

Agronomy Operations

NPC is now hiring! NPC is currently looking to fill 2 Agronomy Operations positions for our Ottawa, IL facility. Responsibilities include but are not limited to set up of material handling, blending, storage, transport, and application equipment for blending and delivery of products. Repairs, rebuilds, and cleans equipment as needed to maintain a professional appearance and extend the life of the equipment. Applies crop production/protection inputs to fields and growing crops according to recommended rates, procedures, and following all pesticide labels. Records all application data according to regulations and standards. Rinses containers and sprayers and disposes of rinse in accordance with state regulation and company standards.

Desired Requirements:

- High School Diploma or Equivalent
- Valid Driver's License is required.
- Class A CDL with HAZMAT, tanker, and airbrake endorsements required or must be obtained once employed; NPC will assist in obtaining
- 1-3 years related experience and/or training preferred.
- Minimum of 20,000 acres application performed in a single year prior to being promoted to Agronomy Applicator & Maintenance Technician role.
- 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, forklifts, 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:

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.

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.

All interested, external candidates must apply online through our Indeed job posting.

Internal candidates need to complete the NPC Internal Employee Application form and submit to the HR Department. Paper applications and resumes will no longer be accepted by email, through the mail, or dropped off onsite.

Apply online at our career page on Indeed.com by visiting:

<https://www.indeed.com/cmp/Northern-Partners-Cooperative?attributionid=adwebapp>