

Great Pond Foundation Administrative Assistant

The <u>Great Pond Foundation</u>, a 501(c)3 non-profit, has since 1998 been an Island leader in coastal pond restoration and management through an extensive Ecosystem Monitoring Program and advocacy for datadriven and scientifically informed pond management.

Great Pond Foundation seeks a *part-time, year-round* administrative assistant to be the communication hub of our organization. The **GPF Administrative Assistant** reports to the Executive Director and works collaboratively with all staff and Board members to ensure objectives are met in a timely fashion. They are responsible for the appropriate compilation and dissemination of information both internally and externally. This position requires not only a familiarity with office functions/equipment/software, but also exceptional communication (written & verbal) and organizational skills as well as a high degree of confidentiality.

General Responsibilities:

- Serves as primary office contact for phone and email.
- Picks up, opens, and processes mail.
- Receives, processes, and distributes information appropriately and in accordance with existing protocols or directives from Executive Director, Scientific team, Board members, and partners.
- Creates and edits social media, website, and newsletter content under the direction of the Executive Director.
- Orders supplies and equipment for Foundation activities.
- Responsible for inventory management for office and field supplies in accordance with established guidelines.
- Works with the Executive Director and Board members to create and distribute meeting packets. Including: minutes, agendas, financials, and any additional required materials.
- Works with the Executive Director, Chief Financial Officer, and Treasurer to ensure timely processing of payroll, accounts payable and receivable.
- Creates assorted correspondence for review and signature by the Executive Director or appropriate Board member. Including, but not limited to, thank you notes, donor acknowledgements and receipts.
- Other duties as assigned by Executive Director.

This position requires the ability to: climb stairs, sit and/or stand for extended periods of time, lift up to 25lbs on occasion, operate typical office equipment, and operate a motor vehicle.

The GPF Administrative Assistant position has the potential to grow with the person who fills it, both in terms of personal interests/abilities and in terms of hours per week. GPF is a small and dynamic non-profit organization dedicated to preserving the health of coastal ponds through science, collaboration, and education. We need a team member who will bring excellence, passion, and diligence to the communication and administrative aspects of our work.

To Apply:

Please send a cover letter, resume, and the names and contact information for 3 references to <u>emily@greatpondfoundation.org</u>. The position is open until filled.