



## Alabama Forestry Commission

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Current Announcement

### ASSISTANT STATE FORESTER

**Salary:** 86 (\$80,287 - \$122,232)

**Announcement Date:** November 1, 2017

**Application Deadline:** November 27, 2017

#### **JOB INFORMATION**

The Assistant State Forester is an unclassified full-time position with the Alabama Forestry Commission based in Montgomery, Alabama which serves at the pleasure of the Forestry Commissioners. This is highly responsible administrative professional work in the field of forestry with an opportunity to immediately employ organizational leadership, add to the Commission's evolving successes, and enjoy a competitive salary with great benefits to include accumulation of annual, sick, and holiday leave, and health insurance and retirement benefits. The successful candidate will be responsible for serving as assistant to the State Forester with oversight of the four regions that comprise the Alabama Forestry Commission as well as other tasks assigned by the State Forester. Emphasis is placed upon the knowledge and application of specialized techniques inherent to agency operations. Supervision is exercised over a staff of professional, technical, and clerical employees.

#### **MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS**

Preferred qualifications vital to the successful candidate include:

- Bachelor's degree in Forestry, Forest Management or Forest Engineering
- Ten years progressively responsible experience with organizational management in forest management, and/or wildland fire mitigation or suppression, including experience at the level of a Forestry Assistant Division Director or Assistant Regional Forester or higher with the Alabama Forestry Commission and extensive supervisory experience in program management, administration, and operations with proven organizational and communication skills.
- Eligible for licensure as a Registered Forester as issued by the Alabama State Board of Registration for Foresters.

#### **EXAMINATION**

- Evaluation of Training and Experience as indicated on resume and a professional presentation made to the Commissioners.

#### **HOW TO APPLY**

- Apply by submitting cover letter and resume to Alabama Forestry Commission Personnel Office by mail, fax, or email: [brandy.sponsler@forestry.alabama.gov](mailto:brandy.sponsler@forestry.alabama.gov).

#### **WHAT HAPPENS NEXT**

- Submissions meeting the minimum requirements will be considered for interview.

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#### ***THE ALABAMA FORESTRY COMMISSION IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER***

*Established as a state agency in 1924, the mission of the Alabama Forestry Commission is three-fold: to Protect the Forests from all harmful agents; to Service and Help Landowners to carry out responsible forest management on their property, using professional technical assistance so as to benefit themselves, their land and society; and to Educate the General Public about the value of our forests in insuring both a healthy economy and environment. We do this in the most efficient and cost effective way possible.*