Position Title: Youth Stewardship Program Coordinator

Sponsor and Location: Palouse-Clearwater Environmental Institute, Moscow, ID

Position Description: The selected AmeriCorps member will develop an environmentally focused youth program for local middle-school students and/or high-school students at the Palouse-Clearwater Environmental Institute. The program will provide students with experience and skill building opportunities in the area of Environmental Stewardship. Program activities could include such things as learning about restoration practices, such as planting, invasive plant identification, and native plant propagation. Students could also be introduced to various sustainable building practices, and composting and recycling practices. Students would be provided with opportunities for building leadership skills through volunteer recruitment and training. The AmeriCorps member will research and develop possible partnerships with local schools and/or community organizations to provide incentives for the students to complete the program.

Term dates: This position requires the completion of a minimum of 300 hours. Dates are flexible but the term of service must be completed by November 30, 2015. Hours per week would depend on the start date.

Compensation: This position is considered "volunteer." There is a living stipend of \$2,200.00, which will be evenly dispersed over the term. At the completion of the service term the member will be awarded an Education Award of \$1,212.44.

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