THE NAVAJO NATION
Department of Personnel Management
JOB VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

REQUISITION NO: **DNR1262235** Date Posted: **08/02/10**
POSITION NO: 940729 Closing Date: **OUF**
CLASS CODE: 3249
POSITION TITLE: **Zoologist**
DEPARTMENT NAME: Fish and Wildlife
DEPARTMENT NO: 126 WORKSITE LOCATION: Window Rock, Arizona
WORKS DAYS/HOURS: POSITION TYPE: GRADE: N650A
Days: M-F w/variation Permanent: ☑ SALARY:
Hours: 8-5 w/variation Temporary: ☐ Duration: $ 40,081.60 Per Annum
Part-Time: ☐ No. of Hrs/Wk: 40 $ 19.27 Per Hour

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:
Responsible for planning and implementing field studies to assess the distribution and population status for endangered, rare native wildlife across the Navajo Nation. This includes conducting field studies using standard zoological study methods of animals in their natural habitat, may collect specimens for laboratory study and meet reporting requirements to funding agencies, the Department and other entities. To update and maintain the animal portion of the Navajo Natural Heritage Program rare and endangered species database and maintain the animal portion of the Navajo Endangered Species List. This involves translation of field data into digital record keeping including using digital mapping and analyzing study results to determine status every two years of those species listed in the NESL. Serves as the Zoological endangered species expert for the Navajo Natural Heritage Program and the Navajo Nation. This involves coordinating with NNHP staff to assist with project compliance reviews and ensuring avoidance of impacts to endangered species. For the Navajo Nation, coordinates with other Navajo Nation entities to ensure adequate protection of endangered species. Also coordinates with federal and state agencies in all aspects of endangere

QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:
Education and Training:
Master's degree in Zoology or closely related field. **(to receive full credit for education/training applicant must submit copies of college transcript, certificates, diploma, etc.)**

Experience:
At least four (04) years professional zoological experience.

Special Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:
Must be able to work alone in remote areas; camping and hiking skills are required; work may entail working in adverse weather conditions; must be able to develop animal studies, monitoring projects, report results both orally and in written form and meet goals and objectives effectively and efficiently.

License/Certification Requirements:
Valid state driver's license

VETERANS PREFERENCE APPLIES
THE NAVAJO NATION GIVES PREFERENCE TO ELIGIBLE AND QUALIFIED APPLICANTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NAVAJO PREFERENCE IN EMPLOYMENT ACT. ***Revised: 1-15-99***