



# YOUNGSTOWN NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION



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## Forestry Team Member

### Job Description

<b>Title:</b>	Forestry Team Member
<b>Work Schedule:</b>	FULL TIME – 40 hours per week, evening and weekend work may be required
<b>Compensation:</b>	\$22 per hour

Under the direction of the Neighborhood Stabilization Director and the TreeCorps Project Manager, the Forestry Team Member will work with a team to implement tree planting, tree maintenance, property maintenance, and related neighborhood improvement projects to improve the quality of life in Youngstown's neighborhoods.

### Skills/Qualifications

1. Must be DRUG FREE, have a valid driver's license, and own transportation.
2. Ability to drive pickup trucks, dump trucks, landscaping trailers, and other equipment safely.
3. Ability to routinely lift up to 50 pounds and walk at least 5 miles daily.
4. Must be willing to work outdoors year-round in all weather conditions.
5. Strong commitment to safety and willingness to train team members and volunteers.
6. Ability to manage multiple projects and workloads simultaneously and prioritize effectively.
7. Ability to work independently of and in collaboration with a diverse team of staff and partners.
8. Must be able to communicate and follow instructions effectively and enforce organizational rules and policies.
9. High level of professional ethics and ability to communicate the organization's mission and vision.
10. Ability to safely operate chainsaws, pole saws, pruners, and related tools and equipment.
11. Ability & willingness to learn new skills and obtain ISA Arborist certification. Training will be provided.
12. Ability to perform basic routine maintenance to professional landscaping equipment and vehicles.

### Responsibilities

1. Complete activities to restore and maintain the urban tree canopy in Youngstown, including but not limited to: planting two-inch caliper trees, prepping planting sites, maintaining and watering young trees, maintaining mature trees, cutting up and removing dead and hazardous trees, and many related activities.
2. Complete related property maintenance and improvement activities necessary to foster a healthy urban tree canopy and built environment in neighborhoods, including but not limited to: grass cutting, vacant property cleanup, board-up of vacant structures, debris removal, landscaping, basic construction work, sidewalk cleanup, painting, and special projects as assigned.
3. Maintain a steady work pace and lead by example. Train new staff and volunteers.
4. Ensure that YNDC protocols, policies and workplace discipline are strictly and consistently enforced.
5. Keep track of tools and equipment and perform routine maintenance as needed.
6. Maintain daily logs and other documentation necessary to demonstrate work completed.
7. Ensure proper use of fuel and consumable materials.
8. Ensure vehicles and equipment are kept clean, well-maintained, functional, and secure at ALL times.

**TO APPLY, email completed job application to [jdaugherty@yndc.org](mailto:jdaugherty@yndc.org) – Attention: Jack Daugherty  
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