

**CHRISTAL PEEPLES JOHNS**  
**Natural Resource Planning Services, Inc.**

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

*2008-  
Present*

**Forest Technician**

Natural Resource Planning Services, Inc. – Lake City, Florida

Assist staff foresters in design and implementation of silvicultural prescriptions for private and public timber tracts including prescribed burning, chemical and mechanical site preparation, reforestation, timber release, thinning and all methods of harvesting timber. Also participates in all professional service activities offered by the firm including timber inventories, appraisals, stand projection and financial analysis, timber sales, pine straw sales, implementation of forest management plans, and all aspects of forest management.

Responsibilities include coordinating and overseeing chemical and mechanical contractors related to forest management activities. Duties include selling and administration of timber sales and regular logging inspections for active sales for contract compliance.

*2007-  
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**Forest Technician Trainee**

United States Forest Service, Osceola National Forest-Olustee, FL

Assisted timber department with timber sale administration, logging inspections, painted boundaries of timber sales, and marked timber to be harvested. Passed USFS Region 8 Timber Cruise paper test.

**EDUCATION**

*2010*

Associate of Arts, General Education, Florida State College  
Jacksonville

*2008*

Forest Operations Certificate, Lake City Community College

**PROFESSIONAL TRAINING**

I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System  
S-130 Wildland Firefighter Training  
S-190 Introduction to Fire Behavior  
Florida Silviculture Best Management Practices