Job Description

Job Title: Process Engineer
Department: Process Engineering
Reports to: Plant Manager
Location: 51607 Fish St, Nikiski, AK 99635
Schedule: 7:00am – 3:30pm or as assigned
Number of hours per week to be determined by supervisor and seasonal work load
Pay Schedule: Salary, exempt

Job Summary:

The Process Engineer provides recommendations for changes to working methods or operation sequences that will minimize cost, and waste; increase yields and productivity; and improve the quality and consistency of final product. The responsibilities of this role take into consideration the company’s commitment to our seven Core Values such as Sustainability (people, the planet, and profit) in the planning and implementation of all actions related to your area of responsibility.

Job Description & Duties:

- Deliver efficiency savings and improve line/area reliability
- Apply process improvement methodologies (Lean, Six Sigma, Kaizen, etc) and statistical tools to identify and implement solutions
- Research the best available techniques to incorporate into the process to improve efficiency, methods, equipment and tools to optimize the manufacturability of products
- Perform root cause analysis when issues arise and implement corrective and preventive actions.
- Provide support to the management team through collaborative processes of developing tactical plans to support strategic objectives.
- Assist with special engineering projects and other project-related responsibilities as directed
- Follow and adhere to all given instructions including work procedures, Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) and current Good Manufacturing Practices (cGMP)
- Strictly adhere to and observe all safety policies as outlined in the company policies and training session
- Other duties as assigned
Requirements:

Technical
- Post-secondary accreditation in Mechanical, Engineering
- Excellent computer skills (Advanced MS Office is a requirement) Excellent operational knowledge of process equipment and controls
- Knowledge of GMP standards and experience working in a regulated environment is an asset
- Knowledge of and experience in project management tools and techniques
- Fish oil and/or fish meal experience will be considered an asset
- PLC (Programmable logic controller) programming experience will be considered an asset

Attributes
- Demonstrated commitment to safety
- Strong customer service orientation
- Excellent leadership, organizational and communication (both written and verbal) skills
- Strong analytical, problem solving and troubleshooting skills
- Superior organizational and time management skills
- Ability to communicate with all levels of the organization and to adapt quickly to changing priorities
- Demonstrated ability to work independently and in a team-oriented environment
- Ability to organize and execute directions in a fast-paced dynamic environment
- Regular, predictable attendance is an essential function of this job
- Availability for overtime is an essential function of this job