

Maintenance Technician

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in food safety*



Protecting the food chain for over three generations. Saving lives. Reducing costs, liability and risk.

At Birko, we take food safety seriously. Nothing is more important to us than making sure the food chain is secure, safe and pathogen free. That's why we're committed to providing the best in environmentally responsible chemistry, state-of-the-art equipment, and excellent customer service. It's all part of The Birko Advantage, an integrated food safety solution of chemistry, equipment and technology provided by highly trained and experienced service professionals.

Birko's expertise and innovation in food safety is built on a strong technical foundation and our team of chemists and microbiologists are industry-leading experts. We supply over 60% of the Top 100 U.S. protein companies and 90% of the top 10 U.S. beef processors. Our penetration in the brewery sector is equally strong as evidenced by our many customers who are winners at the Great American Beer Fest! And in produce, our customers span the nation and include companies with household names and trusted products.

The company is currently recruiting for a **Maintenance Technician** in the Denver (Henderson) office. The Maintenance Technician is responsible for performing highly diversified duties to install, troubleshoot, repair and maintain plant equipment to support the site's production of liquid and powder food safety products. The Maintenance Technician reports to the Operations Manager.

Incumbent must have a team mentality, critical thinking skills & strong problem solving skills. He/she must also have interpersonal skills to communicate in a professional and effective manner with persons of different backgrounds. Must be able to determine root cause and perform preventive maintenance on critical process equipment and take part in and lead continual improvement initiatives. Must be able to prioritize work demands and work within an operational budget

Essential Job Functions & Accountabilities:

- Performing highly diversified duties to install and maintain production machinery and plant equipment
- Diagnosing problems, replacing or repairing parts, testing and adjusting as necessary
- Assisting in developing and maintaining a preventive maintenance schedule for the plant
- Developing and maintaining safe work and maintenance work procedures
- Responsibility for HVAC, forklift, and landscape programs
- Capturing and reporting daily maintenance logs and target problem areas in order to establish capital expenditures budget
- Completing and submitting reports, work orders, and supply requests within a PO controlled environment
- Developing and maintaining working relationship with vendors; providing assistance to vendors as needed

- Creating, maintaining and managing inventory of spare parts and equipment
- Completing housekeeping duties and minor repairs (painting, minor remodels, office build outs, etc.)
- Complying with safety regulations and maintaining clean and orderly work areas

Education & Experience Requirements:

- 2-3 years in manufacturing environment; experience repairing mechanical and electrical equipment
- Plumbing, HVAC, welding, and basic electrical skills
- Must have team approach, great attitude and can do spirit; must be highly dependable
- Ability to work independently
- Ability to schedule, accommodate and coordinate equipment repairs after normal production hours; ability to respond to emergency situations outside normal work hours
- Basic computer skill. Familiarity with Microsoft Office Suite & email software
- Ability to read and interpret equipment manuals and work orders to perform required maintenance and service
- Ability to use a variety of hand and power tools, electric meters and material handling equipment in performing duties
- Valid state driver's license

We recognize that our success would not be possible without the dedication of our employees. Employees at Birko are rewarded via a competitive compensation and benefits package and the opportunity to work with industry-recognized professionals in a growing company.

To apply, please send application materials, with Maintenance Technician in the subject line, to HRInfo@birkocorp.com. Please note that Birko conducts background checks as well as pre-employment and random drug screens.

For more information about Birko, visit the company website at www.birkocorp.com.

