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**SOUTHEAST REGIONAL AQUACULTURE ASSOCIATION, INC**

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**POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT**  
**NORTHERN SOUTHEAST REGIONAL AQUACULTURE ASSOCIATION**  
**MEDVEJIE HATCHERY**

**Job #:** 1406  
**Title:** Fish Technician  
**Location:** Medvejie Hatchery  
**Dates:** ASAP through Nov 15, 2014  
**Starting Wage:** \$13-15/hr (DOE) + room in a bunkhouse setting  
**Closing Date:** April 28, 2014

**Duties:** Medvejie Hatchery personnel will spawn and seed 70 million chum salmon eggs, rear over 3 million chinook salmon, and spawn 2,000,000 coho salmon eggs during the 2014 season. The successful candidate will be involved in all facets of salmon fry and smolt production. A room and transportation between Sitka and Medvejie is provided. The candidate will provide transportation to and from Alaska (Sitka) at the beginning and end of the hiring period.

**Qualifications:** Education and/or experience in fisheries biology, fish culture, wildlife, or animal husbandry *is required*. Sound physical fitness is necessary due the physical component of hatchery work (i.e., ability to carry 50 pounds for distances over 100 yards). Successful candidate must be able to interact positively with co-workers and must be able to live in a bunkhouse setting and must be respectful of fellow bunkmates. Employment may be contingent upon pre-employment alcohol and/or drug screening. Successful candidates will not be permitted to bring pets on site. Experience driving boats is preferred but not required.

Medvejie Hatchery is operated by Northern Southeast Regional Aquaculture Association (NSRAA), a private non-profit regional aquaculture association funded by the commercial fishing fleet in Southeast Alaska. NSRAA provides increased fishing opportunities for commercial, subsistence and sportfishing groups. We produce the largest enhanced Chinook salmon return in the state, as well as a large chum return and are one of the most economically important fishery enhancement programs in Southeast Alaska. Located in a remote setting in the heart of Alaska's Tongass National Forest, opportunities for outdoor recreation are unsurpassed.

Interested individuals should send the following information by either FAX, e-mail, or U.S. Mail: (1) letter of purpose, describing interests and/or qualifications relevant to said position; (2) a detailed resume describing pertinent work experience and/or education; (3) the names and contact information (e-mail is ideal) for two references familiar with applicant's work experience/performance (non-relatives, please). In addition, candidates must (4) complete an official NSRAA application for employment, and mail said application to the address provided below. NSRAA's official application may be obtained either by calling NSRAA's administrative office at (907) 747-6850, or through NSRAA's Web-site: <http://www.nsraa.org/>

All inquiries and materials should be directed to Angie Bowers via one of the following means of contact:

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All application materials must be received by April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2014 in order to be granted consideration.