

Lancaster County Conservation District

Agriculture Compliance Specialist

The Lancaster County Conservation District is seeking a qualified individual to fill a full time position as an Agriculture Compliance Specialist. This position requires excellent organizational, computer and communication skills, attention to detail and a highly motivated, composed and collected but determined and resolute individual. Compliance Specialists will be expected to conduct onsite inspections of farming operations within the county. Those site inspections will include paperwork completeness reviews, completing inspection reports, operating computer equipment in the field, and data entry and documentation in the office. The site inspections and document review are performed to determine the degree of compliance with Pennsylvania's Agriculture Regulations (Chapter 102.4 (a) & Chapter 91). The position will also be responsible for follow up of initial site inspections (mostly in office), receiving compliance documents, reviewing those documents for completeness, developing letters, documenting compliance or lack of compliance and referring cases to Pennsylvania's Department of Environmental Protection when necessary. Knowledge of farming practices and Pennsylvania law relating to agriculture are preferred. Upon employment, candidate will need to agree to a Criminal Record check and PA Child Abuse History Certification.

Minimum qualifications are:

- Bachelor's degree required. A degree in Agronomy, Soil Science, Plant Science, Animal Science or related environmental studies preferred
- Valid drivers license and personal vehicle
- Ability to traverse rough terrain

Starting salary \$35,000 - \$37,000. Signing bonus and excellent benefit package.

Required Application Information:

- District Application (available at www.lancasterconservation.org)
- Cover Letter
- Resume
- Official College Transcript

The required application information must be received by the District on or before May 18, 2018.

Please send the required application information to:

Christopher Thompson, District Manager
Lancaster County Conservation District
1383 Arcadia Road, Room 200
Lancaster, PA 17601

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