



## Outreach Notice



USDA FOREST SERVICE  
**Bridger-Teton National Forest**

**June 3, 2026**

The Bridger-Teton National Forest is outreaching for NTE 120 day detail/temporary promotion for a GW-0456-9/11, District/Zone Fire Management Officer (DZFM) position with a duty station of either Jackson or Moran, WY.

The position will support fire and fuels management activities across the North Zone (Jackson and Blackrock Ranger Districts) and as part of the Teton Interagency Fire Management organization. The anticipated start date will be late June. Government housing may be available.

Please contact Todd Stiles - Jackson District Ranger at 307-739-5410 or Dave Wilkins (FMO) at 307-739-5418 if you have questions.

Outreach responses may be emailed to Todd Stiles, Jackson District Ranger at [todd.stiles@usda.gov](mailto:todd.stiles@usda.gov)

Please include your name, resume and related work experience.

**All interested candidates, please submit responses  
by close of business on 06/12/2026**

## **About the Position**

This position is unique in its interagency relationships with Grand Teton National Park and Jackson Hole Fire/EMS, which imposes a high degree of complexity to the operational and fuels management environment. This requires a considerable level of coordination with Forest Service fire managers, Grand Teton National Park fire management, and local Teton County/Jackson Fire Department to provide an exceptionally high level of safety and service in an interagency environment.

This position is zoned with the Blackrock and Jackson Ranger Districts. The Zone FMO is supervised by the Jackson District Ranger but will also report to the Blackrock District Ranger. The ability to work collaboratively with US Wildland Fire Service (USWFS), Teton County Fire/EMS, State and local governments, adjoining National Forests, other forest program areas and the ability to develop and maintain strong community relationships are critical for the position.

The fire resources on the North Zone include an AFMO Operations, a Type 2 interagency wildland fire module, 2 prevention techs, a Type 3 USFS engine, and USFS staffing on a USWFS Type 3 engine. The North Zone is also comprised of a Zone Fuels Specialist, AFMO Fuels, and Fuels Tech.

The position will play a key role in the zone fire management organization, serving in roles such as Zone Duty Officer, acting District Ranger, Incident Commander, Prescribed Burn Boss, and other positions as qualified.

This position is categorized as a High Complexity District/Zone Fire Management Officer (DZFMO) position that is subject to the Forest Service Fire Program Management (FS-FPM) Standard and Guide, as designated by the W.O. Fire and Aviation Management. The FS-FPM minimum qualification standards (MQS) for this position must be met prior to entrance into the position as a condition of hire.

**The FS-FPM selective placement factors for this position are as follows:**

**Successfully completed the Primary NWCG Core Requirement of Division Group Supervisor (DIVS) -AND- Successfully completed the Secondary NWCG Core Requirement of Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3) -OR- Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2).**

**-OR- Successfully completed the Primary NWCG Core Requirement of Air Support Group Supervisor (ASGS) and successfully completed the Secondary NWCG Core Requirement of Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3).**

**AND- Successful completion of the NWCG Course #M-581 Fire Program Management.**

This is a covered secondary position under the provisions of 5USC 8336 (c) and 8412 (d). Ninety (90) days of experience as a primary/rigorous wildland firefighter or equivalent experience outside federal employment is a basic qualification requirement for this position.

This position was approved for Secondary Firefighter Retirement Coverage under CSRS and FERS by USDA on 6/18/2012, B8.

## **The Forest**

BTNF is part of the largest intact ecosystem in the lower 48 states. The 3.4 million acres stretch from the southern border of Yellowstone National Park, covering the entire eastern flank of Grand Teton National Park, wrapping around Jackson Hole valley, to the sagebrush prairies of southwest-central Wyoming. BTNF is characterized by high elevation coniferous forests, sage/grass steppes, mountain ranges and deep valleys, large expanses of wild lands and three wilderness areas, abundant wildlife, and internationally recognized scenic and natural features.

BTNF includes headwaters of three nationally significant rivers (Yellowstone, Snake and Green). Tributaries to these rivers are considered exceptional in trout habitat and home to native strains of cutthroat trout. Over three hundred miles of the Snake River is designated as a Wild, Scenic, or Recreational River. Some of the largest and most diverse populations of mammals in North America exist here. This ecosystem still includes all of the major carnivores, an indication of its ecological completeness. BTNF includes undisturbed habitat for threatened and endangered species including grizzly bears. The Forest's wild lands are large and relatively unaltered by human activity, making them valuable for scientific study and determining baseline conditions for comparison elsewhere.

Recreation opportunities and scenic quality are internationally renowned. The BTNF attracts over 3.6 million visitors each year. The three wilderness areas cover over 1.3 million acres; the Bridger, the Teton and the Gros Ventre totaling more than one-third of the BTNF acreage, and containing major migration routes for wildlife. The Forest offers some of the nation's premier opportunities for winter sports. Three ski resorts, Jackson Hole Mountain Resort, Snow King, and White Pine are located on the Forest. The backcountry landscape contains a multitude of cross-country skiing trails and miles of trails for snowmobiling. Summer recreation contains a trail system of some 3000 miles and a network of scenic roads stretching more than 2500 miles. The Forest also offers unique features such as the scenic and challenging Snake River Canyon, where more than 150 thousand visitors float through its whitewater each year; the Gros Ventre Slide, one of the largest natural landslides in the country; Periodic Springs on Swift Creek near Afton, which is one of the few cold-water geysers in the world; Fremont Lake, the second largest lake in Wyoming, and one of the deepest in the U.S.; Kendall Warm Springs known as the only home for the Kendall Warm Springs Dace; and Gannett Peak (elev. 13,804) the highest point in Wyoming.

The Forest borders Jackson Hole, famous in the history of early explorers and fur traders, and winter home of the well-known Jackson elk herd. The Forest, with its Supervisor's Office in Jackson, is composed of six Ranger Districts, including Jackson, Blackrock, Pinedale, Big Piney, Greys River and Kemmerer.

OUTREACH RESPONSE FORM

GS-0456-09/11 North Zone Fire Management Officer  
U.S. Forest Service

**Reply due by June 12, 2026**

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Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

AGENCY EMPLOYED WITH: \_\_\_\_\_USFS \_\_\_\_\_USWFS \_\_\_\_\_OTHER

TYPE OF APPOINTMENT: \_\_\_\_\_PERMANENT \_\_\_\_\_TEMPORARY \_\_\_\_\_TERM

CURRENT REGION/FOREST/DISTRICT: \_\_\_\_\_

CURRENT SERIES AND GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_

CURRENT POSITION TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

CURRENT RED CARD QUALIFICATIONS \_\_\_\_\_

IF NOT A CURRENT PERMANENT (CAREER OR CAREER CONDITIONAL) EMPLOYEE ARE YOU ELIGIBLE TO BE HIRED UNDER ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL AUTHORITIES:

- \_\_\_\_\_ PERSON WITH DISABILITIES
- \_\_\_\_\_ VETERANS READJUSTMENT
- \_\_\_\_\_ DISABLED VETERANS W/30% COMPENSABLE DISABILITY
- \_\_\_\_\_ VETERANS EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES ACT OF 1998
- \_\_\_\_\_ FORMER PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEER
- \_\_\_\_\_ STUDENT CAREER EXPERIENCE PROGRAM
- \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

*Thank you for your interest in our Vacancy!*

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