

Resource Management Technician

Supervised by Natural Resource Management Specialist

40 hours per week (weather permitting), Seasonal Position

(March-November), Hourly (non-exempt)



Objective:

Seasonal Resource Management Technicians work directly with the Natural Resource Management Specialist in the Natural Resources Department to conserve and manage the park's natural resources through sustainable trail maintenance and resource management.

Major Duties:

- Serves as a frontline representative of the Grandfather Mountain Stewardship Foundation
- Maintains the Grandfather Mountain trail system through regular maintenance
- Manages the Grandfather Mountain natural resources through invasive species removal and biodiversity monitoring
- Patrols park trail system to answer questions and ensure visitors are acting in a safe manner
- Utilize citizen science to monitor park biodiversity and provide engagement for guests
- Provides critical information to staff and guests as to best practices to protect our endangered species
- Responds to emergency calls and takes appropriate action following established protocols and procedures
- May serve as a parking attendant and assist in trash pickup in various capacities
- Other duties may be assigned as necessary

Qualifications:

- Working towards/possess a degree in recreation management, biology, environmental studies, or a related field
- First Aid/CPR certification, or willingness to get certified
- Ability to take initiative and work individually or as part of a team

Position Description – Department of Natural Resources

- Physically capable of doing trail work and hiking rugged terrain
- Reliable transportation (occasionally we use personal vehicles to get around the park)
- Hiking and/or trail maintenance experience or willingness to learn
- Public speaking ability and good communications skills
- Capable of learning local flora and fauna
- Must have good hiking boots and gear for the outdoors (we will provide uniforms including rain gear)
- Flexibility of schedule (holidays and weekends required, occasionally some evenings)

Application, cover letter, and resume may be submitted [here](#).

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**Grandfather Mountain Stewardship Foundation
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