



Seasonal FIRE Employment with the Bureau of Land Management in Idaho 2012

The BLM manages more land – approximately 253 million acres - than any other Federal agency. This land, known as the National System of Public Lands, is primarily located in 12 Western states, including Alaska. The Bureau, with a budget of about \$1 billion, also administers 700 million acres of sub-surface mineral estates throughout the nation. The BLM's multiple-use mission is to sustain the health and productivity of the public lands for the use and enjoyment of present and future generations.

Note: Many announcements have early cut-off dates in January 2012 - applicants must apply on or before the cut-off date to receive early consideration. Please refer to each announcement for specific information on cut-off dates. Thereafter, applications may be considered as needed during the remaining open period of the announcement.

Announcements are in order of Open Date.

BLM-FIRE-2012-019

Wildland Firefighter

GS-0455-2/3/4/5

Open: 11/28/2011 – Close: 03/30/2012

Early Cutoff Date for GS-5: 1/17/2012

Early Cutoff Date for GS-2/3/4: 1/31/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-016

Hotshot Wildland Firefighter

GS-0455-2/3/4/5

Open: 11/28/2011 – Close: 04/30/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/03/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-047

Lead Range Tech (Fuels)

GS-0455-6

Open: 12/05/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/17/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-051

Lead Wildland Firefighter

GS-0455-6

Open: 12/05/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/17/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-052

Lead Wildland Firefighter (Engine)

GS-0455-6

Open: 12/05/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/17/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-046

Supervisory Range Tech (Engine)

GS-0455-7

Open: 12/5/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/17/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-045

Spvy Range/Forestry Tech (Fuels)

GS-0455-7

Open: 12/05/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/17/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-053

Spvy Range/Forestry Tech

GS-0455-7

Open: 12/05/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/17/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-055

Supervisory Range Tech (EMLs)

GS-0455-7

Open: 12/05/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/17/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-049

Fuels Module Crewmember

GS-0455-5

Open: 12/05/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/17/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-066

Fire Dispatcher

GS-0455-4/5/6/7

Open: 12/12/2011 – Close: 03/01/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/31/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-070

Fire Lookout

GS-0455-4/5

Open: 12/12/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/31/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-064

Fire Operations Supervisor

GS-0455-08

Open: 12/12/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/31/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-059

Prescribed Fire & Fuels

GS-0455-7

Open: 12/12/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/31/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-069

Fire Support

GS-0455-2/3/4/5

Open: 12/12/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/31/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-058

Range Tech (Fire Prevention)

GS-0455-5

Open: 12/12/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/31/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-060

SEAT Manager

GS-0455-7

Open: 12/12/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/31/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-062

Ramp Manager

GS-0455-5

Open: 12/12/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/31/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-056

Materials Handler

WG-6907-3/4/5

Open: 12/12/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/31/2012

BLM-FIRE-2012-057

Motor Vehicle Operator

WG-5703-8

Open: 12/12/2011 – Close: 03/06/2012

Early Cutoff Date: 1/31/2012

Length of appointment varies depending on needs/funds but cannot exceed 1039 hours, excluding overtime and training, in a service year.

To easily find temporary fire jobs in Idaho, you can go to the FIRES website at www.firejobs.doi.gov and click on "Search for Jobs". This will allow you to search and apply for announcements open by the FIRES Program Office.

Applications will be accepted on the USAJOBS website via the following address: www.usajobs.opm.gov

The FIRES website also has helpful information such as "Common Mistakes" and "FAQs."

Pay

Most temporary positions are paid via General Schedule (GS) grades, GS-2 through GS-7 or via Wage Grade (WG), WG-3 through WG-8. The hourly rates for 2012 are not expected to increase from the 2011 rates for Idaho which are as follows:

GS-2	10.95	GS-3	11.95
GS-4	13.41	GS-5	15.00
GS-6	16.73	GS-7	18.59
WG-3	13.32	WG-4	14.72
WG-5	16.11	WG-6	17.57
WG-7	19.00	WG-8	20.23

Requirements

All applicants must be a United States citizen and at least 18 years of age by the time of appointment. Applicants with experience or training in the fields for which they are applying may qualify at higher grades.

All positions require the applicant to pass a physical examination and drug test. All applicants will be considered without regard to political, religious, or labor organization affiliation or non-affiliation, marital status, race, color, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, non-disqualifying physical or mental disability, or age.

Questions?

If you have questions or need assistance with the on-line application process, call the FIRES Help desk at (888) 364-6432, or email blm_fa_fires@blm.gov

If you have questions regarding positions in Idaho, please contact the BLM Idaho State Office, Human Resources Office at (208) 373-3921.

