



Greenhouse Facilities Technician

New York City

Reports to: Greenhouse Facilities Manager

THE ROLE

The Facilities Technician will be responsible for supporting the overall inspection, maintenance, repairs, upgrades, and improvements of the Company's 3 state-of-the-art agricultural greenhouse facilities located in New York City (Gowanus, Brooklyn; Greenpoint, Brooklyn and Jamaica, Queens). Under the direct supervision of the Facilities Manager, this position will be assigned to perform maintenance and repairs at all facilities, including, but not limited to, process equipment, conveyors, irrigation, and greenhouse HVAC.

Experience in the Greenhouse/Hydroponic industry is preferred but not required. This is an opportunity for an enthusiastic, self-motivated and highly organized leader to join a rapidly growing, innovative, disruptive company in the 21st century food system.

AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY

- Conduct preventive maintenance as needed, performing small-scale updates to facilities and equipment
- Follow up on all repairs and requests, keep stakeholders updated through progress. Own all assigned internal repairs and projects from start to finish
- Comply with all applicable codes, regulations, governmental agency and company directives related to building operations and work safety
- Respond quickly to emergency situations, summoning additional assistance as needed, and follow all safety protocols
- Perform other duties as assigned - provide informal assistance such as technical guidance, and/or training to coworkers and contractors
- Develop and maintain positive working relationships across all levels of the organization
- Diagnose problems, replace or repair parts, test and adjust as needed
- Perform basic electrical, plumbing, mechanical and other construction functions
- Communicate work progress with stakeholders and provide tangible action plans
- Promote a safe work environment and abide by safety SOPs and policies
- Maintain inventory and organization of supplies, parts and maintenance tools/equipment



QUALIFICATIONS

Requirements:

- High school graduate or equivalent trade school credentials
- Knowledge of general carpentry skills and building maintenance experience required
- Prior mechanical, electrical, plumbing, HVAC, or construction experience preferred
- Ability to continuously walk, stand, bend, kneel (and remain working below knee-level) as well as reaching overhead and side to side for extended periods of time; capable of lifting 50 pounds
- Experience in operating a variety of equipment, including hydraulic fork lift, scissor lift and small hand and power tools
- Knowledge of Microsoft Office
- Ability to thrive at work under minimal supervision/direction
- Available to work weekends and work flexible hours as required
- Ability to work indoors and outdoors in extreme seasonal temperatures and different heights in a safe environment
- Attention to detail but also the ability to see the implications for the bigger picture

The ideal candidate:

- Excellent verbal, written, and interpersonal skills
- Reliable and highly motivated with a creative flair and lively personality
- Passionate commitment to the company vision
- Appreciation to principles of sustainable agriculture and food

WHO WE ARE

Gotham Greens is a global pioneer in urban greenhouse agriculture and a leading consumer brand of premium-quality local produce and fresh food products. Gotham Greens' produce is grown using ecologically sustainable methods in technologically-sophisticated, climate controlled, urban greenhouses. Gotham Greens provides its diverse retail, restaurant, and foodservice customers with a local, reliable, year-round supply of salad greens, herbs and fresh food products grown under the highest standards of food safety and environmental sustainability. The company owns and operates over 170,000 square feet of greenhouse across four facilities in New York and Chicago and currently has



500,000 square feet of greenhouse under development in five US states. Gotham Greens was founded in 2009 in Brooklyn, New York.

We are farmers that live in apartments. Our team is hard working, supportive, and passionate about sustainable urban agriculture. We work to create an environment that is caring, fun, and collaborative.

Gotham Greens is proud to be an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. We thank all applicants in advance for their interest in this position, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.



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