

OREGON INVASIVE SPECIES COUNCIL

Feb 18, 2015 Announcement: Coordinator Position Now Open!

Are you passionate about protecting the resources and economy of one of the nation's most diverse and scenic states from the threat of invasive species? The Oregon Invasive Species Council (OISC), created in Oregon statute in 2001, is seeking a contractor to fill the prominent position of OISC Coordinator. Primary duties include:

- Coordinate existing programs, foster collaboration and facilitate dialogue of invasive species prevention and control among a diverse assemblage of agencies, NGOs, industry groups and policy makers.
- Organize and facilitate OISC meetings (3 per year) and major meetings of Council subcommittees, annual award ceremony and a Statewide Summit on Invasive Species attended by Oregon policy makers.
- Produce OISC products, such as *The Top 100 Worst Invasive Species for Oregon*,; the annual invasive species work plan for OISC; legislative reports, meeting notes, press releases, and outreach notices; and maintain the Council website, blog and social media accounts (www.oregoninvasivespeciescouncil.org)
- Assist the Chair and Council members with grant writing and serve as the point of contact for OISC business with the press, the Oregon Legislature and the Governor's office.
- Coordinate with invasive species councils from neighboring states and the National Invasive Species Council.

The OISC Coordinator is a contract position housed within the Oregon Department of Agriculture with a maximum monthly compensation of \$6,250 plus compensation for approved travel expenses. Funding is in place for the current biennium ending in June. The Governor's budget for 2015-2017 fully funds this position, pending approval by the Oregon State Legislature. Contract renewal is automatic given satisfactory performance.

How to complete a bid:

- Visit http://orpin.oregon.gov
 Sign in, or select "Supplier
- Registration" if new user
- Search for RFP #603-1393-15 or "browse opportunities" under Oregon Depart. of Ag.
- 4. Follow directions to apply.

Deadline to Apply is : 2:00 PT, March 20, 2015

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