

**THE NAVAJO NATION**  
**Department of Personnel Management**  
**JOB VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT**

REQUISITION NO: DNR12616866

DATE POSTED: 01/09/19

POSITION NO: 949654

CLOSING DATE: 01/30/19

POSITION TITLE: Wildlife Conservation Officer

DEPARTMENT NAME / WORKSITE: DNR/ Fish & Wildlife Department/ Shiprock, NM

WORK DAYS: VARIES REGULAR FULL TIME:  GRADE/STEP: AR62A

WORK HOURS: VARIES PART TIME:  NO. OF HRS./WK.: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 35,755.20 PER ANNUM

SENSITIVE  SEASONAL:  DURATION : \_\_\_\_\_ \$ 17.19 PER HOUR

NON-SENSITIVE  TEMPORARY:  \_\_\_\_\_

**DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

Patrol assigned are to enforce wildlife and fish statutes, rules and regulation, contact users and non-users for proper permit, license, certificates and record the take of wildlife, plants and other natural resource taken, investigate violation of Navajo Nation and federal laws and regulations, interview witness and suspects, search for and secure evidence, seize illegally taken fish and game and other natural resource, secure and serve search warrants, make arrest, issue citations for violations, testify in court, prepare reports for prosecution in Navajo Nation and Federal courts. Take crel reports, data sheets, assist with annual fish stocking, assist wildlife biologist during big game hunts by collecting samples from harvested animal, monitor golden and bald eagle nest sites, assist with big game hunt surveys, prepare reports on management activities, collaborate and assist other law enforcement agencies, teach hunter education, teach boating education, make presentation to local communities, assist individuals with depredation issues, etc.

**QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS: (Education, Experience and Training)**

**Minimum Qualifications:**

- A high school diploma/GED and successful completion of an approved Basic Law Enforcement Training Program; and one (1) year of Law Enforcement experience, or an equivalent combination of education and training,

**Special Requirements:**

- Posses a valid state drivers license.
- A favorable background investigation.

*(To receive full credit for education, certification, or licensure, transcripts, copies of degrees, certificates, and other appropriate documents must be submitted along with employment application.)*

**Special Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:**

Knowledge of Federal, state and Navajo Nation Laws governing Fish and Wildlife. Knowledge of legal procedures involved in the apprehension and prosecution of law violators, Knowledge of investigative methods and techniques, knowledge of wildlife conservation and management principles and practices, skill in analyzing situations quickly and objectively to determine proper course of action, skill in maintaining calm during emergencies, Skill in the use of assigned weapons, skill establishing and maintaining effective working relationships, skill in verbal and written communication, ability to enforce laws tactfully, firm and impartially. must be in good and healthy, physical fit to work in outdoor setting with exposure to various weather conditions and lifting from 150lbs to 500 lbs. on an infrequent basis.

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