



GREENCORPS TERRA FIRMA IS CURRENTLY SEEKING: **CREW MEMBERS**

Greencorps Chicago Not for Profit (NFP), a 501c3 nonprofit organization, is seeking crew members to participate in the Greencorps Chicago Terra program, a green industry job training program to assist individuals with barriers to employment. Our mission is to promote access to sustainable, environmental, and economic solutions for individuals and communities that have been historically impacted by systematic barriers and inequities by providing training, professional development, and economic advancement opportunities.

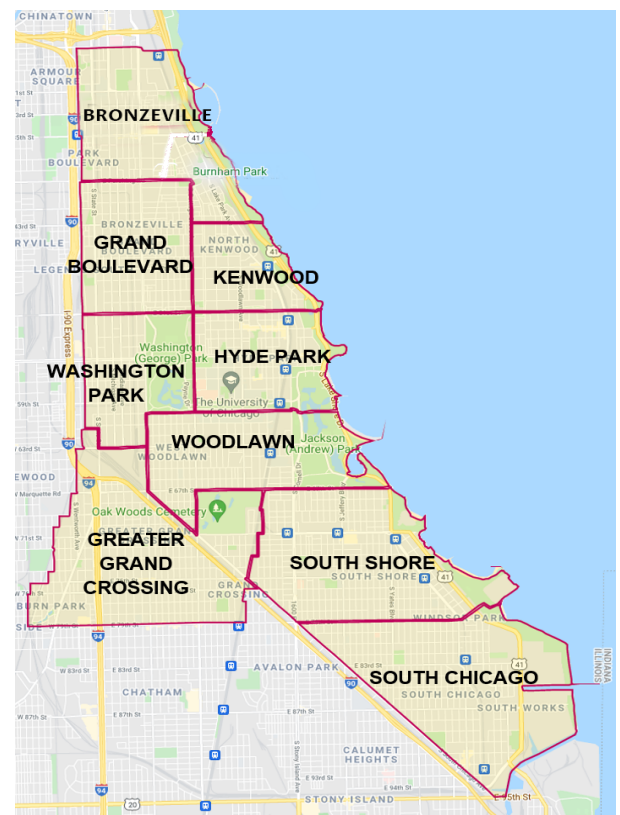
In partnership with the Emerald South Economic Development Collaborative, Greencorps Chicago NFP is offering a 6-month, paid training program for individuals with barriers to employment living within the mid-South region of the City of Chicago comprising the Grand Boulevard, Bronzeville Kenwood, Hyde Park, Washington Park, Woodlawn, Greater Grand Crossing, South Shore, and South Chicago neighborhoods. The Greencorps Chicago Terra Firma program offers classroom training in Basic Construction, Ecological Restoration, Environmental Health & Safety, Green Infrastructure, Horticulture, and Landscaping that is reinforced on empty/vacant lots, community gardens, and schools and other project sites in the mid-South region. The ideal candidate should display a positive attitude with a commitment to their personal growth and development, enjoy working outdoors, team oriented with an interest in exploring a career path in the green industry sector and environmental fields.

Crew Member Responsibilities:

- Actively participate in classroom training and on community projects
- Demonstrates a willingness to learn and obtain industry-recognized credentials in the training areas
- Plant trees, shrubs, perennials, and annuals
- Improve and maintain empty/vacant lots through garbage removal, weeding, edging, and mulching
- Construct hardscapes such as benches, raised beds, and split-rail fencing
- Demonstrate a willing to address personal and professional barriers that may prevent future employment
- Work outdoors in all weather conditions
- Other duties as assigned

Crew Member Requirements:

- AT LEAST 18 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER
- CITY OF CHICAGO RESIDENT (Bring proof of residency to open house)
- A GOVERNMENT ISSUED Id (Not expired Driver's License, State ID, Military ID, and Chicago CityKey Card
- SOCIAL SECURITY CARD
- BE ABLE TO PASS A DRUG SCREENING
- PREFERENCE GIVEN TO RESIDENTS FROM THE MID-SOUTH REGION (See map)
- VACCINATION REQUIREMENT (Initial First Series)



This position requires a commitment of 28-32 hours per week. Compensation is \$18.50/hour

Interested candidates should express interest by completing the [Greencorps Chicago Terra Firma interest form](#), email terrafirma@greencorpschicago.org, or call us at 312-724-9791