

Class Concept

This is administrative and managerial work in directing the marine fisheries management and law enforcement operations within the four districts of the Division of Marine Fisheries. Work involves overseeing the development and implementation of marine fisheries management programs and research activities within the district operations. This involves establishing long-range objectives and plans in coordination with the research and development section chiefs to ensure that fisheries management and research projects are planned and administered uniformly within all districts. Employee supervises the four district managers and facilitates interaction between districts and with the central office to ensure that management projects and law enforcement activities meet the goals and objectives of the Division. Employee develops the operational budget through input of the district managers, monitors program activities through routine reports, resolves conflicts and problems through coordination of district and division efforts, serves in the absence of the Director, and performs related work as required.

Recruitment Standards

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

- Thorough knowledge of management and administrative practices relating to an agency involved in a natural resource management and enforcement program.
- Thorough knowledge of the scientific theories and practices and the regulatory process required to manage North Carolina marine fisheries.
- Knowledge of the laws and regulations and agreements with other governmental agencies and the public concerning marine fisheries.
- Ability to participate in the planning and management of marine fisheries projects and enforcement operations.
- Ability to communicate effectively in oral and written form.
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships.

Minimum Education and Experience

Bachelor's degree in marine biology or police science from an appropriately accredited institution and seven years of experience in the marine resources field including two years in a management capacity; or an equivalent combination of education and experience.

Note: This is a generalized representation of positions in this class and is not intended to identify essential functions per ADA.