

Job Description

Name: Name Here
Position: Slaughterer
Reports to: _____ Management

About Us:

Callahan Meats is a USDA Certified beef and pork processing plant located in Barnesville, MN. We are committed to providing high-quality meat products to our customers. We prioritize animal welfare, food safety, and employee well-being in all aspects of our operations.

Overview:

We are seeking a skilled and experienced Slaughterer to join our team. The Slaughterer will be responsible for the humane and efficient slaughter of animals, ensuring that all processes comply with regulatory standards and company policies.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Perform humane and efficient animal slaughter according to USDA guidelines and company protocols.
- Ensure the safety and well-being of animals throughout the slaughtering process.
- Operate and maintain slaughtering equipment, ensuring proper functionality and safety.
- Inspect animals prior to slaughter for signs of disease or injury, reporting any issues to management.
- Maintain cleanliness and sanitation standards in the slaughtering area, including proper disposal of waste materials.
- Adhere to all safety protocols and use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE).
- Assist in the inspection and grading of carcasses, ensuring compliance with USDA standards.
- Monitor and maintain records of slaughtering activities for regulatory compliance.
- Collaborate with other team members to ensure efficient and smooth operations.

Skills and Knowledge:

- Previous experience in animal slaughter or meat processing preferred.
- Knowledge of animal anatomy and behavior.
- Strong attention to detail and ability to follow instructions.
- Ability to work in a fast-paced and physically demanding environment.
- A willingness to adhere to strict safety and sanitation standards.
- Excellent teamwork and communication skills.

Physical Demands and Working Environment

- Physical strength to lift and maneuver 50-75 pounds
- Standing, stooping and climbing are regular activities for this employee
- The employee must have the ability to navigate throughout the production and warehouse areas unassisted without disrupting regular production and warehousing activities.
- This position requires the candidate to be in refrigerated processing and warehouse areas. These areas are cold and wet and exposure to moving machinery are a regular occurrence

Benefits:

- Medical Insurance
- Dental Insurance
- Vision Insurance
- Paid Holidays
- Paid Time Off