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### JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

#### Seasonal Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) Watercraft Inspection, Decontamination, and Outreach Specialist

Join the Nevada Department of Wildlife's AIS Team this summer to help prevent the introduction of harmful aquatic invasive species into Nevada's lakes and reservoirs. The Nevada Department of Wildlife, **through a temporary employment service**, will be hiring approximately 40 seasonal AIS Inspection and Decontamination Specialists for the following job locations:

**Southern Nevada\***: Laughlin and Lake Mead National Recreation Area (Lakes Mead & Mohave)

**Northern Nevada**: Reno/Carson/Gardnerville\*\*, Rye Patch Reservoir and Lahontan Reservoir (Silver Springs and the Fallon side)

**Eastern Nevada**: Ely\*, Alamo, South Fork Reservoir, and the Elko area.

**Application Closing Date: March 31, 2020 5:00pm PST**

*Please note that these positions will not lead to permanent state employment*

#### Approximate Employment Dates and Hours

- April or May 2020 through September 30, 2020 or longer\* depending on the location of the position and the water conditions at the lakes and reservoirs.
- Employment hours will be 40 daylight hours per week and will generally include weekends and holidays.

#### Salary

- Beginning hourly rate is \$13.25 per hour and up depending on the job location, experience, and duties.
- Incumbents are responsible for their own transportation to/from their respective AIS station.

#### Job Description

- Perform AIS watercraft inspections and decontaminations utilizing high pressure hot water (140°F) to prevent the introduction and spread of aquatic invasive species; operate and perform minor repairs on a mobile decontamination unit; collect AIS boater information; perform educational AIS outreach; and tow a mobile decontamination unit utilizing a state vehicle. Incumbents will be outdoors a majority of the time and often in inclement weather and will be required to physically move around, in and underneath stationary land-based watercraft. Overnight travel and/or weekend duties may be required for some positions. Incumbents will be trained to perform watercraft inspections and decontaminations.

\* Southern Nevada positions go through end of October 2020

\*\* Position may require travel utilizing a state vehicle

## Qualifications

- High school diploma or at least 18 years of age, mechanical knowledge of watercraft, equipment or machinery is preferred but not necessary and/or experience with one or more of the following: dealing with the public or course work or employment related to aquatic invasive species or similar and working in a team environment. A valid Nevada driver's license is required, and drug screening may be requested.
- Please complete the application below and submit by **March 31, 2020 by 5:00 pm**. Attach a current resume including work and/or school history and the contact information for 3 references. Submit both along with a completed application, provided below, to [lmegill@ndow.org](mailto:lmegill@ndow.org) (email) or fax to (775) 688.1697. Please, no phone calls. Email questions will be answered as time permits.

Please check the location of the job you are applying for (you may choose more than one option):

<b>Lake Mead National Recreation Area: Southern NV</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if applying for this position	<b>Laughlin: Southern NV</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if applying for this position
<b>South Fork Reservoir: Eastern NV</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if applying for this position	<b>Ely Station or Alamo Station: Eastern NV: travel required for Ely Station</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if applying for this position
<b>Elko Station: Eastern NV</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if applying for this position	<b>Rye Patch Reservoir: Northwest NV</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if applying for this position
<b>Lahontan Reservoir: Northwest NV</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if applying for this position	<b>Reno/Carson City/Gardnerville Area: Northwest NV: travel required</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if applying for this position
Name	Date
Address	City/State
Zip Code	Phone #
Email Address	

1. Do you have a valid driver's license? Yes  No

2. Please indicate the date when you will be available to start work including days and times?

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3. Please check the box below if you are a student and your work availability is expected to change between the periods of **March 15, 2020** through **mid-October 2020**.

Work availability/schedule expected to change? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Indicate if you have experience with boats or PWC's and explain experience. Yes  No

Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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