Job Posting:
Farm to Family Transportation Administrator

Join us in creating a California where every person has the nourishment they need to thrive. We are proud to amplify the voice of food banks and of hungry Californians in the corridors of our statehouse and country’s Capitol, in the offices of foundations and corporations, on farms and in fields, and throughout our state. We do this to influence public policy to enhance the safety net, ensure that fresh produce and healthy proteins are accessible to all Californians, connect hungry residents with nutrition programs, and support our 41-member food banks in their work to feed our communities.

Our Farm to Family program delivers more than 160 million pounds of fresh fruits and vegetables annually to food banks throughout the state — nourishing our communities and reducing food waste. The program also secures and delivers shelf-stable foods like beans, soups, cereals, and grains, as well as proteins like eggs and meat. Farm to Family plays an essential role in California’s food safety net and the food waste diversion chain.

Position Description

The Farm to Family (F2F) Transportation Administrator is responsible for the logistical aspects of produce, shelf-stable and other commodities programs.

Duties & Responsibilities

• Arrange and negotiate shipment of F2F orders with transportation companies.
• Notify transportation companies of assigned weekly loads.
• Develop relationships with carriers, food bank staff and shippers.
• Verify and maintain accurate information for carriers, food banks and shipping hours.
• Resolve and track logistic issues as they arise.
• Input details of booked loads, owner operator expenses/income, new carriers, and driver plans.
• Reconcile and approve freight bills.
• Communicate issues and/or concerns to the Associate Director of F2F.
• Other job duties as necessary and assigned.
• Manage TMS Platform to Streamline logistical processes.

Qualifications

• Bachelor’s Degree preferred but not required.
• Knowledge of trucking industry.
• Computer proficiency, specifically Microsoft Outlook, Word, Excel and Netsuite, Various TMS Platforms preferred
• Detail oriented with a high level of accuracy.
• Ability to work in a fast paced, time critical environment with heavy volume.
• Ability to work individually and as part of a team.
• Excellent professional written and verbal communication skills; as well as interpersonal skills to develop and maintain effective business relationships within and outside of CAFB.
• Good organizational and time management skills.
• Commitment to CAFB’s mission.
• Proficiency in multitasking.

Location
We’re a small but mighty staff of 30+, working in a classic old building in downtown Oakland — conveniently located near the 19th Street BART station. Both the building and the office are ADA accessible. We are working in a hybrid environment, with a minimum of two days in the office.

Reports to
- Farm to Family Associate Director

Employment Type
- Full Time, non-exempt, 37.5 hours per week
- Benefits include generous employer paid health, dental, and vision; retirement program; life insurance; and PTO.

To Apply
Please visit the link below to fill out the web form and attach your cover letter and resume where indicated. Documents will not be reviewed unless they are submitted in the required format. Please read the instructions carefully. Applications accepted until position is filled.


About CAFB
The California Association of Food Banks believes that food is a fundamental right. Food is medicine, it is fuel for learning, a teacher of cultures, and convener of communities. Right now, 8 million Californians are food insecure, nearly double pre-pandemic rates. We’re working to change that.

We value diversity and seek to reflect it on our team and how we do business. Our goal is to attract, develop, retain, and promote a talented and diverse workforce in a culture where all employees will contribute to their fullest potential.

It is the policy of the California Association of Food Banks to fill every position without regard to race, color, religion (all aspects of religious beliefs, observance or practice, including religious dress or grooming practices), creed, gender (including gender identity and gender expression), marital status, registered domestic partner status, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition (including cancer or a record of a history of cancer), age, sex (including pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, or related medical condition), national origin, ancestry, sexual orientation, genetic information, equal pay/compensation, veteran status, or any other basis made unlawful by applicable law. We are an equal opportunity employer, and strictly prohibit unlawful discrimination by any employee, including managers, supervisors, and co-workers.