Truck Driver

Department: Trucking

Employment Status: Full Time or Part Time paid at an hourly wage matching the experience of the applicant.

Primary Job Responsibilities: Performs shipping and driving functions by performing the following essential duties and responsibilities:

- Inspects truck before and after trips and submits report indicating truck condition to the Supervisor for further repair as needed.
- Services truck with oil, fuel and radiator fluid to maintain the tractor-trailer.
- Inspects load and ensures that load locks and straps are secure on trailer for transit.
- May assist in loading truck and must be able to unload the truck for customer delivery.
- Drives tractor-trailer or straight truck, while applying knowledge of commercial driving regulations, to transport and deliver products.
- Maneuvers truck into loading or unloading position as needed.
- Obtains customers signature and collects payment for services.
- Inventories and inspects goods to be moved.
- May need to wrap and package customer load as needed onto pallets.
- Maintains accurate records of products carried, delivered or returned (empty racks, pallets or damaged goods) and the related cash receipts of items.
- Maintains telephone contact warehouse or Supervisor to receive instructions or be dispatched to a new location.
- If working in an OTR (Over the Road Driver) function must comply with state and federal weigh stations regulations and the related paperwork.
- If working in an OTR function must maintain driver log according to regulations.
- Performs any other tasks assigned to support and improve the overall team operations or business need.

Qualification/Profile:

- Provides outstanding customer service during delivery and pickup operations
- Reads and writes in English the bill of lading to determine assignment
- Maintains all required certifications required by DOT company safety programs
- Must be able to push, pull, lift and rotate. PDL (Physical Demand Limit) generally is at 60 – 70 lbs with occasional PDL at 120 lbs.
- Works well in a team environment including able to work with a diverse group of people from all aspects of the Dutch Farms business.
- Works with a minimal amount of supervision and is a productive member of his/her department by adhering to all Dutch Farms, Inc. policies.

Specific Experience/Training:

Ability to operate and maintain equipment in a safe manner at all times.

- CDL license is required.
- Ideal candidate would have 1 or more years of experience as a truck driver.
- Must be able to work in severe weather conditions; both heat and cold.
- Ability to make overnight runs as required by shipping needs.