



# Grassroots Organizer

## Job Description

The Utah Rivers Council is looking for an energetic individual with strong communication and organizing skills to help lead the organization's outreach to protect some of the West's most important aquatic landscapes and help lead Utah on a sustainable water path. The Utah Rivers Council is the statewide advocacy leader in water policy, water conservation and river protection. We are looking for a fun, independent person to join our hard working staff of advocates who enjoy our work and our amazing outdoor landscapes.

The Grassroots Organizer works to ensure our campaigns are successful by engaging our grassroots network in our campaigns, developing outreach materials, building relationships with the community and managing volunteers. The Grassroots Organizer will help lead our recruiting efforts to increase public involvement in our campaigns by developing relationships with new constituencies through online recruitment tools, direct written and verbal solicitations and by attending public events.

The ideal candidate has a personable communication style, a serious work ethic, excellent writing skills and an understanding of environmental advocacy. We are looking for someone capable of working independently yet who functions well with a team of passionate people. Basic computer skills and an attention to detail is essential as is an understanding of environmental issues. Other skills desired includes a background in volunteer work, publication design, marketing and/or social media. Nonprofit experience is preferred but not required as is an understanding of water policy or natural resource policy or river ecology/management.

## Compensation, benefits and leave

This is a full time, salaried position with compensation dependent upon experience. The URC strives to maintain a fun, informal work environment where progress and accomplishment are measured by real success and balance and time off are a regular part of work.

We suggest you visit our website to learn more about our work before applying. To apply send resume, cover letter, and a short writing sample to: Utah Rivers Council, 1055 East 2100 South, Suite 201, Salt Lake City, Utah 84106 or to zach@utahrivers.org Please, no phone calls or emails. The position will remain open until filled.