Volpi Foods is really into good food. That's why it is the only Midwestern specialty foods company that makes all its own dry-cured meats, handcrafts its family's authentic recipes, and uses nature not shortcuts to deliver the best tasting products. We are currently hiring for several open positions.

**Position Summary:**

Performs entry-level duties as assigned in the maintenance, preventive maintenance and repair or servicing of thermoforming packagers, slicers, grinders, stuffers, mixers, heat shrink tunnels, metal detectors, air handlers, and compressors, etc. Basic repair of mechanical equipment and machinery used in the operation of food processing, packaging and air handling equipment. Performs facilities maintenance up to and including light electrical, and plumbing repair. Must be an accountable, self-starting individual.

**Essential Functions and Responsibilities:**

The essential functions include, but are not limited to the following:

- Provide routine and emergency/unscheduled repairs of production equipment. Perform scheduled maintenance of production equipment during machine service periods.
- Prepare machinery for scheduled production runs.
- Perform maintenance skills, including, but not limited to; mechanical, electrical, pneumatic and hydraulic troubleshooting; and the repairing of packaging and production machines.
- Read and interpret equipment manuals and work orders to perform required maintenance and service.
- Comply with OSHA Safety and Health rules.
- Perform other work-related duties as assigned.

**Candidate Qualifications:**

- Two years of experience in a mechanical discipline or Associates degree in Industrial Maintenance or related technical discipline.
- Experience in food manufacturing (meat, dairy, etc.) is highly desirable.
- Good troubleshooting and problem resolution skills.
- Ability to learn and understand technical training provided.
- Ability to complete assigned tasks and follow direction of more experienced Maintenance Technicians.
- Willingness to be flexible and work weekends occasionally to support needed maintenance.

**Physical Demands:**

- Candidate must have the ability to lift up to 50 lbs
- Must be able to bend, stoop, twist, reach, push, and pull
- Must be able to work in an environment between 40-65 degrees
- Must be able to work around dust and mold
- Must be able to wear a hairnet, gloves, and hearing protection

**Location:**

5263 Northrup Avenue
St. Louis, MO 63110

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