



## Agronomy Operations and Maintenance Technician

**NPC needs YOU!** Northern Partners Cooperative is the premier full service cooperative serving North Central Illinois. As a full service cooperative we strive to maintain quality staff, equipment, locations and information across our offerings. Currently, we are looking for an Agronomy Operations and Maintenance Technician located at our Ottawa facility. Tasks to be performed include, but are not limited to, maintenance of equipment, plant, rolling stock, operation of forklifts, loaders, operating tender trucks, filling and delivering NH3 tanks, loading customers' vehicles with product, unloading of deliveries and other duties as required. Required licensing also needed to operate equipment (applicator equipment and machinery, shop tools, fork lifts, class A and B trucks).

### Desired Requirements:

- High School Diploma or Equivalent
- Valid Driver's License is required.
- Class A CDL with HAZMAT, tanker, and airbrake endorsements required; NPC will assist in obtaining
- 1-3 years related experience and/or training preferred.
- Knowledge of farming practices.
- Knowledge of technical skills and abilities necessary to perform required job to establish standards.
- Remains current on industry developments and trends in area of expertise.
- Approachable; puts others at ease, give full attention, shows interest, responds appropriately. Builds relationships both internally and externally through professional and highly developed verbal and written communications.
- Organized; has the capability to work on projects while maintaining ease and a level head of thinking and rational.
- Analyzes problems and sources of conflicts, communicates with direct reports for help with resolution and problem solving.
- Ability to operate equipment (applicator equipment and machinery, shop tools, fork lifts, class A and B trucks)
- Ability to function independently where appropriate but to recognize when issues escalate and need to be referred to other resources.
- Ability to assess a situation and determine the best course of action (sound, good judgment).

### The Northern Partners' Edge:

Come experience working with a diverse team of individuals within the agricultural industry. Develop and learn new skills to widen your horizons while showcasing your talents and broadening your network.

Applications may be found online at [www.northernpartners.net](http://www.northernpartners.net).

Please email applications and/or resumes to [n.kaiser@northernpartners.net](mailto:n.kaiser@northernpartners.net) or mail to

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