Environmental Studies Internship Opportunity Form

Organization name: Four Mile Fire Protection District

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Internship available these semesters (please mark one or more semesters):

Spring ___ Summer X Fall ___

Brief description of Your Organization:

A rural fire protection district full-time Fire Crew. Our district services approximately 50 square miles in the foothills directly west of Boulder. Our program and the internship position focuses on wildfire suppression and wildfire risk reduction.

Describe the nature/goals of the project(s):

160-hour unpaid internship will provide basic wildland firefighter training (S-130/190) to interns, who will also receive in-house training on basic skills and competencies required to be successful wildland firefighters and wildfire mitigation team members. Upon completion of the internship, successful interns may choose to join our "call-when-needed roster" for paid wildfire suppression assignments and paid wildfire mitigation assignments on an as-needed and as-available basis. Successful interns will also be given preference for regular paid positions in our district, and will be competitive candidates for wildfire management positions for other organizations.

Please list required and/or desired skills and qualifications:

High level of physical fitness is required, particularly the ability to hike while wearing a heavy fireline pack.

Reliability and integrity are required, as is a desire to engage in challenging and dangerous work that supports the fire service mission of protecting life, property, and lands.

Interest and experience in manual, outdoor labor is preferred.

EMS qualifications (Basic CPR or higher) and experience is preferred.

How to Apply: Visit www.fourmilefire.org/job-opportunities for internship opportunities and application instructions.			