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EXTERNAL JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Job Title/Position: Wildlife Biologist 2; Position #00162151

Location: Social Circle, Walton County

Job Responsibilities:

The Wildlife Biologist 2 will lead a long-term project to conserve Robust Redhorse across its range and will be responsible for collection and analysis of monitoring data, participation in conservation planning meetings, management of contracted studies, co-supervision of technicians and hourly workers, and completion of project reports. The Wildlife Biologist 2 will serve as the official agency representative on the Robust Redhorse Conservation Committee and will be required to coordinate with biologists throughout the range of the species. The Wildlife Biologist 2 will also assist with conservation efforts for other rare aquatic species occurring in Georgia.

Minimum Qualifications:

Completion of a Master of Science degree in Wildlife Management, Wildlife Biology, Wildlife Science or a related field from an accredited college or university.

Preferred Qualifications: Minimum qualifications plus:

- 1) Experience with conservation of rare aquatic species, such as fishes and freshwater mussels.
- 2) Experience with aquatic species sampling methodologies and aquatic species identification, including sampling of large river fish communities.
- 3) Experience with analysis of species monitoring data and software for data analysis and management.
- 4) Familiarity with approaches to solve complex management problems which may involve multiple stakeholders, significant uncertainty, and species that are or may merit listing under the U.S. Endangered Species Act.
- 5) Excellent verbal and written communication skills, including presentation and publication of scientific data.

Salary: \$43,063.23/year plus benefits

Application: Refer to www.gadnr.org/careers. If interested in applying for this position, please submit an electronic DNR application for employment to the email address below, or mail a completed application for employment to:

Georgia Department of Natural Resources
Wildlife Resources Division
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Social Circle, GA 30025 Connie.Hopkins@dnr.ga.gov

Application Deadline: October 11, 2016