

FOREST TECHNICIAN

Location: West Central Louisiana

Primary Responsibilities: The forest technician supports daily logging operations, timber cruising and purchasing, pole procurement and reforestation efforts. The primary responsibilities of this job include:

- Tract layout and harvest design
- Aerial photo interpretation
- Contract generation
- Compliance with BMP regulations.
- Managing landowner relations and client expectations
- Interfacing with police juries and utility companies
- Performing basic cruise design and timber cruising

In addition, the job requires skills in the following:

- Pole identification and marking
- Product determination
- Timber marketing
- Knowledge of dendrology
- GPS technology and corrections
- Drone utilization

Job Qualifications: The ideal candidate will have the following qualifications.

- High school diploma or equivalent
- An outstanding safety record in all aspects of previous employment history is crucial.
- Forestry focused background experience or training through a vocational/technical program is preferred.
- Experience in GIS, logging supervision and timber cruising are desired skills.

Behavioral Profile: The successful candidate will be...

- Safety conscious
- Self-motivated
- Organized
- Dependable
- Strong prioritization and leadership skills and an excellent work ethic. This individual will be required to work independently, as well as part of a team. Developmental training is a condition of successful service in this role. He/she must also possess strong interpersonal skills and the ability to effectively communicate with diverse individuals, both internal and external to the organization.

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