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## SUMMER INTERN POSITION

### ENVIRONMENTAL, LAND USE, AND NATURAL RESOURCES LAW

*Enjoy one of your last summers of freedom in the beautiful San Juan Islands, while immersing yourself in environmental, land use, and natural resources law.*

Friends of the San Juans is a non-profit environmental advocacy organization committed to protecting environmental integrity in the San Juan Islands and beyond. FRIENDS speaks for its members who cherish the land, water, sea and wildlife that make the San Juan Islands so special.

**Position Description:** Summer interns work under the direct supervision of our staff attorney in the development and prosecution of environmental litigation and other advocacy. The summer intern will gain practical litigation and policy advocacy experience by analyzing local, state, and federal statutory and regulatory environmental protections. Areas of practice may include the State Environmental Policy Act, Growth Management Act, Shoreline Management Act, water quantity and quality legislation, and Land Use Petition Act. Tasks may include attendance at citizen committee meetings and other public hearings, evaluating proposed ordinances, review and comment on shoreline and inland development proposals, statutory and case law research, drafting written memoranda, delivering oral testimony to local and state decisionmakers, and enjoying the San Juans' natural beauty, from shore to sky.

**Hiring Criteria:** Candidates will be evaluated based on the following: a genuine interest in working at an environmental advocacy organization, excellent analytical, research, and writing ability, initiative, work experience, and education experience in land use, environmental or natural resources law.

**To Apply:** Please submit a one-page cover letter indicating experience and interest in the position, a current resume, and a 5-7 page writing sample by February 1st to:

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Friends of the San Juans  
PO Box 1344  
Friday Harbor, WA 98250

Or email your application to:  
kyle@sanjuans.org

*Friends of the San Juans is an equal opportunity employer.*