



Midpeninsula Regional Open Space District - *JOB ANNOUNCEMENT*

## Water Resources Intern

**Pay Rate: \$20.7030 per hour, Non-benefited**

**Open Until Filled - First Review of Applications on April 15, 2019**

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### **About the Position:**

The Water Resources Intern will work principally on a single, long-term water resources monitoring project. Additional smaller projects may include plant, wildlife, archeology and/or ecological restoration projects. Responsibilities will include gathering field data for the stream sediment study, working with volunteers to assist in data gathering, organizing field work, and analyzing data. Other duties may include GIS mapping, researching and preparing summaries for various projects, and maintaining equipment.

**Benefits:** This is a temporary position working 20 – 40 hours per week, which will extend up to a total of 950 hours over a 6-9 month period. This is a non-benefited position.

**Basic Requirements:** Internships are open to applications from current students or recent graduates (within the last 12 months). The intern must be available to work three days a week in July and August in order to complete the necessary fieldwork. Successful candidates will have a background in hydrology, geology, biology, ecology, environmental studies, park management, planning or another related field; and experience with field survey techniques. The water-focused internship requires familiarity with hydrology, sediment transport processes, and geomorphology. Experience with ArcGIS software and mapping natural resources with GPS equipment are a plus. Possession of or ability to obtain a valid California driver's license.

**Working Conditions:** Work is divided between District administrative offices in a group working environment and field visits to survey, map, and collect field data. Fieldwork is conducted in rural or mountainous District open space areas, which may involve working alone in wild land areas and traversing rough, difficult terrain sometimes with poison oak and dense vegetation.

**About the District:** The District manages a regional greenbelt system in the Santa Cruz Mountain region comprised of over 63,000 acres of land in 26 open space preserves, protected for public enjoyment and recreation. The District is a growing organization with a focused mission that guides our work, and where every employee makes an impact. It's an exciting time to be part of the District's team! If you are looking for a challenging opportunity to contribute to the legacy of open space preservation and recreation, we invite you to apply for this position. To learn more about the District, visit our website, [OpenSpace.org](http://OpenSpace.org), and view our "[Working for Midpen](#)" video on our Jobs page.

**How to Apply:** Apply online at [CalOpps.org](http://CalOpps.org). **The following four application items are *required* in order to be considered for the position:** (1) CalOpps Employment application (2) Cover Letter (3) Resume (4) Supplemental question responses.

**Incomplete applications will not be considered for the position.** Applicants with the most relevant experience and qualifications suitable for the position will be contacted for interviews.

**Interviews are planned for April 22, 2019.** We suggest planning your calendar accordingly.

Midpeninsula Regional Open Space District is an Equal Opportunity Employer

Applicants with disabilities may request reasonable accommodation by contacting the Human Resources department.

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