

Greater Applegate Community Development Corporation

Community Profile:

Population 12,500

Location Applegate Watershed

Position Description:

Sponsor Greater Applegate Community Development Corporation, *Applegate, OR*

Supervisor Joe McAleavey, Board Member

Assignment

The RARE participant will continue to build the capacity of the GACDC Board of Directors, community organizations, and residents of the Applegate Watershed to allow them to implement projects identified in the Applegate Watershed Strategic Plan. The RARE participant will assist the board to evaluate and prioritize projects, plan implementation steps, and research funding sources. Projects will be coordinated with various local, regional, state and federal organizations and agencies. Additionally, the RARE participant will provide support and guidance in the development and implementation of an education program focused on the principles of sustainable development.

Required Skills

Knowledge of community/economic development principles, practices and concepts; ability to research and analyze community problems and solutions; ability to plan and organize work and communicate effectively orally and in writing.

RARE Member: *Will Kay - 1999-2000, Year 6 Participant*

Will Kay is currently a Master's Candidate in the University of Oregon Community and Regional Planning Program. An Anthropology major at Ithaca College (NY), Will has completed community development work in Tillamook County and the Calapooya Watershed (both in Oregon) over the past year, and is currently working on a project in Central Oregon. Will has also provided research support on a landscape architecture project focusing on forest environments.