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## Forestry Assistant (1 Position)

Employment Period: Up to 16 weeks

Compensation: To be determined  
35 Hour Week

### JOB DUTIES:

SNC is seeking a skilled, self-motivated individual to assist with the implementation and administration of SNC's forest management and private land tree planting programs. The incumbent will participate in field sampling, tree marking, data interpretation, information management, written reports and presentations. The SNC office is situated in a rural area with no public transportation, therefore you will be responsible for transportation to and from the office which is located in Finch (South East of Ottawa).

### GENERAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- Must be currently enrolled in and returning to a post secondary education in forestry or natural resource management.
- Knowledge of the forest management principles applicable to the Great Lakes – St. Lawrence region.
- Experience in field navigation, the collection of forest information and mapping and the use of GPS.
- Ability to safely operate and maintain chainsaws and brushsaws.
- Strong oral and written communication, organizational and administrative skills.
- Ability and willingness to work in the field, often in adverse conditions.
- Valid Ontario "G" driver's license.

### SUMMARY OF MAJOR TASKS:

- Tree marking.
- Forest resource sampling.
- Stand improvement operations (e.g. pruning, competition control, etc).
- Assist with the tree planting and tending operations; including site plans, quality control and survival assessments.
- Administrative assistance for forest management and tree planting programs.
- All duties must be performed in accordance with SNC Safety Policy and Procedures, as well as the Occupational Health and Safety Act and Regulations.
- Other duties as assigned by your supervisor.

**Forward Resumes by April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2009 to: [shunter@nation.on.ca](mailto:shunter@nation.on.ca)**

**Steven Hunter, Forestry Specialist**

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Please quote "Forestry Assistant" in the subject line. Resumes submitted via e-mail must be in Word or pdf formats. Thank you for your interest in South Nation Conservation; however only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

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