

HELP WANTED

The Opportunity:

We are currently seeking a professional individual to be trained as an Algonquin Park Warden.

Who are "We":

Magnetawan Management Inc. is a private company contracted by Ontario Parks to maintain and protect a portion of Algonquin Provincial Park known as the Magnetawan Management Area (MMA). The MMA is geographically situated on the west side of the Park at the summit of the land mass known as the Algonquin Dome. It contains the headwaters of the Magnetawan, Muskoka and Lower Ottawa valley river watersheds. We operate out of an Office located in Kearney Ontario.

Purpose of Position:

Park Wardens will enforce the Park rules and regulations while maintaining the trails and campsites within Algonquin Park.

Park rules and regulations are designed to protect both visitors and the ecology of the Park and prevent unrestrained and unsustainable exploitation. To achieve this goal, Wardens are appointed to issue warnings, tickets and evictions. Park Wardens will also act as interpreters between the public and the natural world by providing information about the geological, biological, historical and cultural background of the area.

MAGNETAWAN MANAGEMENT INC.

Maintenance Duties and Responsibilities:

We maintain 170 Interior campsites and 50 Kms of portage and hiking trails on the inside of Algonquin Park. Maintenance duties and responsibilities include;

- developing, maintaining and upgrading hiking trails and canoe routes, including associated portages and campsites.
- clearing and removing brush and debris from portage and hiking trails using chainsaws and brush saws.
- supervising student Rangers

Enforcement Duties:

- responding to emergencies, complaints and assisting in search and rescues
- providing information and assistance to Park visitors
- issuing warnings and tickets for violations of Park Rules and Regulations
- documenting and reporting occurrences

Certifications and Licenses:

- Drivers License
- First Aid
- Chainsaw certification (and / or) experience using chainsaws

Knowledge and Skills:

- familiar with Algonquin Park and Backcountry camping
- must have good communication and public relations skills
- ability to work independently or as part of a team
- must have strength, stamina and endurance to paddle and carry canoes and gear over long distances
- must be able to swim

Wage: \$23. / hour, 40 hours per week, May 1st – September 1st (or October 10th)

Please E-mail cover letter and resume to: magnetawanmanagement@gmail.com

by March 1st 2023