



Rainwater Basin Wetland Management District



Would you enjoy the challenge of working in the migratory bird corridor of the Central Flyway?

Consider living and recreating in south central Nebraska while helping provide conservation programs as the **Wage Grade Professional (WG-4749-08) at Rainwater Basin Wetland Management District!** Relocation expenses may be paid in accordance with agency policy.

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The Rainwater Basin Wetland Management District is part of the Rainwater Basin Wetland Management District Complex. The Complex consists of a Wetland Management District in Nebraska and Kirwin National Wildlife Refuge in Kansas. The Wetland Management District includes 63 Waterfowl Production Areas located throughout south central Nebraska.

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service lands within the Rainwater Basin WMD Complex provide critical habitat for migratory birds. A network of wetland and prairie ecosystems provides a native grassland mosaic that gives the local community of sense of pride and connection to the Great Plains flora and fauna. The lands managed by the Wetland Management District serve as an example of land stewardship mimicking natural processes, and they provide an array of wildlife-dependent educational and recreational opportunities.

The Rainwater Basin Wetland Management District office is located four miles northeast of Funk, Nebraska. The nearest communities within a thirty minute drive include Kearney (pop. 34,000), Holdrege (pop. 5,500), and Minden (pop. 3,000). The larger community of Kearney, NE boasts the University of Nebraska at Kearney, two high schools, all amenities, and the nearest commercial airport. Kirwin National Wildlife Refuge is located 15 minutes away from Phillipsburg (pop. 2,500), in northern Kansas and is home to world class sport fishing and hunting opportunities.

Description of Duties

Duties of the **Maintenance Worker** include, but are not limited to: preparing, planning, and implementing all aspects of District facilities, fleet, and heavy equipment maintenance and operations; coordinating District maintenance activities with other Service programs, local, State, and Federal agencies; participating in or leading the development and planning of various District habitat maintenance projects; leading the safety and recycling programs.

If you wish to apply, refer to the USAJOBS website DE Announcement #: R6-22-11586570-TD-DE at <https://www.usajobs.gov/job/668465200> or MP Announcement #: R6-22-11586571-TD-MP at <https://www.usajobs.gov/job/668465700>

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