

## **STREAMSIDE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM COORDINATOR**

**DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS:** This is a technical/programmatic position under the direct supervision of the Delaware County Soil & Water Conservation District (SWCD) Stream Program Coordinator and general supervision of the Delaware County SWCD Executive Director. Primary responsibilities include, but are not limited to: development of individual stream corridor management plans for streamside landowners; and participation in a multi-county working group to develop and guide Delaware County's landowner Streamside Assistance Program. Other responsibilities may include public education and outreach, preparation of progress reports, and coordination and cooperation with government and other involved agencies. Coordinates seasonal interns and assigned subordinate staff. Does related work as required.

**TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:** (Illustrative Only):

Develop individual stream corridor management plans for streamside landowners, including but not limited to, management measures to address streamside vegetation, stream function, streambank stabilization, and other prescriptive measures as may be necessary; Participates in a multi-county working group to develop and guide the landowner Streamside Assistance Program; Oversees program implementation in Delaware County; Oversees materials supply operations; Recruits new landowners into the program; Facilitates and coordinate training, public outreach, and education programs and efforts; Prepares periodic progress reports; May prepare contracts for project implementation; Operates and maintains work vehicle as assigned.

**FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:**

Good knowledge of fluvial geomorphic principles and practices; Good knowledge of applicable state, federal, and local rules, regulations and laws pertaining to stream work; Working knowledge of local geography; Good knowledge of current GIS, word-processing, and other applicable computer software; Ability to communicate effectively, both orally and in writing; Ability to work independently, manage work load efficiently and effectively, maintain and demonstrate accuracy, integrity, and confidentiality; Ability to maintain a professional and cooperative working relationship with all agency and interagency staff; Physical condition commensurate with the demands of the position.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

- A. Bachelors Degree in Environmental Science, Geology, Natural Resource Management, Forestry, Civil Engineering, Landscape Architecture, or closely related studies and two years of professional level work experience, OR
- B. Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered college or university with a Bachelors degree and 4 years experience in stream corridor management which may include streamside vegetation, stream function, stream bank stabilization or related experience.
- C. An equivalent combination of training and experience as defined by the limits of A and B above.

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENT:**

Possession of a New York State driver's license and maintained during employment.