

Landscape Architect (Part-Time/Contract Position)

Scenic America, a national nonprofit based in Washington, DC, is seeking qualified candidates to fill the part-time/ contract position of Landscape Architect to support landscape design and planning projects in communities throughout the country. Applicants should be familiar with standard concepts, practices, and procedures within the field such as: placemaking, site design, stormwater/drainage, grading and plant materials and must demonstrate knowledge and experience in transportation and community planning.

The selected candidate must be prepared to start quickly on their first project, which is to provide two full landscape architecture plans complete with construction and irrigation plans to be certified by a Florida-licensed landscape architect for a project in Walton County, Florida, by May 31, 2022.

The responsibilities of this position include:

- Providing professional services key areas of landscape architecture and planning from concept design to implementation as directed by the President of Scenic America
- Coordinating and collaborating with Chapter and Affiliate members, public agencies, and others based on project scope
- Collecting and presenting data to team members in creative ways
- Ensuring compliance with standards, best practices, and quality expectations

Requirements and preferences:

- Strong communication and technical skills with knowledge of software applications such as SketchUp
 or other Landscape Architecture CAD software, Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, and the Microsoft Office
 Suite.
- Superior organization skills, with the ability and motivation to work effectively in both independent and team-based environments.
- A master's or bachelor's degree in landscape architecture or a related field
- Preference for candidates with backgrounds in urban planning
- Preference for candidates who are licensed landscape architects

Physical demands:

- Ability to travel to fulfill the job's responsibilities
- Sitting for extended periods at a desk and using a provided desktop or laptop computer
- Occasionally lifting and carrying up to 15 pounds
- Ability to stand and walk for long periods of time as required for on-site work

Location: The position would have access to office space at Scenic America's Washington, DC, office (727 15th Street NW, Suite 1100), but remote work is encouraged. If using the office space, adherence to COVID-19 protocols is required. Travel to project locations is required.

Hours and Compensation: This is a part-time or contract position with an expected workload of 16 hours per week. Scenic America recognizes that workloads will vary from week to week and month to month and considers this an overall average.

To apply, send an email with the subject line "Landscape Architect" to mark.falzone@scenic.org by April 22, 2022.