



**COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA**  
invites applications for:

## **Fish Culturist 1**

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<b>SALARY:</b>	\$31,880.00 - \$46,881.00 Annually
<b>JOB TYPE:</b>	Civil Service Seasonal Full-Time
<b>DEPARTMENT:</b>	Fish & Boat Commission
<b>LOCATION:</b>	Centre County
<b>OPENING DATE:</b>	08/06/19
<b>CLOSING DATE:</b>	08/20/19 11:59 PM
<b>JOB CODE:</b>	61019
<b>POSITION NUMBER:</b>	86306
<b>UNION:</b>	AFSCME
<b>BARGAINING UNIT:</b>	J1
<b>PAY GROUP:</b>	ST03
<b>BUREAU/DIVISION CODE:</b>	3425
<b>BUREAU/DIVISION:</b>	Pleasant Gap State Fish Hatchery
<b>WORKSITE ADDRESS:</b>	450 Robinson Lane
<b>CITY:</b>	Bellefonte
<b>ZIP CODE:</b>	16823-9620
<b>CONTACT NAME:</b>	Colleen Henning
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### **THE POSITION:**

The Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission is seeking to fill a seasonal, non-permanent wage Fish Culturist 1 position with the Pleasant Gap State Fish Hatchery in Centre County. This position works full-time 40 hours each week from approximately September 2019 to December 2019. If you are a reliable, hard-working individual who likes being outdoors, this may be the job for you!

In order to be eligible for this position you must:

- Meet Pennsylvania residency requirements
- Be able to perform essential job functions

Work Schedule: To Be Determined (40 hours a week - 7 day a week operation). Must be willing to work rotating weekends.

Please attach current resume to your application.

### **DESCRIPTION OF WORK:**

Assist in the propagation, care, and stocking of fish species in numbers sufficient to meet fisheries management goals toward enhancement of fishing opportunities for the general public. Assist in maintaining facilities in an endeavor to maximize efficiency of propagation, care, stocking and effluent management.

Perform various duties necessary for the operation and maintenance of a fish culture station. Technical assignments include spawning fish, care of fish and eggs, dispensing feed and medication to fish, check raceways and ponds for signs of fish disease and stress, prepare fish for distribution and transport fish, maintain reports and records as required, assist in production related activities, assist in giving tours to visitors, responsible for maintenance of buildings, and upkeep of treatment systems, grounds, and hatchery equipment. Perform other duties as assigned.

### **REQUIRED EXPERIENCE, TRAINING & ELIGIBILITY:**

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Graduation from high school or equivalent certification of formal training.

#### **NECESSARY SPECIAL REQUIREMENT:**

Possession of valid driver's license.

Employee entering this classification must obtain a Commercial Driver's License that permits the operation of vehicles of 26,000 lbs or more prior to completing their probationary period.

**Veterans:** Pennsylvania law (51 Pa. C.S. §7103) provides employment preference for qualified veterans for appointment to many state and local government jobs. To learn more about employment preferences for veterans, go to [www.employment.pa.gov/Additional%20Info/Pages/default.aspx](http://www.employment.pa.gov/Additional%20Info/Pages/default.aspx) and click the Veterans' Preference tab or contact us at [ra-cs-vetpreference@pa.gov](mailto:ra-cs-vetpreference@pa.gov).

APPLICATIONS MAY BE FILED ONLINE AT:  
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### **Fish Culturist 1 Supplemental Questionnaire**

- \* 1. By selecting yes, this confirms you are aware that this position requires a valid driver's license; you must obtain a Commercial Driver's License that permits the operation of vehicles of 26,000 lbs. or more prior to completing your probationary period; you are willing to perform physical work in all types of weather conditions from subzero temperatures to that in excess of 90 degrees; you are willing to work rotating weekends; and you must obtain Act 153 Child Abuse Clearances entailing a State Police background check, a Department of Human Services background check and a FBI fingerprint check.

Yes

\* Required Question