



POSITION VACANCY FOR AN ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIALIST III

There is an immediate opening for a qualified individual as an OPS Environmental Specialist III in the Watershed Planning and Coordination Section of the Division of Water Resource Management.

Duties and responsibilities focus on supporting the development of Basin Management Action Plans. Responsibilities will include maintaining accurate program status records, maintaining stakeholder contact lists, communicating regularly with stakeholders, coordinating public notice announcements, and other program support duties. In addition, this position will directly support staff through watershed-specific technical projects such as analyses of spatial land use characteristics, water quality data, and permits. This position will involve extensive coordination with Department staff, other state agencies, local governments, and members of the public.

Minimum qualifications include a Bachelor's degree with a major in an area of planning, natural science, geography, or a similar field and one year of experience; OR a Master's Degree in a similar field. The ideal candidate will be: 1) an excellent written and verbal communicator; 2) proficient in the use of Geographic Information System software; 3) well-organized; 4) flexible; and 5) confident interacting with the public.

The annual salary range is \$30,021.72-77,261.40. New employees are generally hired at the base rate, but a higher starting salary is available for exceptional candidates. Significant training opportunities will also be provided. Note: OPS positions are not covered under the State benefits program. Applications will be accepted through Friday, August 25th, 2006.

To apply, submit a State of Florida application or resume to:

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