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### **Pheasants Forever & Quail Forever and partners hire Farm Bill Wildlife Biologist II – Wetland Specialist in Warrensburg, Missouri**

**Warrensburg, Mo. – November 9, 2023** – Pheasants Forever and Quail Forever in Missouri is excited to share that Taylor Jones was hired for the Warrensburg, Mo., Farm Bill Wildlife Biologist II – Wetland Specialist position. He will start in his new position on November 20, 2023.



The Farm Bill Wildlife Biologists on the Missouri team are partnership positions supported by the Natural Resources Conservation Service and the Missouri Dept. of Conservation. Jones will work with private landowners across the southwest portion of the state helping them with wildlife and habitat management planning and securing funds to help implement those plans. “We are very excited for Taylor to join the Quail Forever in Missouri Team,” said Senior WLFW Farm Bill Biologist Haley Lockard. “He will be a tremendous asset to WRE managers in the area as well as the Farm Bill Biologist team.”

Jones is a graduate from Northwest Missouri State University where he double majored in Wildlife Ecology and Conservation and Marine Biology. While there, he served as president of the student chapter of The Wildlife Society. His passion for wetland ecosystems stemmed from an internship at Loess Bluffs National Wildlife Refuge during his senior year.

“I am excited to start with Quail Forever and having the opportunity to work with local landowners to make a difference for the conservation of wetland ecosystems in the area,” said Jones. “I am thrilled to be a part of this team and greatly look forward to working with everyone to conserve our natural ecosystems and way of life.”



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### About Pheasants Forever & Quail Forever

[Pheasants Forever](#), including its quail conservation division — [Quail Forever](#) — make up the nation's largest nonprofit organization dedicated to upland habitat conservation. This community of more than 400,000 members, supporters and partners is dedicated to the protection of our uplands through habitat improvement, public access, education, and advocacy. A network of 754 local chapters spread across North America determine how 100 percent of their locally raised funds are spent — the only national conservation organization that operates through this grassroots structure. Since creation in 1982, Pheasants Forever has donated more than \$1 billion to 575,000 habitat projects benefiting 24 million acres. Visit the [Pheasants Forever & Quail Forever in Missouri website](#) or follow us on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), [Twitter](#) and [YouTube](#).

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