ROCKY MOUNTAIN YOUTH CORPS
2022 Wilderness/Trails Intern

Partner Agency: US Forest Service – Dillon Ranger District
Positions Available: 1
Location: Dillon, CO
Tentative Dates: May 16th – October 8th, 2022, or upon completion of 21 weeks
Wage: $660/week, boot allowance $350, housing stipend $105 per week.
Plus: Shared housing is available at Keystone Ski Resort at a rate of approximately $650/month. Rooms are triple occupancy with a shared kitchen, bathroom and laundry. Training and certifications provided may include first aid, crosscut saws. All field gear is provided including a day pack, work gloves, first aid supplies, personal protective equipment and Forest Service uniform.

Upon successful completion of the season the incumbent with qualify for the Public Land Corps Hiring Authority which gives priority hiring when applying for jobs with the USFS. It would take two years of year-round work with the USFS to qualify at the same level.

Program Overview:
This internship position will be in support of the Dillon Ranger District’s faced-paced Wilderness and Trails Maintenance program. Selected candidates will work with a 14-person team to provide leadership, support and technical expertise to a multitude of partners and 10-person trail crews across 300,000 acres of national forest system lands in Summit County Colorado. For the 2022 field season projects will include mechanized trail construction, technical trail structure replacement/maintenance/new construction, trail maintenance, Wilderness trail clearing with primitive hand-tools and crosscut saws and Wilderness patrols and public contacts/education.

General Qualifications:
Ability to successfully work and positively contribute as a member of a small team in backcountry field settings in all weather conditions. Skill in maintaining a positive mental attitude while working long hours in a variety of outdoor setting is a must. Strong physical fitness and endurance are required. Prior experience interacting with the public and providing solid customer service is a plus. Interest in recreation/trails/wilderness management on federal lands is highly encouraged as well as a good foundation/experience in trail maintenance operations.

Requirements:
- High School Diploma or Higher
- 18 Years of age or older as of the start date with a valid driver license and clean driving record.
- U.S. Citizenship or permission to work in the US
- Pre-service background screening required including FBI background check

This position is classified as Temporary Regular Non-Exempt and is a seasonal position with no benefits.

Rocky Mountain Youth Corps is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Rocky Mountain Youth Corps is committed to the inclusion of members with all levels of ability. Reasonable accommodations are available upon request. This program is available to all, without regard to race, ethnicity, national origin, disability, age, sex, political affiliation, or religion.

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