

2023 Harvest Season Job Opportunities! (Continuar por espanol)

The Good Food Collective (GFC) works with partners and stakeholders across Southwestern Colorado to reestablish an intact regional food system. We believe that an intact regional food system creates economic opportunities for rural areas, creates jobs, stewards our environment, ensures that **everyone** in our community has access to nutritious, dignified food, and builds the backbone of a vibrant community.

Harvest season is coming and we're a crew of passionate, dedicated folks to help us harvest and distribute healthy, local food to residents across our region. If the possibility of climbing trees to harvest feral fruit, planning community gleaning parties, and connecting our community to the freshest, localest fruits & veggies around makes your heart sing, we'd love to have you join our team.

We are currently hiring for the following seasonal, part-time positions. You can apply for one of these roles for a supplementary workload, or both together to round out your seasonal work schedule:

Roots of Health Produceshare Staff:

Our Roots of Health Produceshare Program aims not only to get healthy foods into the bellies of those who care for us, but also to help connect our healthcare workforce with an understanding of how access to healthy food can be part of the way they practice medicine. Twice per week, our Produceshare Distribution Staff take Jack & Jill (our trusty truck & refrigerated trailer) and head out to our pop up farmstand at Mercy Hospital to pass out CSA Shares from area farmers to local healthcare

La Plata County Gleaning Coordinator

The GFC is currently looking for one outgoing, part-time staff member to coordinate our La Plata County Gleaning program from early July through the end of October. Primary responsibilities include recruiting La Plata County backyard fruit tree owners and farmers to sign up for our gleaning database, partnering with CPW and the Bear Working Group to develop a system to align gleaning efforts with bear-human conflict mitigation efforts, recruiting community gleaning crews, coordination, management, and participation of harvest events, and supporting food processing & distribution. The

| workers and share nutrition, food access, and health resources. | work schedule is relatively flexible and can accommodate other commitments. |
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| 10 hrs/week beginning June 19th-September 29th Shifts are Wednesday 1:30-6:00 and Fridays 11-3:30, with an additional hour for administration during the week \$18/hour | 20 hrs/week July 10-October 31 Flexible Schedule, but availability at least one afternoon/week is essential \$21/hour |
| Must have current drivers' license and be able to squat, walk on uneven ground, and lift objects up to 40 Ibs outside and in varied weather | |

To apply, please complete our job application by 6/19. For a complete job description, visit <u>www.goodfoodcollective.org</u>.

Diversity and Equal Opportunity: The Good Food Collective values the diversity of our community. In principle and in practice the diverse nature of our board, staff, and volunteers is recognized as one of our best assets. We respect each individual's unique gifts and prohibit unfair or discriminatory practices against anyone because of age, race, color, religion, national origin, disability, gender, sexual orientation, and any other protected category.

Thank you for your interest! For more about The Good Food Collective please visit our website: <u>http://www.goodfoodcollective.org</u>