



### Position: Habitat Officer

This is a volunteer role. Out of pocket expenses reimbursed.

OzFish Unlimited is a passionate NGO dedicated to helping the millions of Aussie recreational fishers take action for the health of their waterways and shore up the future of the sport they love. OzFish Unlimited partners with fishers and the broader community to invest resources into protecting and restoring our waterways, counteracting decades of degradation.

OzFish Unlimited offers an exciting opportunity for you to facilitate real and lasting change to your local waterways. This role is perfectly suited to someone with a keen interest in their local aquatic environments or a student wanting to gain experience whilst studying, there are no age or experience requirements to this position. This role is self-driven, where you can commit to as much time as you have the capacity to do. You can expect to be an integral part of your local chapter and work closely with the executive committee within that chapter, and liaise with your local OzFish Project Officer, who will offer support, guidance and resource throughout this role.

- Assist executive team with project ideas for your local chapter. Identifying key habitat needs and issues, local events, and collaboration with local stakeholders.
- Identify habitat needs in your local waterways and communicate with chapter members and OzFish project officer to form solutions to local aquatic habitat issues.
- Assist with coordinating on ground works for your local chapter. This could include tree plantings, litter clean ups, surveying, fisher science events, fish talks, or other activities of your choosing.
- Engage with local recreational fishing community, identify key habitat needs and encourage the community to join the local OzFish chapter as a member.

### Additional Perks

- Forming part of a passionate group of members and staff, to shore up the future of our waterways.
- OzFish uniform and PPE provided.

### Requirements:

- Must live within close to a local chapter, attend events and carry out above actions.
- Must be an active OzFish member to form part of a chapter's executive committee.
- Willing to commit at least 2 hours a week on average towards this role.

*Being a part of your local chapter's executive committee, you will also have first preference for our member exclusive experiences.*

To apply, please submit your **CV of 2 pages or less** to the Director of Habitat Programs, Cassie Price on, [cassieprice@ozfish.org.au](mailto:cassieprice@ozfish.org.au) or for more information, please contact Cassie on 0402 408 791

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**Additional resources:**

**OzFish Website:** <https://ozfish.org.au>

**Current chapters:** <https://ozfish.org.au/ozfish-chapter-map/>

**Chapter Executive Position Description (most up-to-date version):**

**Exclusive Member only experiences:** to put on the website.

**Testimonials:** to put on the young leaders landing page.

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