



YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK

EL PORTAL, CA

STEWARDS INDIVIDUAL PLACEMENTS

Stewards Individual Placements provides individuals with service and career opportunities to strengthen communities and preserve our natural resources. Stewards, in partnership with the National Park Service, are seeking an intern to serve as Community Volunteer Ambassador.

POSITION DETAILS

- Length: position is 50 weeks, 40 hours/week
- Start Date: Monday, February 7th 2022
- Living Allowance: Baseline allowance of \$500/week*
- AmeriCorps Award: \$6,345 (pre-tax)
- Application Due Date: **12/17/2021**, or Until Filled
- Members will attend a week-long, nationwide, National Early Service Training
- Members will receive Public Land Corps Hiring Authority upon completion

ABOUT THE SITE

Not just a great valley, but a shrine to human foresight, the strength of granite, the power of glaciers, the persistence of life, and the tranquility of the High Sierra. First protected in 1864, Yosemite National Park is best known for its waterfalls, but within its nearly 1,200 square miles, you can find deep valleys, grand meadows, ancient giant sequoias, a vast wilderness area, and much more

POSITION SUMMARY

Join Yosemite's Volunteer Program team for a year of stewardship and outreach! You will be working in a National Park Service office and in the field, coordinating with multiple divisions and leading volunteer groups in the field to accomplish successful and meaningful park projects.

POSITION RESPONSIBILITIES

- Recruit individual volunteers and volunteer groups using a variety of platforms
- Lead volunteer projects in the field
- Coordinate stewardship events such as for National Public Lands Day
- Advocate for volunteers' work with other NPS divisions
- Evaluate and participate in planning for the Yosemite Volunteer Program
- Perform targeted outreach for volunteers we are especially interested in working with

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- High School diploma or GED required
- Be a U.S. citizen or lawful permanent resident
- Be 18-30 years old (35 years old if you are a veteran)
- Be willing and able to commit to a year of full-time work
- Interest in working with Volunteers-in-Parks
- Willingness to work both in an office setting or outdoors
- Collaborative, supportive attitude
- Both oral and written communication skills
- Submit proof of a Driver's License and undergo a Federal Background Check, upon selection
- It is very likely that all participants will be required to be fully vaccinated to serve in the 2022 CVA Program. At a minimum participants will be required to get tested weekly if they are not vaccinated. Dates for implementing these requirements are not yet determined, but we expect that compliance will be necessary by the end of 2021

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Comfortable leading groups of children and/or adults
- Interest in stewardship of a changing world
- Interest in social and environmental justice
- Familiarity with scheduling, outreach, marketing, or related field highly desirable
- Degree or classwork related to environmental studies or public affairs / public administration is recommended, but not required

HOUSING

Housing is provided.

*If site is unable to provide housing at no cost, up to \$65/week may be allocated to support rent

HOW TO APPLY

Apply online [HERE](#). In addition to your resume, please submit a one page cover letter highlighting why you are interested in this position and how your background and experience will help you succeed in this position.

Stewards Individual Placements Program does not and will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, gender expression, age, national origin, disability, marital status, sexual orientation, or military status, in any of its activities or operations. We are committed to providing an inclusive and welcoming environment for all.

