

## **Seasonal Fisheries Aide:**

One full-time, seasonal position in the Fisheries Division is located at Perry Reservoir, Jefferson County, KS and directly supervised by Nick Kramer, District Fisheries Biologist. The preferred start date for employment is May 13<sup>th</sup> however, work may begin as early as March 4<sup>th</sup> if applicant is available. Employment typically lasts throughout summer months but can last through October.

The incumbents will be involved in all aspects of fisheries management tasks in Kansas. Job duties include but are not limited to:

- Assistance with standardized and supplemental fish population sampling
- Assistance with statewide broodstock Sauger and Walleye collection
- Collection and propagation of aquatic plants
- Building and deploying fish habitat
- Assistance with aquatic education programs (some weekends required)
- Stocking fish of various sizes and ages
- Equipment and building maintenance and cleaning
- Other duties as assigned

**BENEFITS:** Hourly salary, \$10.50 to \$13.50/hr. depending on experience and length of commitment.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:** Must have a valid motor vehicle operator's license; must be a minimum of 18 years of age; able to work alone, with the public, in all conditions; on weekends, nights, and evenings as required; able to withstand physically demanding work, including lifting and carrying 50 lbs., bending, or hauling; work with minimal supervision and able to communicate effectively with co-workers, demonstrate responsible behavior and attention to detail; follow policy and cooperate with supervisors and co-workers. Familiarity with operation of power tools, hand tools, boats, and trucks preferred. Preference will be given to those graduated or currently enrolled in a natural resource degree, or those having a keen interest in biological, conservation, or environmental science program.

**HOW TO APPLY:** Qualified applicants may apply by submitting sending a cover letter that details their interest and qualifications for the position and a copy of their resume.

Application materials should be sent to [nick.kramer@ks.gov](mailto:nick.kramer@ks.gov) or may be sent to Perry State Park, Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks, Attn: Nick Kramer, 5441 West Lake Rd., Ozawkie, KS 66070; phone 785-256-3721; fax: 785-246-0224. **It is encouraged to contact the phone number listed previously if interested or if you have any questions.**

Applicants are notified whether or not they are selected to interview. The interview will be over the phone, consisting of position specific questions for all interviewees, with a selection being made after all interviews are completed.

**DEADLINE TO APPLY:** February 19, 2024 or until filled

**The Americans with Disabilities Act ensures your right to reasonable accommodations during the employment process- individuals with disabilities are encouraged to contact the agency recruiter if reasonable accommodations are needed for any part of the application or hiring process. Equal Opportunity Employer.**