

Job Description

JOB TITLE

Fall 2024 Youth Conservation Corps Crew Member

OBJECTIVE

To protect and preserve the lands and natural areas acquired by the Middlesex County Open Space and Farmland Preservation Trust Fund.

PLACE OF WORK

Work will take place at several Middlesex County Open Space parcels in Old Bridge, East Brunswick, South Brunswick, and Monroe Townships, as well as other County open space as needed.

HOURS NEEDED

Saturdays– September 14 – November 9, 2024; 9:00AM – 4:00PM

QUALIFICATIONS

- Applicants must be at least 16 years of age on start date
- Strong, enthusiastic, self-motivated, willing to work and learn as a part of a team
- Willing to get dirty and work outdoors in various weather conditions
- Ability to walk several miles and stand for extended periods of time
- Ability to kneel and lift materials greater than 25 lbs
- Ability to use a variety of hand tools
- Ability to read, understand and follow written instructions and maps
- **ORIENTATION AND TRAINING:** Introduction to staff, instruction on daily projects; familiarization with trail tools and techniques; familiarization to open space property; instruction on map and survey reading; tool safety training.

DUTIES:

- Litter clean-up, recycling, brush removal
- Trail marking, building and maintenance
- Mapping/survey of existing trail system
- Plantings and reforestation management projects
- Wildlife habitat enhancement projects
- Invasive species management and removal

RESPONSIBLE TO

Conservation Corps Coordinator

COMPENSATION

\$15.50/hour

TO APPLY:

Send cover letter and resume to
Julia.Derosso@co.middlesex.nj.us

OR

Middlesex County Office of Parks
and Recreation

ATTN: Julia DeRosso

1030 River Road
Piscataway, NJ 08854

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

August 2, 2024

For more information contact
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