

GIS Technician Position

The North Carolina Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services has an entry level GIS position available. Apply online at:

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The NC Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services provide services that promote and improve agriculture, agribusiness and forests; protect consumers and businesses; and conserve farmland and natural resources for the prosperity of all North Carolinians. The Department employs approximately 2000 employees.

The North Carolina Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (NCDA&CS) Information Support Services (ISS) section is responsible for assisting NCDA&CS divisions with their Geographic Information System (GIS) needs. This four to six week position will complete the field work for an infrastructure mapping project using GPS technology. Will assist office staff in importing data into ArcMap (GIS software)

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities / Competencies:

Required Competencies:

- Any experience working with and creating GIS datasets using ESRI's ArcMap desktop software.
- Any experience working with and/or creating datasets using Autodesk's AutoCAD software.
- Familiarity or experience collecting spatial data with Global Positioning Systems (GPS).
- Ability to walk several miles a day outside in all weather conditions.
- Ability to effectively communicate both verbally and in writing.

Any working knowledge or experience with water and sewer infrastructure is desired.

Minimum Education and Experience Requirements:

Associate's degree in computer science, information technology, or related discipline and one year of experience in the information technology field related to the area of assignment; or bachelor's degree and one year of experience in the information technology field related to the area of assignment; or bachelor's degree in computer science, information technology, or related discipline; or equivalent combination of training and experience. All degrees must be received from appropriately accredited institutions.

Salary will be commensurate with the applicant's competencies, as well as, the budget, equity, and market conditions. Starting pay for this position will be \$35,000 or less depending on qualifications.

Supplemental and Contact Information:

Any employment offer may be less than the maximum of the range due to salary equity with similarly situated employees or the selected candidate's related education and experience.

Please follow instructions to apply on-line. **It is important that your application includes all of your relevant education and experience. Text or attached resumes ARE NOT accepted as a substitution for a completed application.** Those applicants seeking veteran's preference should submit either a copy of their Form DD-214.