

Vegetable Production Manager

Hoffman Farms

Greeley, CO

Start Date: Before May 1st, 2021 or Negotiable

Location: 3545 W O Street, Greeley CO, 80631

JOB SUMMARY: Hoffman Farms is looking for a person who is excited about farming and food production. This person will be responsible for the management of our field operations, in terms of planting, irrigation and harvesting.

EMPLOYMENT: Full Time - Salaried

POSITION LEVEL: Lead Position

IDEAL CANDIDATE: This person must be self-motivated, and take personal responsibility seriously. Demonstrated reliability is a must. This person must be able to deal with some ambiguity in the position, and demonstrate critical thinking and problem solving skills. Bi-lingual in Spanish is a plus. Past experience will be given priority. This is a physically demanding job, and this person must be prepared and able to handle long hours in various weather conditions. This position is critical in the operation of the farm. 2-years experience preferred, but other equivalent or relevant experience can be substituted.

JOB DUTIES: The job includes but is not limited to the following:

- Operation of Tractors and Various Harvesting Equipment
- Maintenance and Repair of Equipment and Tools
- Setup and Maintain Irrigation Systems and Equipment
- Management of Plant Growing Cycles
- Field Pest and Weed Management and Control
- Manage Field Crews for Weed Control and Harvesting
- Ensure Quality Control of Harvested Product
- Follow and Enforce Food Safety Policies
- Ensure Clean Storage of Product
- Research and Understand Best Farming Practices
- Provide Customer Support and able to Communicate with Customers

JOB REQUIREMENTS: Ability to lift 50 lbs on a regular and daily basis. Ability to handle repetitive tasks. Meet the physical demands of the job. Tolerate uncomfortable temperatures depending on time of day and season. Understand verbal and written instructions. Must be able to maintain a safe and clean work environment.

PAY RATE: Salaried (*Salary will be negotiated based on experience.*)

BENEFITS: Paid Time Off and Paid Sick Leave

ABOUT: Hoffman Farms is a family operated vegetable farm located north of Greeley. We farm 70+ acres in mixed vegetables. Additionally we operate a 5800 sq ft commercial greenhouse that generates all of our seedlings used in our field operation as transplants, as well as a hydroponic system for production. We supply various wholesale distributors, K-12 Institutions, College Institutions, as well as direct to consumers through local Farmers Markets.

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