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## **Job Opportunity**

### **Tree Marking Crew Leader and Tree Markers**

The Algonquin Forestry Authority (AFA) is seeking a Tree Marking Crew Leader and Tree Markers for the 2022 season. The AFA is the Ontario Crown agency responsible for sustainable forest management in Algonquin Provincial Park. Our responsibilities include harvesting and distribution of wood products to mills in communities adjacent to the park, as well as forest management planning, silviculture, and compliance monitoring.

<b>Positions and Locations:</b>	Tree Marking Crew Leader – Pembroke, ON Tree Markers – Pembroke, ON and Whitney/Madawaska, ON
<b>Approximate Start Date:</b>	May 2022
<b>Duration:</b>	26 weeks (with possibility of extension)
<b>Salary:</b>	\$17.25 – \$25.08 (commensurate with experience)
<b>Applications Due:</b>	No later than 4:00 p.m. March 4, 2022

#### **Job Description:**

##### **Tree Marking Crew Leader**

Lead a crew of 2-3 tree markers under the direction of the Tree Marking Supervisor to implement forest operations prescriptions, ensure boundaries are established, management objectives are met, and values are protected within the Algonquin Park Forest. Lead other projects as assigned, such as laying out follow up silviculture boundaries and supervising contractors.

##### **Tree Markers**

Working as part of a crew on tree marking projects in the Algonquin Park Forest. Other projects such as silviculture layout and contractor supervision may also be assigned.

#### **Qualifications:**

The candidates should have demonstrated skills and knowledge of dendrology, aerial photo interpretation, map reading and the silvics of Great Lakes / St. Lawrence tree species. **Tree marking certification and valid Ontario Driver's Licence preferred.**

Successful applicants are required to work in inclement weather and walk on uneven terrain, with exposure to dust, heavy equipment, biting insects, bears and poison ivy at project sites. The work will often require staying in bunkhouse trailers in remote locations during the work week with Covid-19 protocols in place, including vaccination requirements. Lodging and food or meal allowance is provided when crews are in the field.

Applications consisting of a brief covering letter and resume must be received no later than 4:00 p.m. March 4, 2022. Interested candidates may apply in confidence to:

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The AFA is an equal opportunity employer. If you require a disability related accommodation, contact Jeff Leavey, AFA General Manager at the address above or at [jeff.leavey@algonquinforestry.on.ca](mailto:jeff.leavey@algonquinforestry.on.ca)

*We thank all candidates for their interest; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.*