



Sea Otter Foundation & Trust - SOFT **Other Volunteer Opportunities**

Recycling Program Assistant:

SOFT participates in an extensive difficult-to-recycle/non-recyclable recycling program. We specialize in items like plastic cosmetic cases, foil-lined energy bar wrappers, cereal bags & cereal box cellophane liners, dental products like toothbrushes, toothpaste tubes & dental floss packaging.

SOFT is expanding the program in 2016 by incorporating more schools, dental offices & hair salons to decrease the amount of non-recyclable items we place in landfills and – potentially, the ocean. This position will help the President engage these type of organizations to promote the program & collect items.

Recyclables are shipped in bulk to a company that creates new items & gives SOFT a donation based on the amounts collected.

Educational Program Outreach:

This volunteer will help establish outreach opportunities through elementary and middle schools and outdoor fairs. The person will enjoy presenting to a wide variety of individuals about the importance of sea otters and the role they play in ocean health. Sea otters keep their ocean ecosystems healthy which helps reduce carbon emissions, reducing the global warming effects felt throughout the world – even in Colorado.

An educational presentation, with props, is currently developed so the individual interested in this position will need to learn the messaging of the program, and after that, go out into the community and have fun! There is also a 2-3 person puppet show that can be used for the younger elementary age children.