

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 environmental 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.



Bureau of Parks and Conservation Sgt. Alvin C. York Historic State Park Museum Curatorial Assistant Annual Salary Range: \$26,016 – \$41,664

Do you have a natural love of history? One of our most popular and historic state parks located in Pall Mall, TN, nine miles north of Jamestown, TN, has a wonderful position for someone seeking an opportunity to work with guests of the park sharing the historical information of one of the most highly decorated soldiers of World War 1, Sgt. Alvin C. York. The Park has 345 acres with multiple historic sites and also offers recreational opportunities such as a .6-mile trail and a suspension bridge, picnic shelters and fishing along the lovely Wolf River.

You will have the opportunity to create exhibits at the Visitor Center as well as other historical sites in the park and support events highlighting the park. The preferred candidate will have graduated from an accredited college or university with a bachelor's degree in History or Agro-Tourism, enjoys working with the general public, and experience that supports the historical focus of park. To apply for this position: <https://www.tn.gov/careers>.

Highlighted Responsibilities:

- Assist with daily visitor services in the park Visitor Center, providing professional and informative services to inform park visitors of all the interpretive opportunities onsite.
- In conjunction with the Tennessee State Museum/ Tennessee State Library and Archives/ Tennessee State Parks Interpretive Office, research professional cataloging practices and apply those techniques to all historically significant documents and artifacts housed on site, in addition to artifacts that are not on display but housed on site.
- Construct permanent and temporary interpretive exhibits, utilizing documents and artifacts housed on site, at the park visitor center, home site, and mill site in an appealing and sustainable manner.
- Research, plan, and oversee aspects of the Sergeant Alvin C. York State Historic Park Living History events, ensuring all World War I and Agro-Tourism living history programming conducted on site is presented in a professional, authentic, and safe manner.
- Assist Park staff with general site maintenance, ensuring all historical structures on site are maintained in a historically accurate and sustainable manner.

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.