transfer at their existing pay. Current State of Georgia employees transferring to a DNR position, on a higher pay grade, will typically receive a 5% promotion, or go to the job minimum, whichever is greater. Current State of Georgia employees transferring to a DNR position, on a lower pay grade, will typically receive a demotion with a loss in pay.
- All positions listed in this announcement are in the Unclassified Service and will be filled as unclassified positions.
- All qualified applicants will be considered. Hiring locations will contact applicants regarding interviews but due to the volume of applications received not all applicants will be contacted or receive an interview.
- If you need this Vacancy Announcement in an alternate format, please contact the DNR Office of Human Resources at 404.656.7560.
- DNR is a registered participant in the federal work authorization program commonly known as E-Verify. DNR uses this program to verify employment eligibility of individuals hired on or after July 1, 2007. DNR's E-Verify ID # is 45119, Authorized July 1, 2007.
- The Georgia Department of Natural Resources is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Additional information on the Georgia Department of Natural Resources Operating Divisions can be located by visiting the below website addresses:

Coastal Resources Division
Environmental Protection Division
Law Enforcement Division
Parks and Historic Resources Division
Wildlife Resources Division

www.CoastalGADNR.org www.GeorgiaEPD.org www.GADNRLE.org www.GAStateParks.org www.GeorgiaWildlife.org

NOTE: Information in this Vacancy Announcement is subject to change.