

SEASONAL STEWARD – NATURAL RESOURCES

Organization Overview

Medina County Park District is a local and regional leader in conservation, education, and the protection of natural resources. Employees take pride in the parks, trails, programs, and community; ensure quality outdoor experiences; protect public investments; plant the forests and prairies of tomorrow; and develop the next generation of stewards. Employment with the park district is more than a job – it's an opportunity to make lives better in a fun, fulfilling team environment.

Responsibility

Under the direction of the natural resource manager, assists with duties pertaining to natural resource management

Examples of Duties

- Trail construction and maintenance
- Invasive plant management
- Aquatic management projects
- Tree maintenance projects
- Park maintenance activities
- Operation of mowing equipment, chainsaws, tractors, and trucks
- Natural resource inventories (i.e., flora and fauna surveys)
- Other duties as assigned

Necessary Knowledge, Skills, Abilities

- Must be enrolled in an accredited college or university and have some experience with equipment operation
- Teamwork, communication, and partnership skills, and the ability to work directly with all levels of the organization to achieve common goals
- Trust, integrity, and credibility

Required Physical Abilities Include the Following, But Are Not Limited To

- Must work in the outdoors in inclement weather
- Must occasionally lift items in excess of 50 pounds
- Must occasionally work around heavy equipment during construction projects
- Difficult, physical labor is required

Desired Training and Experience Requirements

- Minimum first-year student in natural resource management, park and recreation management, wildlife management, or related field
- Possession of a valid Ohio motor vehicle operator's license with a good driving record