

## JOB DESCRIPTION: HARDWARE Greenhouse Production Manager

Hardware Gastropub in North Aurora, IL seeks a motivated, experienced organic farmer to manage its year-round greenhouse production of salad and microgreens. In addition to managing the greenhouse, the Garden Production Manager will also plant and maintain seasonal edible perennial and annual landscaping, and a 1 acre hop field. This role will have some assistance of additional staff during periods of peak labor.

Ideal candidate will possess 3 years experience in gardening/farming, including experience with microgreen production. Seeking a candidate who is independent with strong organizational skills and a passion for sustainable agriculture. Training will be provided by current Garden Production Manager.

This is a year-round, salaried position with benefits, with opportunity to expand production and responsibilities for the right candidate. Hours will vary significantly seasonally.

Start Date: ASAP

### **Responsibilities:**

-Weekly production of 21-48 microgreen trays, 48-96 salad trays, and potted edible flowers including seeding, irrigation, pest control, moderating humidity levels, and harvest

-Keep production areas orderly and clean

-Plant, weed, fertilize, prune, mulch, and harvest 6 10'x10' perennial patio beds, and edible perennial landscaping

-Trellis, irrigate, fertilize, thin, perform pest control and harvest of hop field

-Plant out and irrigate "Live Wall" each growing season

-Order and manage inventory of seed supplies and potting soil

-Developing annual crop plans in coordination with head chef

-Lead tour groups through Hardware's organic production areas

-Assist in seasonal Hardware operations such as shoveling of sidewalks, removal and install of patio furniture, etc.

For those interested, you can fill out an application in person during business hours, or email your resume to [hardwaregastropub@gmail.com](mailto:hardwaregastropub@gmail.com), or call 630-299-3977