

### **Two Creel Clerk Positions – Perry Reservoir**

The Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks is seeking two creel clerks to conduct in-person angler interviews at Perry Reservoir in Jefferson County. This position will be directly supervised by Nick Kramer, District Fisheries Biologist, and will run from March 1, 2026 through October 31, 2026. The successful applicants must be comfortable with speaking to the public and possess the ability to work weekends. Hours will vary from month to month and on a weekly basis based on a randomized schedule. An example of this will include a week of conducting angler interviews for eight (8) hours and the following week may include twenty (20) hours. The incumbent will conduct angler interviews between 48 and 96 hours of total accumulated time in each of the months of March, July, August, September, and October. Additionally, the incumbent will conduct interviews between 72 and 144 hours of total accumulated time in each of the months of April, May, and June. A vehicle will be provided to conduct the in-person angler interviews.

The information collected from angler interviews is essential to fisheries management. This will provide total numbers of anglers utilizing Perry Reservoir, total numbers of fish released and harvested, and a chance to interact with anglers to inform management and fishing regulations.

These positions are ideal for currently retired individuals with a flexible schedule during the week and on weekends. The position would also be ideal for students currently enrolled in a college near Topeka or Lawrence who maintain a flexible course schedule during the spring and fall semesters.

#### **JOB DUTIES:**

- Operate a ½ ton pickup
- Conduct interviews with anglers in a professional manner
- Conduct angler counts at the beginning and end of the sampling period
- Maintain integrity by being at the assigned location at the assigned hours

**BENEFITS:** Hourly wage of \$15.03/hour.

**CLOSING DATE:** OPEN UNTIL FILLED

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:** Must have a valid motor vehicle operator's license; must be a minimum of 18 years of age; able to work with minimal supervision; must be able to communicate in a calm and effective manner with members of the public in all conditions; demonstrate responsible behavior, attention to detail, and demonstrate integrity in the hours worked at the location where angler interviews will be conducted. Preference will be given to those who have graduated, or are currently enrolled, in a natural resource degree, or those who have an interest in biological, conservation, or environmental science program.

**HOW TO APPLY:** Qualified applicants may apply by submitting a cover letter that details their interest and qualifications for the position and a copy of their resume. Application materials should be sent to Nick Kramer, District Fisheries Biologist by email ([nick.kramer@ks.gov](mailto:nick.kramer@ks.gov)) or may be sent to Perry State Park, ATTN: Nick Kramer, 5441 Westlake Rd., Ozawie, KS 66070. You may contact Nick Kramer at 785-256-3721 with any questions about the position.

Applicants are notified whether they are selected to interview or not. The interview will be over the phone, consisted of position specific questions with a selection being made after all interviews are completed.

**The Americans with Disabilities Act ensures your right to reasonable accommodations during the employment process. Individuals with disabilities are encouraged to contact the agency recruiter if reasonable accommodations are needed for any part of the application or hiring process. Equal Opportunity Employer.**