

**Tennessee Parks and Conservation
Conservation Worker 2
David Crockett State Park
Annual Starting Salary: \$21,936**

Who we are:

The Department of Environment and Conservation exists to enhance the quality of life for citizens of Tennessee and to be stewards of our natural environment.

We foster a work environment that's inclusive as well as diverse, where our people can be themselves. Every idea and perspective is valued so that our culture reflects the people we serve.

Our Department is committed to providing a cleaner, safer environment that goes hand-in-hand with economic prosperity and increased quality of life in Tennessee. We deliver on our mission through managing regulatory programs that maintain standards for air, water and soil quality while providing assistance to businesses and communities in areas ranging from recreation to waste management. We manage the state park system and programs to inventory, interpret and protect Tennessee's rich natural, historical, and archaeological heritage.

About the Tennessee State Parks

From its beginning in 1937, Tennessee State Parks were established to protect and preserve the unique natural, cultural, and historic resources of Tennessee. The public interest has also been served by a variety of benefits for citizens and communities produced by our state park system, promoting stronger communities and healthier citizens across the state through diverse resource-based recreation while conserving the natural environment for today and tomorrow – preserving authentic Tennessee places and spaces for future generations to enjoy. As stewards of the resources in our parks, we seek to manage Tennessee's state parks in order to preserve and protect valued resources and to provide a balance of services and benefits for the enjoyment of the people.

Are you looking for an opportunity to work with Tennessee State Parks? Our Tennessee State Parks are among the most beautiful parks in the United States. We have outstanding opportunities to work in a beautiful work environment. This position is located at David Crockett State Park in Lawrenceburg TN. The facilities include two campgrounds, seven cabins, 40-acre lake with boat dock, hiking trails, playgrounds with restroom facilities, picnic shelters, museum and restaurant.

We are seeking candidates who have experience in grounds and/or facilities maintenance to become a member of our Park Maintenance team. Preferred candidates will be skilled in areas related to general maintenance, electrical, plumbing, carpentry, or other pertinent areas and be willing to contribute to the success of the team. Rotating weekend shifts can be expected every few weeks. Education equivalent to three years of increasingly responsible and skilled fulltime labor is desired. A valid driver's license is required for this position. To apply for this position: <http://www.tn.gov/careers>.

Highlighted Responsibilities:

- Perform repairs and preventative maintenance at facilities throughout the park, including campground, and residences.
- Repair, replace, or install water lines, gates, concrete, and other infrastructure items throughout the park.
- Operate equipment such as commercial lawn mowers, backhoe, bucket or forklift, woodchipper.
- Operate and maintain small equipment such as chainsaws and weed eaters; assist with inventory of supplies and equipment
- Power wash and remove garbage and litter from park areas.
- Contribute to park initiatives such as recycling and native landscaping.

Pursuant to the State of Tennessee's Workplace Discrimination and Harassment policy, the State is firmly committed to the principle of fair and equal employment opportunities for its citizens and strives to protect the rights and opportunities of all people to seek, obtain, and hold employment without being subjected to illegal discrimination and harassment in the workplace. It is the State's policy to provide an environment free of discrimination and harassment of an individual because of that person's race, color, national origin, age (40 and over), sex, pregnancy, religion, creed, disability, veteran's status or any other category protected by state and/or federal civil rights laws.