

Job Opportunity

Staff Attorney

The Environmental Action Center (EAC) is hiring a Staff Attorney to conduct legal advocacy in the Chesapeake Bay watershed and Mid-Atlantic region, with an emphasis on the Clean Water Act, improving state permitting programs and administration, as well as watchdogging permits.

Responsibilities

- Work closely with EAC staff, coalition partners, and clients on Chesapeake Bay-related enforcement priorities.
- Individually and as a team member: investigate and develop cases, analyze policy issues, and litigate against both agency and corporate defendants.

Qualifications

- Law school graduate admitted to, or eligible to apply for admission to, the Maryland Bar.
- Two (2) or more years of full-time legal experience, including litigation experience.
- Excellent research, analytic, writing, and communication skills.
- Strong work ethic, initiative, sound judgment, and creativity.
- Ability to work constructively and with professionalism in a diverse, dynamic, and hard-working team-oriented atmosphere.
- Ability to manage multiple projects, prioritize work, and meet deadlines.
- Your actions are expected to reflect the staff values of the EAC: collaboration, mindfulness, empowerment, inclusivity, and mission focus.

Salary

Competitive nonprofit salary and benefits package, within a range of \$55,000 - \$79,000, including a family-friendly, flexible work environment.

To Apply

Interested candidates should submit a resume, cover letter, a legal writing sample of no more than seven (7) pages, phone and email contacts for three (3) references, and law school transcripts. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis until the position is filled. Please submit application materials to Patrick DeArmeay at info@environmentalactioncenter.org.

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