



# Forestry Division

## EXPERIENTIAL PAID LEARNING

The below positions are both a great opportunity to learn the basics of forestry maintenance, tree management, City programs, and are a great resume builder for students pursuing degrees in Natural Resources Management, Horticulture, Environmental Science, Urban Forestry and other closely related fields.

These positions work within a team that includes the City Forester, Arborist, Crew Chief and Forestry staff and will be provided training and opportunities to grow their knowledge and passion for forestry and civil service. These are non-credit opportunities.

### Seasonal Forestry Maintenance

Help keep our community clean while enjoying the great outdoors! Assist forestry staff with daily maintenance tasks including; residential brush pick-up and chipping, planting and watering trees, tree removal, and tree pruning. Will be expected to work in other maintenance areas as directed. Must be able to operate pickup, one-tons, and a variety of other equipment. Position starts generally goes from April up to November. Training provided.

### Seasonal Forestry Chipping Operator

Performs various forestry duties specifically brush chipping operations for the curbside brush pickup service. Assist forestry staff and other divisions with maintenance tasks when directed. Ability to operate pickups, large trucks, trailers and a variety of other equipment. Training provided.

## AMERICORPS INTERNSHIP

AmeriCorps has partnered with the City of Moorhead Forestry Division with a mission to preserve and protect MN's environment and strengthen communities, with a focus on preserving and increasing tree canopy. Service may include tree inventorying, tree planting events, gravel bed nursery design/construction/management, Emerald Ash Borer management plan development, citizen volunteer recruitment/training/utilization, and outreach and education events.

This is an AmeriCorps member position and paid through AmeriCorps and is a 40 hours a week commitment.

Applications accepted through AmeriCorps generally starting in June of each year. Internship starts in September and goes through July 30th.



### Experiential Learning Requirements

- At least 18 years old with a valid driver's license.

### Hours

- Spring-Fall
- Full-time over summer months
- M-F 7am-3:30pm is ideal, can be part time to work around school schedule. Occasional weekend.

### Timeline

- Accepting applications starting February

To learn more or for questions

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