

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

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State Title: Natural Resources Specialist V
Functional Title:
Job Posting: L19216
Monthly Salary: \$4598.66 - \$6164.73
Salary Group: B23
Posting Date: 05/10/2019
Close Date: 05/24/2019
Section/Division: Air Quality Section/Air Quality Division
Work Location: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, TX 78753
Openings: One
Position #(s): 0377

Job Description:

Provides technical guidance, expertise and project coordination for State Implementation Plan (SIP) efforts specific to Regional Haze modeling requirements for the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ). Coordinates and oversees modeling activities related to air quality planning activities, such as protocol development; task scheduling; post-processing and analyzing modeling results; coordination of activities with other groups and other project managers; and design, development and review of supporting documentation. Prepares and conducts quality assurance on supporting meteorological and/or emissions data and files for photochemical and other regulatory modeling input in support of SIP development. Develops, coordinates, oversees, and conducts highly advanced air quality research contract and/or grant projects and reviews consistent with management guidelines, serving as project leader and providing guidance to participants. Communicates modeling information to TCEQ staff and management, stakeholder groups, elected officials, and the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Provides technical guidance, advice, and training to modeling staff. Participates in planning related to future activities, including evaluation of new modeling technologies, design of future modeling studies, and design of future modeling programs.

Military Occupational Specialty (MOS) Codes:

72D, 8831, 8E000, and 9S100

Minimum Qualifications:

A bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university, with a major in a natural or physical science, engineering, environmental studies, or related field (COPY OF OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT REQUIRED WITH APPLICATION), plus six years of full-time experience in environmental activities.

One year of full-time experience in the field of environmental activities may be substituted for each year (30 semester hours) of the required education.

OR A master's degree from an accredited college or university in the degrees listed above, or related fields (COPY OF OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT REQUIRED WITH APPLICATION) plus five years of the required experience.

OR A doctorate degree from an accredited college or university in engineering, science, environmental science or related fields (COPY OF OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT REQUIRED WITH APPLICATION) plus four years of the required experience.

OR Two years of full-time experience as a Natural Resources Specialist IV at the TCEQ.

Preferred Requirements:

Experience coordinating or overseeing technical or scientific environmental research projects/contracts.

Experience developing scientific data used for air quality plans and programs.

Experience developing technical documentation for federal or state environmental plans.

Experience communicating technical information to an audience.

Special Requirements:

Moving up to 15 pounds of paper files, computer components.

Traveling up to 20% of the time.

Condition of Employment:

TCEQ will verify Selective Service registration for males born on or after January 1, 1960. If exempt from Selective Service registration selected candidate must provide proof of exemption on first day of employment. Offers of employment are contingent on the candidate having legal authorization to work for the TCEQ. TCEQ will conduct a criminal history records search on candidates selected for posted vacancies. Only applicants who are interviewed will receive written non-selection notification.

To Apply:

Email a State of Texas application to jobs@tceq.texas.gov; or mail to TCEQ Human Resources & Staff Services, P.O. Box 13087, MC-116 Austin, TX 78711-3087; or submit in person, at 12100 Park 35 Circle, Bldg. A, Austin, Texas 78753 by the close date. An electronically signed copy is acceptable.

In compliance with ADA, if you need any special accommodations during the employment process, please contact HRSS for assistance at (512) 239-0102.

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