



## **Grow Hartford Farm Site Manager for Swift Factory/Northeast Neighborhood Partners Site**

Under the overall direction of the Grow Hartford Urban Farm Manager, the Site Manager will oversee all aspects of farm operations, including field preparation, cultivation, seeding and crop production, harvesting and storage.

The Site Manager will:

- Work with and under the overall direction of the Urban Farm Manager
- Be knowledgeable about farming and/or gardening, particularly growing vegetable crops in a Northeast location.
- Follow the planting and harvest schedule on time
- Operate farm equipment safely and effectively
- Supervise a crew of apprentices and volunteers to quickly and accurately harvest, plant crops and perform other farm work
- Maintain a valid drivers license
- Maintain harvest records on a daily basis
- Make deliveries of produce to area farmstands, markets, agencies, restaurants and stores
- Be able to set up at and sell at a market in a fast paced environment
- Have the ability to develop and implement new crop ideas and projects
- Have good customer service and community outreach skills
- Have a general knowledge of equipment repair and maintenance
- Be able to work in inclement weather
- Have the ability to lift up to 75 lbs
- Have a sense of humor and cooperative attitude

This is a seasonal, part-time position, averaging 20-25 hours per week, starting in May and ending in late October. Compensation is \$12-\$15 per hour, commensurate with experience. Some training opportunities may be available to advance farming skills. Strong preference for Hartford applicants, particularly residents of Hartford's North End neighborhoods.

Apply by submitting a resume and cover letter to [rodger@hartfordfood.org](mailto:rodger@hartfordfood.org) or by mail to:

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