

Loren Klick

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Skills Summary

- Over two years' experience in urban forestry nonprofit office and field work, including coordinating between municipal departments and our own offices with focus on customer service and volunteers
- Led projects responsible for the planting of over 800 trees in Silicon Valley, beginning with grassroots outreach and ending with project assessments sent to the city's Department of Transportation
- Experience managing volunteers in field projects such as tree plantings and boardwalk construction

Work Experience

Our City Forest, Urban Forestry Nonprofit – San Jose, CA, September 2012 – Present

Trees For All Coordinator (AmeriCorps position)

- Managed all incoming requests for tree plantings, including extensive public outreach and databasing
- Distributed over 700 trees during the nine month program, 200 more than in previous years
- Collaborated with San Jose's Department of Transportation to aid residents with city paperwork, tree selection, ordinances, planting, and project inspections
- Educated over 600 Silicon Valley residents with weekly presentations on proper tree planting and care

Our City Forest, Urban Forestry Nonprofit – San Jose, CA, September 2011 – August 2012

Community Planting Specialist (AmeriCorps position)

- Partnered with a diverse group of individuals and communities to encourage urban greening by attending neighborhood meetings and events
- Coordinated and led up to five plantings monthly in areas such as parks, schools, and neighborhoods
- Compiled monthly reports on progress towards grant goals to assess program successes and shortcomings

Lake County Forest Preserve District – Lindenhurst, IL, May 2008 – August 2011

Youth Conservation Corps Crew Leader

- Led groups of high school youth in conservation projects across northern Illinois during summers
- Supervised construction of boardwalks and bridges used by public on major trails

Additional Skills

- Experienced with Microsoft Office, InDesign, FileMakerPro, Google applications, and Macs and PCs
- Participated in projects utilizing GIS to record public right of way features in partnership with San Jose's Department of Transportation

Education

University of Colorado – Denver, School of Public Affairs – Denver, CO

Expected graduation May 2015.

- Master of Public Administration with emphases on Environmental Policy, Management, and Law

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, School of Liberal Arts and Sciences – Champaign, IL

Attended 2006–2008, 2009–2011. Graduated May 2011.

- Dean's List 2009-2011
- Majored in History with a minor in the interdisciplinary Studies of the Islamic World