



MERCED COUNTY MOSQUITO ABATEMENT DISTRICT

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JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

The Merced County Mosquito Abatement District will have an opening starting September 9, 2019 for:

Position: Vector Ecologist

Duration: Full-Time, Year-Round

Work Location: Reporting Office: Westside Depot- 14100 Deep Well Road Dos Palos, CA 93620

Definition: This position, under the general direction of the General Manager and direct supervision of the Operational Services Supervisor, is a mid-level position that performs mosquito and vector-borne disease surveillance. Examples of work include; deploying and collecting various mosquito traps throughout Merced County, mosquito species identification, data entry, blood sampling from sentinel chickens and general biology. Must be able to communicate effectively with the public. Participates in the District's education campaign. For more complete explanation, please see job description.

Minimum qualifications: Must have a valid California State Driver's License with a good record and insurability with the District's insurance carrier, using the accepted guidelines of the insurance provider. Graduate of an accredited college or university with a minimum of a Bachelor's Degree in, ecology, biology, resource management, entomology or closely related field.

Working Conditions: Applicants must be physically able to perform manual labor, lift and carry weights in excess of twenty-five pounds and to traverse rough terrain while carrying light traps.

Salary & Benefits: Merced County Salary Range 69.1, \$49,587.20 annually. Health Insurance, Paid Holidays, Sick Leave, Vacation, Retirement, and Worker's Compensation Insurance

Application: Interested individuals should obtain and file an application submitted to the Headquarters office location:

Merced County Mosquito Abatement District
3478 Beachwood Drive
Merced, CA 95340
Phone: 209.722.1527

Applications will be accepted until October 31, 2019. Start date will depend on availability.

The purpose of the District is to provide area-wide mosquito control, prevent mosquito-borne disease, and reduce economic loss and discomfort from pestiferous mosquitoes.