

Agronomy Applicator & Operations

About The Equity

The Equity is an independent ag cooperative headquartered in Effingham, Illinois and has over 500 employees. Our market area currently includes 19 locations and covers central Illinois and southwest Indiana. The Equity has five divisions including: Agronomy, Grain, Feed & Livestock, Energy, and two Retail Stores, plus a Precision Agronomy dealership as well as a cutting-edge drone sprayer business. The Equity's mission is to deliver value to our customers through operational excellence, providing information, exploring opportunities, and supporting profitable roles for producers.

Location: Farmersburg, Illinois **Reports to:** Location Manager

Salary: Compensation based upon experience

Benefits Overview:

- Paid vacation, 6 days Paid Time for All, 9 paid holidays, 2 paid floating holidays
- 401k match up to 6%
- One week paid Parental Leave
- Referral Program
- Company Incentive Program
- Medical, dental, and vision
- Paid Life insurance and long-term disability insurance

Required Knowledge, Skills, and Leadership Characteristics:

- Ability to read, analyze and interpret common data.
- Obtain and maintain a CDL and necessary endorsements
- Obtain a commercial pesticide license
- Demonstrates ability to interact effectively with management and customers.

Key Responsibilities:

- 1. Follow all established personnel and safety policies and procedures
- 2. Applies fertilizer and ag chemicals through custom application equipment in an accurate and efficient manner.
- 3. Responsible for daily maintenance, cleanliness and compliance with state and federal regulations of equipment and facilities.
- 4. Blending, mixing, delivering, loading and unloading fertilizer, ag chemicals, seed and merchandise as directed.
- 5. Attend continuing education courses to maintain a quality level of knowledge for the products, regulations, and customer relations.
- 6. In the off-season, may be required to assist corporate shop personnel in repairing and maintaining fleet or operate the truck fleet as directed by the location manager.
- 7. Scout Fields for weed and insect problems, take soil samples, and make field maps.
- 8. Be able to communicate in a professional manner to the producer, salesman and location manager.

Work Environment: The nature of the business may require extended hours. Frequently exposed to weather conditions. Working conditions may include exposure to dust, fumes, and chemicals with appropriate safety measures. The noise level can be above normal at times.

Travel: The employee may be required to travel to other locations, conferences, educational opportunities and other job-related activities.

Other Duties: Please note this job description is not designed to cover or contain a comprehensive listing of activities, duties, or responsibilities that are required of the employee for this job. Duties, responsibilities, and activities may change at any time.



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