## 2019 Summer Job Description

**Position:** REAL Deal Store Associate and Environmental Promoter



**Employer:** The Rideau Environmental Action League. REAL is a non-profit, volunteer-run community organization that has been active in Smiths Falls and Lanark, Leeds and Grenville since 1989. See www.REALaction.ca for more information about REAL's activities.

Location: REAL Deal Reuse Store, 85 William St. W., Smiths Falls.

Start Date: June 6 or June 27, 2019 (to be discussed)

**Pay and Hours:** 30 hours per week for 9 weeks, at \$14.00 an hour. Must work Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays.

## **Work Tasks and Responsibilities:**

- Assist in the REAL Deal Reuse Store. Tasks will include customer service, inventory management, sorting and pricing donations, merchandise displays, online promotion, cashier relief, managing free items, light cleaning etc.
- Promote REAL's environmental programs to customers and visitors of the REAL Deal Store and Environment Centre: Kill a Watt meter, home energy audits, rain barrels, radon meter, electronic waste collection etc.
- Educate the public on environmental issues through special features such as posters, displays, printed materials and demonstrations
- Assist with community garden, monarch garden and composting
- Assist with preparation and staffing of REAL's information table at area summer events.
- Perform other related tasks as required.

**Supervision**: REAL Deal Store Manager.

**Eligibility**. Applicant must be between the ages of 15 and 30, and be either a Canadian citizen, permanent resident or have refugee status.

Position would be of interest to post secondary students in the fields of environmental studies, retail management or construction trades.

Other Requirements: Positions will involve light lifting and some outdoor work.

**To Apply:** Send a cover letter and resume to <a href="mailto:info@realaction.ca">info@realaction.ca</a> by midnight Sun. May 19th, 2019. No exceptions.

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