



ASSISTANT ECOLOGIST (non-exempt)

\$68,594 - \$83,374 annually

United Water Conservation District is a special district that was founded in 1927. The District is responsible for the conservation and enhancement of the water resources of the Santa Clara River Valley and the Oxnard Coastal Plain in Ventura County. District facilities include Santa Felicia Dam, Freeman Diversion Dam, groundwater recharge basins, well fields, water treatment facilities and major transmission pipelines.

Under the direction of the Senior Ecologist, the Assistant Ecologist performs technical and field-based activities. The Assistant Ecologist is an entry level position and is differentiated from the Associate and Senior ecologists by the required work experience and level of responsibility and independence.

Duties may include:

- Develop/implement studies and plans, process data, and prepare reports and correspondences.
- Conduct field work involving a range of tasks including ecological investigations to support the District's efforts to comply with environmental laws.
- Assist on ecological issues to comply with federal, state, and local environmental laws, rules, and regulations.
- Represent the District on ecological issues to governmental agencies, various organizations
- Perform administrative tasks, including assisting with budget development and tracking, and maintaining records.

Education and Experience

- Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university with major course work in an environmental-related field (e.g., biology, environmental studies, fisheries science, water science, etc.).
- A minimum of 1 year of experience with environmental and regulatory matters relevant to the operation of water resource facilities.
- Experience working on ecological issues sufficient to perform assignments with a reasonable degree of independence under normal supervision and after a customary orientation period.

Compensation & Benefits:

CalPERS Retirement 2.5%@55 (Classic) and 2%@62 (PEPRA), group health through CalPERS (100% employee and 60% dependents), dental/vision for employees and dependents (100%), group life insurance, and flex benefit plans. District offers deferred compensation programs, vacation, sick leave and 11 paid holidays.

Please submit your resume no later than **July 8, 2019**. The application and full job description are available at www.unitedwater.org.

Please submit to UWCD, Attn: Human Resources via email at joshp@unitedwater.org or to ofelial@unitedwater.org. Candidates can also submit their applications via surface mail to: UWCD, Attn: Human Resources, 106 N. 8th St. Santa Paula, CA 93060, (805) 525-4431. UWCD is an Equal Opportunity Employer.