



Title: Field Coordinator

Location: Tucson, AZ (or within a 4-hr drive)

Taproot Collaborative is seeking a full-time Field Coordinator to organize, plan, execute, and monitor field activities for its projects in Southern Arizona.

I. About Taproot Collaborative

Taproot Collaborative is a young and rapidly growing organization based in Tucson, Arizona. We are currently a sponsored project of the Technical Assistance Partnership for Arizona (TAP AZ). We work to heal our connection with the Earth by implementing ecological restoration projects that regenerate ecosystems and foster resilient people and communities. Since 2021, Taproot has collaborated with Native tribes, government agencies, and scientists to integrate different perspectives and weave diverse knowledge systems. We advance a holistic, Earth-centered land ethic to restore forests, springs, and watersheds in the Sky Islands of Southern Arizona and on the San Carlos Apache Reservation.

II. Position Overview

The Field Coordinator will play a crucial role in ensuring the successful implementation of Taproot's field activities. Responsibilities include planning and coordinating all fieldwork projects in collaboration with Taproot's partners and consultants: the U.S. Forest Service, the San Carlos Apache Tribe, Conservation Legacy, and the University of Arizona, among others. This position will start immediately, and the Field Coordinator will oversee fieldwork crews that support Taproot's restoration efforts.

This is a new full-time position (40 hours per week) based in Tucson, Arizona, or nearby areas. The work is primarily remote but will require frequent travel for fieldwork activities within a 2 to 4-hour radius of Tucson. Field activities will take place in remote wildland locations, occasionally involving heavy lifting, and require camping in the mountains with crews. It may involve occasional work on weekends and holidays; however, those days can be compensated with time off on other days. This is a temporary position with funding available through November 2026, but it will be extended with good performance and pending additional grant awards.