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Landscape Crew Member: Irrigation/Installation/Sustainable Gardening

(Bend/Central Oregon)

\$10.75 - \$15.00/hour depending on knowledge and experience

Part-time 14–21 hours or Full-time 35–40 hours/week

New & experienced crew members needed with leadership potential to round out our professional enthusiastic landscape team who are committed to learning and implementing sustainable/organic gardening practices. This is not mow & blow! Skills/experience needed to solve and repair irrigation problems, build rain gardens, construct raised garden beds, add soil amendments, remove sod, plant natives. Experience using trencher, sod cutter, saws, garden tools, etc. preferred.

Ideal candidates understand irrigation, hardscaping, ecology, botany and native plants, soils, composting, construction and water conservation. A 4 -yr degree in a related field is preferred but not required. This is an opportunity to grow with the company that cares. Our goal is to decrease toxins in the environment, increase pollinator habitat and grow food sustainably in Central Oregon.

Must have valid Oregon driver's license and clean driving record, pass a drug test, pass criminal history check, driving record check. Must have ability to do physical labor and other strenuous physical tasks; easily lift 50lbs, stand, stoop, kneel and material handling for extended time periods, able to operate sod cutter, trencher, weed eater, construction tools. The season runs approximately March through November in all types of weather, so a positive attitude is essential.

Benefits: Opportunities for growth, crews get occasional free homegrown produce, semi-flexible work schedule for part-timers. Off most weekends and the winter ski season. Educational training in all areas.

To apply: email cover letter, gardening resume and 3 professional references to info@yourgardencompanion.com.

