



Seasonal Land Stewardship Technician 2024

An exciting opportunity to join a dedicated, successful stewardship team supporting land conservation across Essex County.

Position Overview

The Seasonal Land Stewardship Technician works with a talented team of professionals in support of all aspects of land stewardship across Essex County, MA. The position is full-time (40 hours per week), for the summer season (May-August: 12-14 weeks).

About Greenbelt

As Essex County's Land Trust since 1961, Greenbelt is the most active conservation organization in the region. With over 21,500 acres protected, a growing staff of 18+ employees, and thousands of supporters, Greenbelt is a trusted community partner serving the 34 cities and towns in Essex County. Learn more at ecga.org

Greenbelt seeks a diverse pool of candidates. In addition to being an Equal Opportunity Employer, we aim to create an inclusive, equitable workplace where everyone is valued.

Core Responsibilities and Scope

The Seasonal Land Stewardship Technician will work closely with other Stewardship and Greenbelt staff to accomplish the following:

- Maintain Greenbelt owned properties, including trail work, boundary marking, signage, grass, field and trail mowing, clean-up, community garden management and other work as directed;
- Assist with a variety of conservation biology initiatives focused on wildlife species like Osprey and Piping Plovers;
- Assist with invasive plant control initiatives;
- Assist with special event planning, set-up and management, including some weeknights and weekends;
- Perform other tasks as directed.

Qualifications and Skills:

- Demonstrated interest in a natural resource focus or a related field;
- Ability to perform physical tasks, sometimes strenuous and in challenging conditions of terrain and weather;

- Experience operating or willingness to learn to operate certain tools and power equipment like walk-behind lawn mowers and brush mower, weed trimmer, chainsaw, brush saw, as well as other power tools like saws and drills.
- Willingness to work alone at times;
- Maintain a valid driver's license; willingness to drive or learn to drive a standard transmission vehicle.

Pay Range:

\$17/hour. Housing not included.

Additional Information:

This position is located at Greenbelt's headquarters at the Cox Reservation in Essex, MA.

To Apply:

Applications will be accepted until the position is filled, but applications will be reviewed as they are received. Interested candidates should submit a cover letter and resume in a single PDF (if possible) via email with a subject: Seasonal Stewardship Technician to Dave Rimmer at dwr@ecga.org

Greenbelt is an equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, gender, gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, national origin, genetics, disability, age, or veteran status.