Sauvie Island Growers Field Crew Position 2025 Season

Sauvie Island Growers (SIG) is a small-scale certified Organic farm located on Sauvie Island just outside of Portland, OR. We focus on producing fresh mixed vegetables for sale to the local PDX market along with herbs, nursery starts and pastured animals. SIG started in 2018 by owners Jesse Olian and Brian Wood, both long term employees and managers of the previous farm business on the same land (Sauvie Island Organics). We lease and manage 29 acres with about 8 to 10 acres in annual vegetable production. We grow and distribute for Portland area restaurants, college and corporate campuses, grocery stores and coops and wholesale to New Seasons Markets.

We are currently looking to hire for a seasonal <u>Part Time Field Crew Position</u>. Our main season generally runs from late *April* through early *December*.

Part Time Field Crew Position

- Hours vary seasonally, with start times from 6am-9am and end times from 2pm-5pm depending on the time of year, weather, and delivery demands
- For our part time field crew position our ideal candidate will have some flexibility with their schedule; we are specifically looking for assistance on *Mondays* and *Thursdays*
- Primary responsibilities will be fresh produce harvest, wash, process and pack out
- Additional farm tasks may include seeding and propagation related greenhouse tasks; field related duties including transplanting, weeding, and irrigation

Eligibility, Expectations, Compensation etc

- Sauvie Island Growers is an **Equal Opportunity Employer**. This means that we will extend equal opportunity to all individuals without regard for race, religion, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, handicaps or veterans status.
- While ideal applicants would have some former farming experience, we do not require any.
- All Sauvie Island Growers employees are at will, in this regard, it is expressly understood that employment with SIG shall continue only as long as it is mutually agreeable to both the employee and SIG.
- Eligible applicants will be hardworking, punctual, reliable, respectful, honest, able to carry out tasks both on their own and in a group setting, bring a positive attitude to the workplace, and have a strong passion for organic vegetable production.
- Eligible applicants must have:
 - Ability to lift 50lbs

- Ability to commute to and from Sauvie Island Growers and maintain punctuality with changing schedules
- Starting hourly compensation is <u>\$16-18</u>DOE
- Fresh produce is provided for all SIG employees

SIG is a relatively small operation and crew and we are hoping to attract a self motivated and engaged individual that is looking to grow with our farm and commit to a longer term position with us. We appreciate and honor hard working farmers and look forward to growing with you!

<u>To apply</u>

Please email a current resume and cover letter along with at least three work-related references to <u>farm@sauvieislandgrowers.com</u>. Thank you!!