



# **JOB OPPORTUNITY**

#### MISSISQUOI NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

## INVASIVE SPECIES CONTROL BIOLOGIST

**PAY:** \$15.00/HOUR \*(*Not to exceed 115 hours*)\*

## **TIME FRAME**: July 16 – August 3, 2018

(End date is flexible and will depend on individual work schedule)

**Duties**: Individual will conduct hand pulling operations of water chestnut, an invasive species, on the Missisquoi NWR; Swanton, Vt. Control will involve daily work with one other individual in a small boat hand pulling plants and transporting material to a composting site. Some data collection will be required.

## **Requirements:**

- Ability to work out doors for long hours
- Ability to work in hot and buggy environment
- Ability to identify invasive plants (training will be provided)
- Ability to work well with others
- Familiarity with GPS units and GPS navigation

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