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Job Opportunity **Tree Markers**

The Algonquin Forestry Authority (AFA) is seeking Tree Markers for the 2021 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.

Positions and Locations: Tree Markers (4) – Pembroke, Whitney/Madawaska, ON
Approximate Start Date: May 2021
Duration: 26 weeks (with possibility of extension)
Salary: \$16.26 - \$21.49 (commensurate with experience)
Applications Due: No later than 4:00pm, March 12, 2021

Job Descriptions:

Tree Marker(s) – working as part of a crew on tree marking projects in Algonquin Park Forest. Other projects such as silviculture layout and contractor supervision may also be assigned.

Qualifications:

The candidates should have demonstrated skills including dendrology, aerial photo interpretation, map reading and knowledge of the silvics of Great Lakes/St. Lawrence tree species. **Tree marking certification and valid Ontario driver's license 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. 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 12, 2021. Interested candidates may apply in confidence to:

Jack Massey, Tree Marking Supervisor
Algonquin Forestry Authority
84 Isabella Street, ON K8A 5S5
email: jack.massey@algonquinforestry.on.ca

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

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

