Invasive Plant Management Intern (Volunteer)

Mission:

The mission of the American River Parkway Foundation Internship program is to work with ARPF staff to support the preservation, protection and enhancement and appreciation of the American River Parkway through environmental stewardship and parkway projects and programs.

Requirements:

- Background/interest in environmental science or natural resources
- Must be able to lift 25lbs
- Must be able to work independently
- Must be comfortable working outdoors in all conditions
- Must be able to dedicate 10-30 hours per week

Description:

The invasive plant management intern (IPMI) will assist APRF staff in the management and control of specified invasive plant species along the American River Parkway. Work will take place between Hazel Avenue and the confluence of the Sacramento/American rivers near Interstate 5. Work will be completed >80% outdoors. Intern will take part in the following tasks under the direction of ARPF staff.

Tasks:

- Remove invasive plants by hand or mechanical techniques
- Survey and identify invasive plants along the American River Parkway
- Record data of absence or presence of invasive plants
- Record data of all completed management efforts of invasive plants
- Work with volunteers, Sacramento county parks staff, and all others in a professional manor while representing ARPF.
- Enter collected data into Excel database.

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