POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

WILDLIFE BIOLOGIST TECHNICIANS - FOUR POSITIONS

These **unclassified**, full-time **term** positions are located in the Fisheries and Wildlife Division and will be located at the Wilson State Park Office (Russell County), Mound City District Office (Linn County), Mined Land Wildlife Area Office (Crawford County), and in Wellington (Sumner County), Kansas. **These positions are limited to a five year term, with possible renewals pending funding allocations.**

The incumbents will assist with the development and implementation of wildlife management programs on private lands; assist with delivery of USDA WHIP program within assigned district; assist with wildlife population monitoring; assist with the Walk In Hunting Area (WIHA) program; assist with animal damage complaints; and inform the public of outdoor recreational opportunities, wildlife value and management.

BENEFITS: Beginning annual salary, \$26,272.00; group health and life insurance; retirement; deferred compensation and KanElect options; holidays; and sick and vacation leave.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS: Bachelor's degree and job knowledge at an entry level in environmental, agricultural or natural resource science.

HOW TO APPLY: Qualified applicants must register with the State of Kansas by completing the personal information registration form to obtain their State of Kansas Applicant ID Number. This form may be completed online at http://da.state.ks.us/ps/aaa/recruitment/ Qualified applicants may apply by submitting:

- 1) a letter of interest, which includes your State of Kansas ID Number, and indicate which position location(s) you are interested in;
- 2) a detailed resume;
- 3) transcript material (copies of official transcripts or unofficial student copies are acceptable);
- 4) KDWP employment application located at http://kdwp.state.ks.us/about/jobs.html; and,
- **5)** an authorization to release information form located at http://kdwp.state.ks.us/about/jobs.html. **Please note, this form must either be witnessed and signed by a Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks employee or signed and notarized by a notary public.

Applicants claiming veterans preference must also include a copy of their DD-214. We reserve the right to conduct a background check on all qualified applicants.

Application materials should be sent to Shannon Swafford, Personnel Office, Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks, 512 SE 25th Avenue, Pratt KS 67124, phone number 620-672-5911. **Incomplete applications will not be accepted.**

DEADLINE TO APPLY POSTMARK: August 27, 2004

The Americans with Disabilities Act ensures your right to reasonable accommodations during the employment process. Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.