

# Job Opening

**Employer:** Matt's Healthy Woods & Wildlife

**Job Title:** Junior Forester

**Job Type:** full-time, permanent

**Start Date:** May 2025 or as available

**Starting Pay:** \$19.50/hr

**Location:**

- Positions are available based in central Missouri (Columbia area) and northern Missouri (Trenton area)
- multi-day work trips around the state will be required, depending on the location of each project (travel expenses are covered)

**Required:**

- BS in Forest Management or a related field
- Ability/desire to work all day in sometimes thick forested environments in all weather conditions
- Ability to drive to a local meeting place (typically the crew supervisor's home) or a job site as needed
- Ability to work on sometimes steep and uneven terrain on a daily basis

**Preferred:**

- Working knowledge of tree identification and silvicultural methods in the Central Hardwoods
- Understanding and experience in wildlife habitat requirements and management
- Experience with tree felling and chainsaw operation
- Experience with GIS software

**Job Duties / Types of Projects:**

- Forest Stand Improvement, both by chainsaw and hack & squirt
- Timber Sale marking and sale oversight
- Forest Inventory
- During the summer months, there will be a significant amount of forest invasive species control, primarily by foliar treatment with backpack sprayers

**To Apply:** Email a resume & cover letter to:  
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