

## **Mountain Cat Forest Management**

### **Experienced Silviculture Surveyors wanted**

#### **About Mountain Cat Forest Management:**

Mountain Cat Forest Management is a small Forestry Consulting Company based out of Quesnel BC. We have been operating for over ten years.

Almost all of our work is based out of Quesnel, and most days we will commute twenty-five minutes to eighty minutes from town to the forest. Occasionally, when the weather is good, we will have up to 5-day camps, one to two hours from town.

#### **Job Description:**

The job will start in late April or early May depending on the snow-melt. Field work usually ends in early November and office work is usually wrapped up in early December.

Most of the work will involve taking inventories in young forests. Typically we will work one office day for each three field days, and focus our office time around inclement weather.

Compliance with our safety program is mandatory. Usually small field crews will work close to each other, in radio-contact for safety and efficiency. Working alone will be required occasionally.

Our company tries to be highly efficient and productive, while maintaining lots of flexibility and excellent working conditions.

#### **Education & Experience:**

Applicants should have at least two years of silviculture surveying experience, and be able to clearly identify all the commercial tree species in the Cariboo region, as well most of the common pests and diseases of those species. Applicants should also be able to identify most of the dominant shrub and herb species in the region.

Applicants should be physically fit, responsible and very conscious of doing high quality work.

#### **Wages:**

Wages are based on a base rate with bonuses for production. The average minimum production target is \$180 to \$300+ a day. Starting minimum base rate is based on experience and skills. A two-week training and try-out period will normally apply.

A normal office day will be 8 hours, and a normal field day will be six to eight hours of field work plus travel time. It should be clear that in some cases more hours per day will be required. Any necessary overtime is included in the production rate.

4% Holiday pay plus pay for statutory holidays will be added to the salary. We almost always work five day shifts, Monday to Friday, and take weekends off. Time and a half will be paid for any required overtime days.

**Applications:**

Resumes should be e-mailed to the address below.

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Attention: Graham Gerry RPF

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