Who we are:

The Tennessee Department of Transportation provides citizens of Tennessee and travelers with one of the best transportation systems in the country. TDOT is a multimodal agency with responsibilities in building and maintaining roads, aviation, public transit, waterways, railroads, cycling and walking. Our involvement ranges from airport improvements to funding transit buses to planning for river ports.

The Department of
Transportation has more than
4,000 employees statewide
with regional facilities in
Knoxville, Chattanooga,
Nashville and Jackson. TDOT's
headquarters is located in
downtown Nashville.

What the Division does:

Regional Operations is responsible for directing the administrative, engineering, and technical activities for multiple offices within middle Tennessee's 24 counties of Region 2, including Construction and Maintenance offices across three districts, Bridge Inspection and Repair, Materials and Tests, Intelligent Transportation Systems, Traffic Engineering, and Incident Response.

For more information on this division, please see link below:

https://www.tn.gov/ tdot/about/tdotorganizational-charts/ org-chart-region.html



TDOT Intern

District 27 Construction Location: Cookeville, TN Compensation: \$16.00/hourly

Overview

The Tennessee Department of Transportation is currently hiring a student intern for the Region 2 Operations office located in Cookeville, TN. These interns will learn about the process of managing a project during the construction phase. This will involve learning about activities both in the field and in the office. This office will be managing active construction projects, concrete and asphalt testing, estimate payment, and change orders.

Responsibilities

- Spend time in the field learning to learn about the daily responsibilities of a TDOT construction inspector.
- Assist office personnel and learn how to process project documentation.
- Interpret Plans and Specifications.
- Ensure projects and construction activities meet requirements of plans, specifications, and district management on a daily basis.
- Conduct field inspections, including work-zone safety.

Qualifications

- Civil Engineering major required
- Graduate Student, Junior, or Senior Class Status required as of May 2021 OR recent Graduate as of Spring 2020.
- Legally authorized to work in the U.S.
- Familiarity with foundational transportation engineering concepts.

Please attach a two (2) page maximum résumé, two (2) TDOT reference forms, and an unofficial transcript.

Pursuant to the State of Tennessee's Workplace Discrimination and Harassment policy, the State is firmly committed to the principle of fair and equal employment opportunities for its citizens and strives to protect the rights and opportunities of all people to seek, obtain, and hold employment without being subjected to illegal discrimination and harassment in the workplace. It is the State's policy to provide an environment free of discrimination and harassment of an individual because of that person's race, color, national origin, age (40 and over), sex, pregnancy, religion, creed, disability, veteran's status or any other category protected by state and/or federal civil rights laws.