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## **Job Offer (2 positions)**

<u>La ferme coop aux champs qui chantent</u> is a diversified organic farm situated in the Basses-Laurentides, one hour from Montréal, and about 1.5 hours from Ottawa. We are a workers cooperative of 4 people and have been in production since 2012. In 2018 we are planning to produce vegetables for 100 CSA baskets from June through December. Plus we will raise 40 pigs on pasture, 200 laying hens also on rotational pasture and many other little projects. We are looking for 2 motivated employees to come work with us in the vegetable fields. These are seasonal positions, but with the possibility of becoming a member and comanager of the coop.

**Position:** - Production assistant\* **Application deadline:** 15 April, 2018

\*Only candidates that qualify for a salary subvention by Emploi-Québec will be considered. If you are currently unemployed or under employed for several months or are currently receiving employment insurance or social assistance you have a good chance of being admissible. You can verify you eligibility with your local employment center (CLE).

N° of offer: à venir (pour usage au CLE)

Duration of position: May 1st to October 31st 2018;

Salary: \$12/hour x 40 hours per week

Tasks and responsibilities:

- Participate in tasks related to the production of vegetables (planting, weeding, pruning, trellising, harvesting)
- Participate in team meetings

**Conditions of employment:** 

- Full time, 40 hours per week
- Typically Monday through Friday from 7 or 8am to 5pm
- Possibility to stay on the farm and participate in community farm

Characteristics of employment: -

- : Work under pressure at a quick pace.
  - Lift heavy bags of veggies (50 pounds)
- Work in the heat, cold, rain and when it is nice too!
- Work in a team with division of tasks and responsibilities
- Emphasis on learning: we do a lot of different things on the farm, we will do focused work sessions on aspects of the farm, visit other farms during the season and there are a lot of opportunities for personal projects.

Assets:

- Experience with market gardens
- Able to quickly understand new tasks
- Ability to work alone or in a group
- Interest in joining our coop long-term
- Experience in decision making by consensus and group management
- Valid drivers license
- Bilingual (or at least enjoy Frenglish!)

**How to apply:** Verify you eligibility for the salary subvention with your local employment centre (CLE). Then send us a C.V. by email to <a href="mailto:info@fermeauxchampsquichantent">info@fermeauxchampsquichantent</a>.

Please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions. It would be a pleasure to work with you!