**Hiring summer field technicians for Hine’s emerald dragonfly research**

The Soluk lab at the University of South Dakota is looking to hire field technicians for the 2014 summer field season. The Soluk lab works on the population and behavioral ecology of the Hine’s emerald dragonfly, the only dragonfly species listed as federally endangered in the United States. Our lab field stations are located in Ellison Bay, WI & Lemont, IL.

Work will entail:
- surveying potential Hine’s emerald dragonfly (HED) habitats
- sampling for larval HED and other aquatic invertebrates
- assessing quality of created habitats for the HED
- performing behavioral observations of adult HED
- assisting graduate students with their experiments.

Technicians will gain useful field experience in Freshwater Ecology and Conservation Biology. Benefits include competitive wages, per diem, and housing.

Applicants should have good attention to detail, a strong work ethic, and be able to work in variable field conditions. Applicants with an interest in conservation biology or ecology are preferred.

Applicants should send a cover letter along with a resume or CV that documents relevant skills, experiences, and coursework to Amber Furness (amber.furness@coyotes.usd.edu).