

Job Announcement Agriculture Resource Conservationist

The Mifflin County Conservation District is seeking qualified candidates for a full time Agriculture Resource Conservationist. This position requires both office and field work. The main responsibility of this position is to assist local farmers with projects for water quality improvement. Typical projects include the installation of agricultural best management practices (BMPs) such as heavy use area protection, manure/waste storage structures, stream crossings, exclusion fencings, and stream restoration. Job duties include; project management, technical assistance, contract/documentation, reporting, and assisting with other District programs.

Successful applicants should have a Bachelor's degree in agriculture, natural resource management, environmental science, or a related field. Applicants should demonstrate knowledge of agricultural practices, environmental laws, and related policy/regulations. Familiarity with GIS software (ArcGIS) is preferred. Applicants must have excellent communication skills and the ability to work independently and collaboratively with diverse stakeholders.

Typical work week is 36.25 hours with office hours from 8:00-4:30PM. Salary level is dependent upon education and experience. Benefits include health, vision, dental, short term disability and life insurance as well as a retirement plan with employer contribution. Paid holidays, vacation, sick leave, and personal time also included. Position is based in Burnham, PA.

For the full Agriculture Resource Conservationist job description <u>click here</u>.

Interested candidates can submit a cover letter and resume to <u>mifflinconservation@mifflinccd.com</u> by **May 10, 2024**.