

DELTA CONSERVATION DISTRICT

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

The Delta Conservation District, a local unit of state government is seeking interested applicants to apply for an MGSP conservation technical assistant position. The applicant must possess a minimum of a Bachelor of Science Degree in an agriculture related field. The individual will be employed by the Delta Conservation District and the work station will be co-located with the local office of the United States Department of Agriculture, Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) in Gladstone, MI. Individuals will handle assignments in a multi-county area. The work will be performed under the technical guidance of the NRCS District Conservationist.

The CTAI Specialist position will be field based focusing on practice implementation and construction inspection. The position will have responsibility to work with individuals in the agricultural community to implement a variety of agricultural practices that are funded under the USDA Farm Bill. These practices may include, but are not limited to, pest management, nutrient management, prescribed grazing, irrigation water management and tree/shrub establishment. The position will also work with landowners on risk reduction assessment and implementation for environmental stewardship.

Starting salary range will be between \$38,000 to \$48,000 depending on experience and benefit package chosen. Chosen individual must pass a criminal history check, drug screen and possess a valid Michigan driver's license. Interested applicants must submit a resume, official transcripts, and cover letter indicating relevant experience no later than close of business on Wednesday October 18th, 2017 to the Delta Conservation District, Attn. CEO, at 6822 Hwy. 2, 41 & M35, Gladstone, MI. 49837. Selected candidates should plan to interview on Monday October 23rd the following week.