

*****Position Announcement*****



Nursery Technician Internship

▶ Position starts April 1st

Nursery Technician position is a three month Veterans Conservation Corps (VCC) paid internship with chances of extension. The Nursery Technician will provide essential support to the plant production program at CNLM. Activities will include planting, seed harvesting, and weed control with mechanical and chemical means, soil management and tractor operation.

- ▶ Opportunity to be certified in pesticide applicator, First Aid/CPR, and prescribed fire red card.
- ▶ Highly flexible hours/schedules for students or any other needs.
- ▶ No Age limits.
- ▶ Participate in workshops about restoration techniques, professional skills, networking skills, scientific methods and more.
- ▶ Opportunities can roll into other internships and gain experience in new exciting projects.
- ▶ High quality experience in environmental restoration/preservation.

The Nursery Technician will be an integral member of the nursery team and may be called upon to work independently, as a member of a crew of interns and employees, or as a crew lead with volunteers and inmates. Intern must be willing and able to work physically, outdoors, five days a week in all weather conditions. The Intern will report to the Shotwell's Landing nursery facility in Rochester, WA, twenty minutes south of Olympia. Internship includes a stipend of \$1280/mon to cover living expenses.

Nursery Technician Internship is pilot program provided in collaboration with the Center for Natural Lands Management (CNLM) <http://www.southsoundprairies.org/cnlm/> and the WA State Department of Veterans Affairs <http://www.dva.wa.gov/benefits/veterans-conservation-corps> (WDVA).

▶▶▶ **Send a current resume and a brief letter of interest by March 23rd with Nursery Technician Internship in the subject line to: VCC@dva.wa.gov**

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