

# home sweet home

GROCERY + CAFE

## JOB POSTING

### **Responsible Waste Coordinator - Part Time Contract**

March-September 2015 (with possibility of extension)

\$220/month + grocery credit (4 hours/week)

Everything about HSH Grocery + Cafe is about supporting alternative + sustainable food systems that are healthy for all members of our community. In 2014 we were awarded with the PG Chamber of Commerce Environmental Leadership Award + are committed to ensuring Home Sweet Home is a model for sustainable + socially responsible businesses in the community.

Running a small business is time consuming + dealing with the recycling and solid waste within the grocery store + cafe is easy, but we do not have the time or resources to do it better! We want to hire someone to work on a part time contract to guide us in reducing our waste and increasing our recycling or composting as much as possible! This position is great for someone who is flexible, has access to a vehicle to haul solid waste, is interested in environmental issues + sustainability, and is excited about working with small businesses + community members!

This position has opportunities to do further community-development work + to work with other downtown businesses to grow your skill base!

#### Responsibilities:

- Initiate and implement a solid waste, composting, and recycling program for the store.
- Pick up and responsibly dispose of solid waste, composting, and recycling for the store.
- Develop strategies for waste minimization and/or increasing composting and recycling programs.
- Complete a bi-monthly, easy to use waste audit for the store.
- Coordinate information and education resources for solid waste recycling programs with customer base and community.
- Give bi-monthly presentations to customers and other community stakeholders on waste, compost, and recycling issues.
- Keep up-to-date on current recycling best practices and policies in the community.

#### Requirements:

- Some university or college education.
- Experience coordinating community projects or waste audits.
- Access to a vehicle or transportation to haul waste.
- Social media knowledge.
- Ability to work with diverse groups of people.
- Willingness and interest in physically handling garbage.

To apply please send your CV/Resume, 3 references, and cover letter detailing your interest in this position to [diandra@hshgrocery.com](mailto:diandra@hshgrocery.com) by no later than 6PM on Friday, March 6, 2015.