**Professional Scientist**

**DEPARTMENT:** MBMG, Environmental Program  
**Employment Detail:** Permanent, Part-Time (May become full-time if funding allows)  
**Review Date:** Review will begin September 9, 2016 and continue until position is filled  
**Hiring Zone:** $19.23 - $23.08/hour

**DUTIES:**
Successful candidate will be based in Butte, Montana. Generally, the research will include collection of water-level and water quality data from monitoring wells and surface water sites throughout SW and central MT. Individual will be responsible for development of site safety plans, equipment maintenance, and data entry. Compiling data for summary reports, including preparation of figures and tables for reports and presentations will also be required in this position. Additional responsibilities may be related to field- and laboratory-scale investigations, operation and maintenance of telemetry systems, interpretation of data, and publication of results and interpretations. Successful candidate will be expected to participate in field sampling activities, work with public and local, state, and federal agencies, prepare annual reports summarizing results, and make presentations at meetings. Specific duties will depend on qualifications. The position will be supported by soft money; minimum of 80 hours per month. Position may become fulltime if funding allows.

**REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:**
- A Bachelor’s of Science degree in natural resource field, i.e., hydrogeology, geology, environmental engineering/ occupational safety and health, or related field.  
- Experience cited by a candidate must demonstrate a familiarity with field work and site safety plans/evaluations.

**REQUIRED SKILLS:**
- Ability to work alone in remote locations and lift 50 lbs.  
- Ability to walk up to 1 mi into remote sites on uneven ground.  
- Computer skills with Microsoft Office programs, i.e. Excel, Word, Power Point.  
- Excellent written and verbal skills

**PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:**
- Working knowledge of field instrumentation and procedures including use of conductivity meters, pH meters, water level measuring devices, and development of site safety plans;  
- Experience with the collection and interpretation of technical data;  
- Ability to work well with public and private groups;  
- Safety certifications i.e. OSHA 1910.120 and MSHA surface mine;  
- Ability to work either independently or as a team member.

**To apply, please submit the following items:**
1) Cover Letter Specifically addressing the above qualifications, 2) Resume’ 3) Name and contact information for 3 professional references

**The items listed above should be sent or e-mailed to:**
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