



## Community Engagement Internship Summer 2021

### Job Announcement

#### **Background:**

The Land Trust is a local non-profit who works to preserve the natural ecosystems that make Vashon-Maury Island so special. Our programs focus on activities like land conservation, habitat restoration, trail building, and sustainable agriculture. As we enter into a future where climate justice is at the forefront, we are looking towards the youth to provide leadership, insight and guidance on how to succeed in this broadened mission.

**The Work:** The High School Internship is a 2-month, paid position under the direction of the Executive Director. It was created to support and inform the Land Trust's next Strategic Plan through a Latinx community survey project. Students will work with local professionals to design a social impact study, gather community data, and help develop local strategies towards a climate just future.

#### **The Terms:**

- Part-time, 20 hours per week, flexible hours and days, (may include a few evenings or weekends)
- Temporary position from July 1 through September 1
- Pay of \$13.69/hour
- Benefits include sick leave and worker's compensation

#### **Qualifications:**

- Bilingual skills (English and Spanish)
- Ability to work independently and within a team
- Hardworking, enthusiastic and curious approach
- Willingness and sensitivity in engaging diverse community members
- Ability to communicate verbally and in writing
- Interest in outreach/education or conservation is a plus

**To Apply:** Please submit a 1-page letter which describes your interest in this project, as well as other relevant information such as previous employment, community service, or education goals. **Letters of interest are due by Friday, June 25th at 5pm**, via email to Kate Riley at [kate@vashonlandtrust.org](mailto:kate@vashonlandtrust.org).

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