

Land Stewards (up to 3)

D&R Greenway Land Trust

One Preservation Place

Princeton, NJ 08540

D&R Greenway Land Trust is a nonprofit land preservation organization that has protected 22,000+ acres of open space in New Jersey since 1989. D&R Greenway Land Trust seeks land stewards to maintain both the ecological function and the quality of the visitor experience across nature preserves in Central NJ.

Responsibilities for Land Steward Internship (up to 3 positions available)

Duration: June 1 – September 1

- Land Steward Interns will assist the Land Conservation Administrator and work with team members on nature preserves in Hopewell, NJ. You must provide your own transportation to the preserves.
- Field work includes planting, watering, monitoring native plantings, and controlling invasive plants using weed whackers and hand-pulling. Most of the time will be spent outdoors managing restoration habitat.
- Maintain existing fenced enclosures to protect native plant restoration projects from white-tailed deer.
- Assist in D&R Greenway's Native Plant Nursery in Princeton and other conservation work related to the mission of the organization, as needed. Occasionally, position will assist in the historic garden at the Discovery Center.
- Must have reliable transportation.

Hours: Hours regularly total up to 37.5 hours per week throughout the term of employment. Flexible seasonal employment w/o benefits.

Compensation: \$16.50/hour

Location: Nature preserve work sites are primarily in and around Hopewell, NJ.

Requirements: Applicants must be able to work independently and as a member of a team, be punctual, and maintain a positive attitude; work outdoors in hot summer weather, conducting physically strenuous field work on varied terrain; and lift up to 30 pounds of equipment. We do not provide field housing. Interest in nature and the ability to read a map is desired. Knowledge of plant identification is desirable but *not required*.

To apply: Send a letter of interest that includes your (1) relevant experience, (2) contact information, (3) your spring, summer, fall availability, and (4) two job references *in one document* to Tina Notas at tnotas@drgreenway.org by **June 7**. Applications will be reviewed, and interviews will be scheduled on a rolling basis until the job is filled.

For more information about D&R Greenway Land Trust, please visit drgreenway.org

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