

Sierra Pacific Industries



District Forester Ryderwood Forestry District Centralia, WA

Our Forestry Division, Ryderwood District, has an opening for a qualified **District Forester** to help manage the Company's timberlands in Lewis, Pacific, Thurston, and Cowlitz counties. The successful applicant will work out of our district office located in **Centralia**, **Washington**.

ABOUT THE POSITION

- Implement all aspects of the timber harvest program, including performing harvest layout and permitting, administering road building and logging contracts, and ensuring log quality control
- Assist in the development of harvest budgets and forecasts
- Collaborate regarding silvicultural programs including reforestation, vegetation management, tree improvement, and inventory
- Interact professionally and effectively with state regulatory agencies and diverse groups
- Hike in remote mountainous regions using maps, compass, or GPS
- Work may consist of team or independent settings, in remote areas and in all seasons and weather conditions
- Safely navigate hazardous mountain roads

QUALIFICATIONS

- Bachelor's degree in forestry or related field, or equivalent recent, related work experience
- 1 year experience in harvest engineering and/or harvest unit layout in the Pacific Northwest
- Demonstrated understanding of operational and cost considerations of cable and ground-based logging systems and forest road construction
- Working knowledge of Washington forest practice rules
- Excellent organizational skills, self-motivated, and a strong work ethic
- Skilled with Word, Outlook, Excel, ArcGIS software, experience with Road Eng or CAD preferred
- Hold or obtain valid Washington driver's license

WHY JOIN OUR TEAM

Because this is more than an invitation, it's a commitment to offer opportunities for personal and professional growth to everyone! We ask people to grow with us and make the company even better.

In addition to paid vacation and 10 paid holidays, we provide an excellent benefit package including a full Health Benefits Plan (including medical, dental, and vision) with low-cost premiums, a 401(k) with Company Match, additional Retirement Contributions, and company-paid Life Insurance.

HOW TO APPLY

If you are qualified and would like to join our team, please send a cover letter referencing this position and a resume to:

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or apply online and view all our career opportunities at: spi.careers