

## Job Announcement

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Position:	Seasonal Mosquito Control Operator
Filing Period:	Until filled.
Starting Salary:	\$17.00 / hour (\$1,360 biweekly)
Benefits:	Limited sick leave benefits after 30 days of satisfactory employment.
Status:	Temporary, Seasonal, At-will employee
Location:	Kern Mosquito & Vector Control District 4705 Allen Road Bakersfield, CA 93314

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### Position Summary

The Kern Mosquito and Vector Control District is seeking motivated individuals to join our team as Seasonal Mosquito Control Operators. Under the direction of the Foreman, Source Reduction Specialist, and/or Inspector, incumbents perform field inspections and mosquito control activities throughout the District's service area.

This position plays an important role in protecting public health by identifying mosquito breeding sources and implementing appropriate control measures using Integrated Pest Management (IPM) practices. Work is performed primarily outdoors and includes independent field assignments, public interaction, and operation of District vehicles.

### Key Responsibilities

- Conduct field inspections to locate mosquito breeding sources.
- Apply mosquito control treatments in accordance with state regulations and District policies (training provided).
- Operate District vehicles safely while traveling throughout assigned areas.
- Identify mosquito species and evaluate appropriate control methods.
- Inspect and re-inspect treatment areas to assess effectiveness.
- Maintain accurate field records and operational logs.
- Communicate professionally with residents and property owners.
- Attend safety meetings and required training sessions.
- Report operational issues and safety concerns to supervisors.
- Perform general labor and related duties as assigned.

### Minimum Qualifications

- High school diploma or equivalent.
- Valid California Class C Driver's License with acceptable driving record.
- Ability to perform strenuous physical outdoor labor work and lift heavy equipment.
- Ability to work independently and follow safety procedures.

- Ability to read, write, and communicate effectively in English.
- Ability and willingness to operate District fleet vehicles.

Employment is contingent upon successful completion of a pre-employment physical examination and drug screening.

### **Work Environment**

Work is performed indoors and outdoors and may involve exposure to heat, weather conditions, pesticides, insects, and uneven terrain. Required personal protective equipment (PPE) is provided.

### **Position Details**

- Temporary, seasonal, non-exempt position
- Combination of custodial, grounds, and field operations work
- Training provided

The District is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

### **How to Apply**

Interested individuals can obtain an Employment application from the District office or download it from the District website at [kernmosquito.com](http://kernmosquito.com). Completed applications are to be submitted in person at 4705 Allen Road, Bakersfield, CA.

Applications will be reviewed as received, and the position will remain open until filled.