



## COPPER RIVER WATERSHED PROJECT

### **CRWP Stewardship Internship**

Hosted by the Copper River Watershed Project

**Who** - High School students or recent graduates living in Cordova.

**When** - May 2022 - August 2022 - There is some flexibility on the exact start and end dates depending on the student's availability.

**What** - The CRWP seeks an intern interested in helping to support a healthy Copper River watershed through the implementation of various stewardship activities. The intern will assist CRWP in facilitating the Fishing Web Recycling Program, community clean-up efforts, and Copper River Salmon Jam. Students interested in pursuing careers in environmental stewardship and sustainability are encouraged to apply.

Specific tasks will include:

- Help organize, promote, and coordinate Fishing Web Recycling Events: 3 - 4 events
- Help organize, promote and coordinate fundraising events for the Fishing Web Recycling Program
- Help organize, promote and coordinate clean-up events in local streams and lakes
- Write up to two articles for the Cordova Times and/or CRWP's newsletter about net recycling and/or clean-up events.
- Assist with net recycling outreach
- Assist with other tasks at Salmon Jam (July 15-16, 2022, [salmonjam.org](http://salmonjam.org))

**Hours:** An estimated 200 hours of time will be required to successfully complete the internship. These hours are largely flexible in what they can be worked, as an intern is still able to pursue other summer work and/or experiences. The intern will be responsible for working with their CRWP supervisor to track these hours.

**Special requirements -**

- The intern will need to be physically capable and able to maneuver fishing nets.
- The work will be mostly outside so the intern will need to be equipped with adequate outdoor footwear including rain gear, rainboots, and warm clothing.