



Job Posting

F.H. Stoltze Land & Lumber Company is now accepting applications for a seasonal Forest Technician position. High school diploma required with college level Natural Resource Degree (or currently enrolled in Natural Resource education) preferred. Preference given to those with industrial forestry and/or logging experience. Must have a current driver's license and be safety and team oriented. Hire is dependent upon successful completion of a physical, drug test, and background check.

Job Description: Forest Technician - Seasonal

Location: Columbia Falls, MT

Term: Approximately 16 weeks with the opportunity for full-time employment

Starting Date: Preferably beginning of May (willing to work with school schedule)

End Date: Middle of August- early September

Employment: 40 hours per week

Pay: \$22.55 per hour

Posting Date: 2/20/2025

Closing Date: 3/28/2025

Submit application, cover letter and resume to:

F.H. Stoltze Land & Lumber Co.

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Applications Can be found at: <https://www.stoltzelumber.com/employment-1>

F.H. Stoltze Land & Lumber Company Job Description

A. JOB TITLE: Forest Technician (seasonal with opportunity for full-time) – Resource Department

B. JOB QUALIFICATIONS:

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C. JOB SUMMARY:

Under supervision of Resource Manager and Stoltze foresters, the Forest Technician (seasonal) assists the forestry staff with timber sale preparation and silvicultural activities. Works closely with foresters, forestry technician, contractors and landowners.

D. ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS:

1. Assists with location and marking of property lines
2. Identifies stream classifications and flags SMZ's
3. Assists with road location & layout
4. Flags timber harvest units
5. Conducts regeneration surveys
6. Assists in administration of tree planting and thinning
7. Monitors & maintains road drainage
8. Conducts timber cruises and permanent plot measurements
9. Grass seeding

E. LESS FREQUENT JOB FUNCTION

1. Fighting of forest fires
2. Burning of slash piles
3. Performs other duties as assigned

F. PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

1. Ability to work independently without direct supervision in forest environment
2. Communicates effectively with foresters and contractors
3. Demonstrates knowledge of state BMP & SMZ laws
4. Ability to accurately document completed work
5. Proficient with use of forest measurement and navigation tools
6. Demonstrates knowledge of and compliance with safe operating procedures

This job description is NOT an employment agreement or contract. Management has the exclusive right to alter it at any time without notice.