

Job Title: Field Representative

Job Type: Full Time - Sturgis

HARTUNG BROTHERS, INC is a family owned and operated agribusiness. We have been developing a wide range of solutions for agriculture's producers and processors alike since 1975. Hartung Brothers offers agriculture contracts for seed corn and cucumbers to farmers and processors.

We are currently in need of a Field Representative for our Midwest Cucumber Division. The Field Representative will work with the Lead Field Representative, area farmers, company farm operators in planting, scouting, spraying, and harvesting of the crops. Our fields are in and around Sturgis, MI. You must be self-motivated, very detailed oriented and devoted to crop production.

## Responsibilities:

- · Schedule plantings, water, cultivation, fertilizer, and/or chemical needs and harvesting.
- Complete billing of items and services to grower.
- Coordinate and communicate crop needs with farmer, company farm operators and Lead fieldsman.
- Scout crops, keeping reports on crop progress; including growth, yield checks, weeds, insects, and the controls needed to correct these problems.
- Work with growers and company farm operators to accomplish proper watering, pest, disease and weed control.
- Work with the growers to produce a quality product for them, HBI and our customer.
- Communicate with the Lead field man on a regular basis providing information on crops, weather, seed and the growers.
- Coordinate with Crop Distribution Manager, Director of Cucumber Operations and H&N Dispatchers daily on volume and
- crop quality.
- Comply with company and customer regulations, reporting and policies.
- Continually monitor and report field health, quality concerns or deviations to supervisory management.

## **Preferred Qualifications:**

- o Prior experience in fielding and scouting is a plus.
- o Knowledge of vegetable crop production with emphasis on soils, diseases, pests, and nutrient needs.
- Candidate <u>MUST</u> be a self-motivated and detail-oriented person with high drive to be able to focus in a high tempo environment with ability to adapt to changing situations on a daily basis.
- Must be comfortable working outside in all weather conditions.
- o Excellent communication skills, organization is key to a successful work environment.
- o Bilingual skills favorable.
- o Pay scale will be determined by qualifications. Fall bonus based on performance and spring evaluation.
- Must have knowledge of health, safety and food safety standards pertaining to the agricultural infrastructure (training provided).

To apply for this opportunity: Send your resume to <u>CAREERS@HARTUNGBROTHERS.COM</u> OR apply online at <u>WWW.HARTUNGBROTHERS.COM/CAREERS</u>



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