



Seasonal Position Announcement

Part-time Field Technician(s)

Alger Conservation District, a special unit of local government, is currently seeking to hire (2) seasonal part-time field technicians. These positions are intended to assist with day-to-day field operations and support the full-time staff, partners, and residents as required. On a typical day, seasonal part-time field technicians will be responsible for and highly involved in hands-on projects, including labor activities associated with the position's duties. We anticipate these two seasonal part-time positions to report to work each week on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Additional hours may be available based on the District's needs.

Compensation:

\$20 per hour. This is a non-exempt-status, hourly, part-time position. On average, Field Techs should expect an average of 24 hours per week.

Start Date (tentative):

Monday, May 1th, 2026

Seasonal Position Timeline:

May 1st to October 1st, 2026

Work Report location:

Alger Conservation District office, 101 Court Street, Munising, MI; fieldwork throughout Alger County and partner counties as required.

General Conditions:

Applicants must be 18 years or older, hold a valid driver's license, and be willing to submit a federal background check and drug screen to apply.

Benefits include:

1. Travel stipend of \$50 per pay period (*if the staffer's home is located further than 25 miles from the Work Report Location*)

Applicant must:

Alger Conservation District is an Equal Opportunity Employer and Program Provider.



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- Be willing to approach each day with a student mentality
- Work respectfully alongside the general public, staff, and program partners
- Be able to work in all safe weather conditions
- Positive attitude and strong ability to neutralize conflict
- Excellent verbal communication skills
- Enjoy working outdoors and with the public
- Be able to work as a team, and individually as required
- Maintain a high standard of record-keeping
- Own a vehicle that can be lawfully driven to and from work sites

(Mileage reimbursements follow District Policy, Federal mileage rate is \$0.725)

Preferred Qualifications:

1. Education: Coursework or experience related to natural resources, food systems, agriculture, forestry, or other related fields of study
2. Experience: Field experience in invasive species management, habitat restoration, inland lake and stream monitoring, GPS use, and native plant restoration.
3. Computer skills: Proficient with MS Office, Google Workspace, Garmin Base Camp, and/or Google Earth.
4. Experience with basic tools such as drills, shovels, levels, seed spreaders, and other non-heavy machinery.
5. Operating knowledge of canoes, kayaks, small watercraft, and ATVs.

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Duties Include:

- Assisting and supporting programs, outreach, partnerships, and administration as guided by the 5-year plan, business plan, and strategic plan
 - Supporting outreach & education through the annual tree and wildflower sales, community workshops, and grant programs
 - Participate in and facilitate all fieldwork as required under the grants obtained by the District, including activities such as, but not limited to tree planting, gardening, fence installation, invasive species management, and water quality monitoring
 - Continually collaborating with UP conservation districts, partners, and communities
 - Walking and hiking comfortably for 8 hours at a time
 - Lifting, pushing, and pulling up to 50 pounds independently, or team lifting 100 pounds without mechanical assistance
 - Attending weekly staff meetings, as required.
 - Completing all activities in a responsible and timely manner
 - Adhere to all lawful requests, district policy, and local, state, and federal laws
- Other duties as requested by the Executive Director or Board of Directors, as necessary.*

To apply:

Send cover letter and resume, and list three references by mail or e-mail to the attention of:

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