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| SECTION 1 – Applicant Information |
| Full Name: |       | Date: |       |
| District: |       | Current Position: |       |
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| 1. | Why do you want this position? |
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| 2. | Describe your experience, knowledge and/or training in forest entomology, pathology or non-native invasive plant control. Note: This information is helpful to forest health staff but no level of experience is required for the position. |
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| 3. | Why should Forest Health be a part of the agency’s overall mission? |
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| SECTION 2 – Applicant Agreement |
| The primary roles/duties of the forest health liaisons are:* Report presence of pests in the region and pass along observations from others.
* Encourage other regional personnel to submit reports.
* When needed, assist with trapping and surveys throughout the state.
* Attend trainings and conferences as time and funds allow.
* Disseminate information on emerging forest health threats and treatment options to other VDOF field personnel.
* Be available as the first point of contact for regional personnel with common forest health questions.
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| Selected individuals must commit to additional training and responsibilities that would not exceed five percent of their time over the course of a year. This is a temporary assignment with a three-year term, which may be terminated at any time if it is determined that the benefits are not being realized. |
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| Applicant Name (Print) |  | Applicant Signature |  | Date |
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| SECTION 3 – Senior Area Forester Approval |
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| District Forester Name (Print) |  | District Forester Signature |  | Date |
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| Return completed application to Lori Chamberlin by mail (900 Natural Resources Drive, Suite 800, Charlottesville, VA 22903) or email lori.chamberlin@dof.virginia.gov. |