Organization: Clean Water Action

Title: Sustainability Advocate

Location: 559 Bloomfield Avenue, Montclair, NJ

Job Type: Full-Time (Entry Level)

Start Date: ASAP

Job Description:

Clean Water Action is currently hiring entry-level staff to organize local grassroots campaigns to protect the health, economy, environment and livelihood of New Jersey communities. Ideal candidates possess strong communication skills and a genuine commitment to the environment, progressive politics and the empowerment of our fellow NJ residents.

Our staff consists of committed, professional highly skilled activists. New employees receive extensive training and continuing support on issue knowledge and campaign skills. All staff members receive regular updates given by political or environmental authorities or from within our organization. We have a strong and early focus on staff career development that involves travel and management training opportunities.

Primary Responsibilities:

- **Clean Water**: Protect NJ’s waterways to keep our drinking water and recreational areas pristine
- **Open Space**: Preserve open space in NJ, particularly buffer zones that protect drinking water and prevent flooding
- **Environmental Justice**: Ensure that our lowest income neighborhoods and most vulnerable populations are not disproportionately burdened by negative environmental externalities.
- **Sustainable Energy**: Promote energy efficiency and renewable energy programs that will help mitigate climate change disasters, improve overall public health, and create a green working economy

Benefits:

- Major medical and dental insurance
- Two weeks paid vacation per year, plus paid holidays and sick days
- Rapid advancement and management training
- Company sponsored 401(k) plan with matching
- Opportunities for travel throughout the U.S., including national and regional conferences
- Positive and rewarding work environment

Qualifications:

Must be able to work weekdays from 2-10pm. Excellent communication skills required. Candidates should possess a strong commitment to environmental, social, and political justice, a positive attitude, and a good sense of humor.

Application Instructions:

Please call the office or email a copy of your resume to get more information about the position and to possibly set up an interview. Email ebenson@cleanwater.org or call 973-744-3005.