SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

POSITION: Assistant Watershed Monitoring Technician – Two Positions (dependent on confirmation of funding)

DUTIES:
- Prepare and complete monthly surface water quality sampling as part of the Provincial Water Quality Monitoring Network (PWQMN) and the Lower Trent Conservation Surface Water Monitoring Program
- Assist with groundwater monitoring as part of the Provincial Groundwater Monitoring Network (PGMN)
- Collect benthic macroinvertebrates using the Ontario Benthos Biomonitoring Network protocol
- Perform baseflow measurements and stream temperature monitoring throughout the watershed region
- Compile and summarize water resources data
- Undertake other related duties as assigned

QUALIFICATIONS:
- University or College student with experience in Environmental Sciences, Ecosystem Management, Fish & Wildlife, Biology, Ecology, Geography or a related field
- Experience in collecting benthic invertebrates and the ability to identify benthos in the field (OBBN Certified)
- Must be willing to work outdoors and in adverse environmental conditions
- Strong organizational and time management skills
- Able to work with minimal supervision
- Ability to communicate effectively both orally and in writing
- Proficient computer skills including Microsoft Office and ArcGIS applications
- Valid Class G Driver’s license and transportation to the Lower Trent Conservation Office

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT:
- Duration: 14 weeks
- Start date: May 11, 2020
- Hourly rate: $14.00/hour
- Hours of work: 40 hours/week

Note: duration & start date is tentative and dependent on availability of funding

To be eligible, you must be between 15 and 30 years of age at the start of the employment; be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act for the duration of the employment; and, have a valid Social Insurance Number at the start of employment and be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with relevant provincial or territorial legislation and regulations.

HOW TO APPLY:
Forward your cover letter and resume (email preferred) clearly marked “Assistant Watershed Monitoring Technician” by March 20, 2020 at 4:00pm local time to:

Lower Trent Conservation
Attention: Gage Comeau, Water Resources Specialist
714 Murray Street, RR 1, Trenton, ON K8V 5P4
Email: information@LTC.on.ca

We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only candidates under consideration will be contacted.

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