



Uintah Mosquito Abatement District

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Job Posting - Mosquito Control Technician

Opening Date: August 28, 2026

Closing Date: Wednesday, September 2, 2026, at 5:00 pm Mountain Time.

Salary Range: \$17.67 - \$20.78

Position Type: Seasonal. Typically, September through October but could be extended based on the needs of the District.

Benefits: Non-benefited

Uintah Mosquito Abatement District is an Equal Opportunity Employer. We provide veterans' preference to preference eligible individuals as defined by Utah Code 71A-2. To claim preference, please submit a DD-214 or other qualifying documentation with your application.

Summary

The Uintah Mosquito Abatement District seeks a highly motivated and detail-oriented individual to fill the seasonal position of Mosquito Control Technician. This role is crucial to the district's mission of protecting public health by effectively controlling mosquito populations. The Mosquito Control Technician will be responsible for the safe and efficient operation and maintenance of mosquito control equipment, including the application of control products. This

position requires the ability to work independently and as part of a team, often in challenging outdoor conditions.

Essential Duties

- Operate and maintain mosquito application equipment for mosquito control, including trucks with trailers, ATVs, and motor-driven sprayers, hand sprayers, hand blower, back pack blower and other hand application equipment.
- Mix and apply pesticide according to label specifications and safety protocols for mosquito control.
- Maintain detailed and accurate records of work activities, including pesticide application, location, and quantities.
- Report equipment failures and other operational problems to the supervisor.
- Ensure the proper use of safety equipment, personal protective equipment, and adhere to all safety regulations.
- Identify and control vector and nuisance mosquito species.
- Implement principles of Integrated Mosquito Management (IMM).
- Inspect and maintain mosquito habitat access by using chainsaw, reciprocating saw, hand saw or other hand equipment.
- Perform other duties as assigned.
- Perform ultra-low volume (ULV) "fogging" applications outside of regular business hours.
- Serve as a Visual Observer for the Districts Drone Pilots on an as needed basis.

Working Conditions

Much of the work performed is out of doors. The employee will be exposed to hazards which include insect bites, pesticides, fumes, dust, insect vectors, and vector-borne disease, rough terrain, and inclement weather conditions included extreme heat.

Minimum Qualifications

- High school diploma or equivalent.
- Applicant must be a U.S. citizen or have a valid U.S. work permit.
- Minimum 18 years of age.
- Valid Utah Driver's License with excellent driving record.
- Ability to obtain a Utah Department of Agriculture Non-commercial Pesticide Applicators License in the Public Health Category within two weeks of hire.
- Ability to walk on or through uneven, loose, wet, muddy, slippery terrain or densely vegetated water bodies while wearing rubber irrigation boots, appropriate personal protective equipment and carrying backpack type application equipment and material up to 50lbs or hand application equipment.

- Ability to lift up to 50 pounds.
- Ability to work outdoors in all weather conditions for extended periods of time.
- Ability to wear protective equipment such as rubber boots, nitrile gloves, N95 masks, hearing protection, eye protection, and various types of helmets under all working conditions.

Preferred Knowledge, Skills, Experience, and Abilities

- Knowledge of mosquito sprayers, trucks, all-terrain vehicle (ATVs) and related equipment.
- Understanding of safety rules, procedures, and best practices related to pesticide application.
- Familiarity with mosquito identification and control methods.
- Basic computer skills, including data entry.
- Proficiency in map reading and the use of GPS equipment and associated software.
- Ability to perform mathematical computations.
- Strong customer service skills.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills.
- Ability to follow verbal and written instructions.
- Strong attention to detail.
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with colleagues, supervisors, and the public.
- Ability to adapt to frequent changes, delays, and unexpected events.
- Punctuality and adherence to assigned work hours and established lines of authority.
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team.
- Willingness to work some nights and Saturdays, as required.

How to Apply

Interested applicants can download a Job Application from the District's website, www.uintahmadutah.gov.

Applicants must submit a resume, cover letter, and a completed and signed job application to Danny Rasmussen, Director, at drasmussen@uintahmadutah.gov by Wednesday, September 2, 2026, at 5:00 pm Mountain Time.

Any questions may be directed to Danny Rasmussen, Director, by phone at (435) 789-4105.

Applicants receiving a conditional offer of employment may be required to submit to a preemployment drug screening, medical examination, and background check.