



DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

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**Job Announcement for:
Habitat Restoration and Native Plant Nursery Technician (Forestry Aide)
June 2026 through February 2027**

General Duties include:

- Assist in the collection of native plant material including seed and cuttings
- Participate in greenhouse operation including plant propagation, container stock maintenance, seed cleaning and other associated tasks
- Install plants, seed and ground stabilization materials in the field as part of the restoration program
- May provide endangered species protection, restoration of natural habitats, mitigation of impacts, and monitoring of plant and animal communities
- Work with the public as a State Park representative and with an interdisciplinary team

Applicants should have the following qualities:

- Have knowledge of general concepts related to California native plant communities, botany, horticulture and environmental issues.
- Willingness to do routine and repetitive work
- Be flexible, open minded, and able to reason logically
- Have interest and aptitude in the work
- Be able to take direction and establish and maintain effective working relationships
- Work well with the public as a State Park representative
- Ability to work under adverse conditions such as in heavy wind, rain and moving sand
- Ability to walk across uneven terrain and loose sand, both uphill and downhill to perform the duties of the job. This position is expected to hike one mile or more across dune topography and on unconsolidated sand
- Be able to lift up to 50 pounds
- Have experience writing scientific field notes and reports
- Ability to draw sound conclusions and make appropriate recommendations
- Have a clean Class C Driver license and be able to operate a 4-wheel drive vehicle
- The reporting location is the Resource Office, located at 928 Pacific Blvd in Oceano, CA

The pay range is \$21.60-\$26.71/hour (Forestry Aide). The position is a seasonal full-time position (up to 189 days per year). Housing is not provided. Weekend, holiday and early morning work may be required depending on specific project needs. You will receive full training and work with some of the best experts in the field.

If interested, please apply online at:

<https://calcareers.ca.gov/CalHrPublic/Jobs/JobPosting.aspx?JobControlId=519323>

Or mail a Standard State Application (<http://jobs.ca.gov/pdf/std678.pdf>) by **June 5, 2026** to:
Mr. Ronnie Glick, Senior Environmental Scientist, at the address above. For more information, contact Ronnie at 805-365-5284, email: ronnie.glick@parks.ca.gov