



Reforestation Crew Chief (unpaid position)

The **Gunpowder Valley Conservancy** (GVC) is a non-profit land trust and watershed organization based in Baltimore County. We are looking for outgoing, reliable, and hardworking persons to supervise a crew of 4 - 12 volunteers (ages 10 and up) during tree planting and/or tree maintenance projects for 3 hours.

This is an unpaid position. We will provide training prior to the spring 2021 tree planting season. Crew Chiefs are expected to attend three Saturday tree plantings between April – May 2021 to gain hands-on experience. Afterwards, they are required to attend at least one tree planting event per season.

Required:

Must be age 18+ and provide own transportation. Younger volunteers (16 -17 year olds) will be considered with parent's signed permission.

Must be in good physical condition - able to lift and carry up to 40 lbs., dig holes, hammer stakes into ground, and walk for long distances in fields and woods.

Other aspects of volunteer position:

- Learn and follow the Gunpowder Valley Conservancy planting and tree maintenance procedures and policies; including GVC's COVID-19 policy.
- Educate volunteers on the benefits of planting trees
- Demonstrate to a volunteer group the proper techniques of planting trees
- Arrive around 8:30 am or later to set up for tree plantings, and to stay until 1:30 pm to clean up at end of planting
- Work in all kinds of weather (rain or shine, cold or hot)
- Optional: Assist with or adopt 200 or more trees to maintain 1x a year.

For more information, please contact Peggy Perry, GVC Program Director of Education and Restoration, at pperry@gunpowdervc.org or (443) 415-7969. Deadline is Wednesday, February 24, 2021.



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